

Southport Business Association

May 14, 2019

Pine City Fire Department

Attending:

Lori Jones (Lori Jones Bookkeeping)

Ed Burrows (Quality Lawn Care)

Kit Gooshaw (Lighthouse/Bulkhead Hardware)

Michael Minichiello (Rainbow International)

Nichola Ostrander (Southport Community Dev)

Missie Grover (Chemung Canal)

Michael Smith (Chemung County Legislator)

Julie Delgrosso (The Christmas House)

Lori called the meeting to order at 8:00am

The minutes from the April meeting were reviewed and approved.

Treasurer's Report for April 2019

CHECKING

Balance 3/31/2019	\$3926.71
Income: BGM Realty dues	\$ 35.00
Expenses (#1130, Monthly Mtg Dinner)	\$ 88.97
Checking Balance 4/30/19	\$3872.74

SAVINGS

Balance 3/31/2019	\$7620.79
No income, no expenses	
Balance 4/30/19	\$7620.79

PAYPAL

Balance 3/31/19	\$ 467.28
No income, no expenses	
PayPal balance 4/30/19	\$ 467.28

OLD BUSINESS

Historic Banner Update: Four more businesses are needed to get to the base of our first 24. The opportunity will be opened to all non-member Southport Businesses on 5/15/19 at the fee of \$250. Lori has photos she researched and they are available for you to pick for your business. It was also noted that the NYSEG agreement has to be renewed each year for the banner placements.

Membership: May is membership month. Karen Harris will be sending out renewal notices.

NEW BUSINESS

Officer Elections were held with the following officers agreeing to serve for the upcoming year.

President: Lori Jones

Vice President: Karen Harris

Secretary: Joan Burrows (Julie as backup)

Treasurer: Missie Grover

Events Committee: No formal report but a question was fielded asking if anyone had any ideas for summer events. It was suggested that our July meeting have the theme of Christmas In July and we spend that meeting considering ideas for activities for Christmas Land after the first weekend. That meeting will be held July 9 at 8am.

Guest Speaker: Incubator Works (Ashleigh Madison) 410-713-8612 amadison@incuworks.org

“Providing Southern Tier Startups with the Resource they Need to Thrive: Money, Business, Idea”

Locations in Painted Post and Alfred, NY with monthly meetings of Elmira Entrepreneurs and V.E.T.S. (Veterans’ Entrepreneurship Team of the Southern Tier)

You can find them on Facebook at facebook.com/IncubatorWorks

Other Business

Next Meeting: Michael will contact Justin Faulkner to see if he is available to speak at our next meeting, Tuesday, June 11 in the evening. The topic will be Employer/Employee Retirement Plans

Other topics for future meetings included:

NY Law (free legal advice for small businesses)

SBDC (Small Business Development Center)