

Hasbrouck Heights Chamber of Commerce Meeting  
Wednesday, June 6, 2018  
Hasbrouck Heights Public Library  
8 am-9:10 am

Present:

G. Armonaitis – TAP Into HH	D. Marcano – Kearny Bank
M. Bejko – BCB Bank	D. Meredith-Meredith Family Agency
S. Feuss – iDesign	E. Ollwerther – Edie’s Dance Factory
P. Gallo – Envision Video Services	T. Patel-Comfort Keepers
K. Hansen – BCB Bank	T. Rachelski - PNC Wealth Management
M. Hui – HH Library	M. Saccomano – Charlie’s Care Pet, LLC
K. Ketcho-Ketcho Golf Classic	R. Vorisek – Heights Flower Shoppe
R. Kistner-HH Council Liaison	

1. Meeting called to order at 8:03 am. Introductions around the table.
2. Minutes of last meeting. Motion to accept by Steve Feuss; seconded by Peter Gallo.  
All in favor. Passed.
3. Treasurer’s Report.  
Opening Balance- 22,034.25  
Revenue-\$ 3,675.00  
Expenses-\$3,861.35.  
Cash on hand \$21,847.90.  
Motion to accept by Steve Feuss; seconded by Dawn Marcano. Passed.
4. Calendar of events was reviewed.
5. Update on Chamber Membership. Total 58 -- 47 Hasbrouck Heights / 7 Wood-Ridge / 4 Other
6. Update on Street Fair. Nice turnout by community. All went well. Good feedback. Vendors were pleased. Special thanks to Town, DPW, and Police for their support. Beer Garden went well with no problems. Profit earned was about \$6,000 in sponsorships. For next year’s consideration: Have police address riders on bikes.
7. Update on Farmer’s Market. Hours are 12 Noon-6 pm. Any Chamber member is welcome to setup a table for FREE at this event. Let Ray Vorisek know.
8. Taste of HH & Friends (Wednesday, November 14) – Special thanks to BCB Bank for being our major sponsorship. They presented a check in the amount of \$2,000 to the Library Board on Tuesday, May 15 to pay for the event to be held at Fiesta this year. Our heartfelt gratitude and appreciation. More information will be forthcoming.
9. Update on marketing PR person for Chamber. No need to find person. Steve Feuss stated he will promote, market events, and highlight vendors through Facebook.

10. Other Business to bring before the Chamber

- Membership w/ Benefits (ie. Promotions/Events) – Chamber members are permitted to forward promotional flyers for approval by the Chamber’s Executive Board before sharing with membership. Board will make the determination on a case by case basis. This privilege is limited to active paying members. Additional guidelines will be developed. Board will establish a disclaimer.
- Next Networking Event – Date picked is Wednesday, July 18 to be held at Holiday Inn. Peter Gallo will see if they are available to host. Dawn Marcano will work on getting Wood-Ridge Council to attend. Ray Vorisek suggested a written invite be sent.
- Reminder to Chamber members of the following established committees/Involvement needed:
  - Farmer’s Market – Ray Vorisek / Mimi Hui
  - Holiday Parade – Ray Vorisek / Edie Ollwerther
  - HolidayFest -- Peter Gallo / Steve Feuss
  - Marketing & Promotion of Membership – Steve Feuss
  - Parking – Gary Doran / Peter Gallo
  - Street Fair – Peter Gallo / Dawn Marcano / Gary Doran / Steve Feuss
  - Taste of HH – Mimi Hui / Dawn Marcano
  - Town Relations – Ray Vorisek / Gary Doran for HH  
Dawn for Wood-Ridge || Tom Rachelski for Lodi
- Tom Rachelski announced next Lodi Chamber of Commerce meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 11 at Little League Hall at 6 pm
- Holiday Parade. It was suggested to have a banner at the beginning of the event announcing Chamber is sponsor.

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 am.

Next Meeting: Thursday, July 12 at the Hasbrouck Heights Library at 8 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Mimi Hui  
Secretary