

## **Western Route 40 Business Association**

### **Minutes**

**November 16, 2016**

The meeting was called to order at 8:07 A.M. The meeting was held at the Main Street Cafe.

**MINUTES:** Minutes were distributed via email prior to the meeting. Copies were available at the meeting. Minutes were approved as submitted.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Current balance is \$4536.00.

**BANNERS:** We need additional pole brackets to hang the banners, in addition, we need to work on the current brackets. Jay Dutton will check on the county work crew being available to paint the brackets.

There has been an interest from other businesses regarding purchasing banners for this next year. We will follow up with them.

Rob Daniels has drafted a letter of thanks to be sent to purchasers as well as the borough for their support. The letter is in process, however, we are waiting on a new letterhead for our letters. Diane Adams will work on designing a new letterhead for us.

**CAPRI:** The board discussed the completion of the mural project. The posters need to be sent to contributors. Diane Adams had name plates made to be sent with the posters.

CAPRI is in need of community participants in order to continue to be effective. We will check with Dr. Kolate for any interest in being a part of CAPRI.

**POLICE:** No report.

**SCHOOLS:** No Report.

**COMMUNITY:**

The new car wash is scheduled to open before Christmas.

Hopewell Diner is now open 6 A.M. – 2 P.M. We should approach the owners regarding a banner and membership in WR40BA.

### **Church News:**

Reminder that a Thanksgiving Eve Service, 7 PM, 19 Nov. will be held at United Methodist Church

Churches will get information to Donna Riggle and Diane Adams newspaper, Small Town News.

Annual Father Christmas event, Nov 26, Brownlee Portrait Studio.

Prayer Vidual, 7 PM, First Baptist Church.

### **Advent lunches:**

Nov 30 – United Methodist Church

Dec 7 – Baptist Church

Dec 14 – Christian Church

Dec 21 – Presbyterian Church

A discussion was held regarding the affect Dollar General has had on businesses in Claysville. It was determined that there has been some impact and that the new deli at the BP has also had an impact.

Washington, PA will have may streets closed on November 16 due the funeral services and procession for the Canonsburg Police Office who was slain.

K. Prescott submitted a motion to adjourn with Aleta Richmond giving a second to the motion. Motion was approved unanimously and the meeting adjourned at 8:46 A.M. The next meeting will be held on Deecember 20, 2016, main Street Café.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Katherine Prescott, Secretary