

## **Board Meeting**

# **Agenda** 04/11/2022

Commerce Connect Building

#### I. Call to Order 7:05pm

#### II. Attendance

## Officers:

[P] Brandon Reid President	[P] Marty Zuniga Vice President	[P] Morgan Morris Secretary	[ <b>P</b> ] Jason Johnson Treasurer
[P] Todd Alan	[E] Ellie Bledsoe	[P] Jordan Braxton	[P] Jesse Doggendorf
[E] Matt Harper	[P] Clayton Higgenbotham	[P] Dottie Klenke	[P] Frank Nowicke
[P] Arthur Nunn			

11/13 Board Members Present

### III. Changes to the Agenda

a. Add community awards to Jordan's reports. Motioned Jordan / 2<sup>nd</sup> Jason Motion Passes

#### IV. Approval of Minutes

a. Motion to approve 3.14.2022 minutes. Motioned by Dottie / 2<sup>nd</sup> Clayton Motion Passes

## V. Board Reports

# **Executive Reports:**

- i. Brandon Reid President
  - Street/Parks/Special Events
    - Submitted permits to the three departments, now must wait for them to do their parts.
  - Parade Route (Time and Staging)
    - Due to the Cardinals game, the logistics of two large events happening together will create a nightmare downtown.
    - o Jordan disagrees with losing two blocks moving from 8<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> street.
    - Starting at 11am instead of Noon.
  - Security
    - o IMS (our hired security company) is working with Brandon on logistics of festival.
  - Communication
    - All people in a department needs to be in the email, not CCing just certain people.
      Information is being siloed and we don't want that.

- ii. Marty Zuniga- Vice President
  - Festival Updates
    - o We are a little behind the ball for entertainment, but we have a list to work with.
- iii. Morgan Morris Secretary
  - GMC Donation Jordan and Morgan will work on possible fundraising with GMC, since the Pandemic has hit them hard.
- iv. Jason Johnson-Treasurer
  - Finances/Budget
    - o 36k in the bank
    - Motion to approve the 2022 Budget by Jason / 2<sup>nd</sup> Dottie 11/11 Motion Passes.

#### **Board Director Reports:**

- v. Todd Alan | Co-Director of Sponsorship
  - Sponsorship Updates
    - Seeing a good engagement with sponsors. Updated the budget to reflect new numbers.
  - o Blues Recap
    - Should be receiving ~11k from Titos, Ticket sales and silent auction.
- vi. Ellie Bledsoe | Director at Large
  - No Report
- vii. Jordan Braxton | Director of Public Relations
  - Pride Flag Ceremony
    - We will buy 9x6 Progressive Flag and Intersex Flag for the City to fly.
  - Parade Updates
    - 25 previous entries (more could come out) from 2020 parade entries. Putting a max of 200 Parade Entries for 2022.
  - Police Training Meeting
    - 20-minute diversity inclusion video that they have to watch and will be put on a list on who is marching.
    - We will work with them on getting T-shirts for the parade instead of wearing uniforms for the police.
  - Hands Across Market/Military Element
    - 1030am Sunday, 11am Saturday Military
  - Hive Updates
    - Working to create a safe and inclusive location for the HIVE.
  - Food Operations
    - Going to speak with Crystal (Rehab) about catering for Festival volunteers Sat/Sun.
  - o Care-O-Van
    - o June 5<sup>th</sup> Date
  - Interpride Update
    - o Possible change in Jordan's title on the committee.
  - Community Awards
    - June 4<sup>th</sup> will announce at the Kickoff Party. Board needs to suggest candidates soon.
- viii. Jesse Doggendorf | Co-Director of Sponsorship

- Sponsorship Updates
- o Children and Family Area
  - Jenn is onboard to run children's area again.
  - Gave Jason a list of supplies and updated the budget.
- ix. Matt Harper | Director at Large
  - No Report
- x. Clayton Higginbotham | Director at Large
  - No Report
- xi. Dottie Klenke | Co-Director of Entertainment
  - o No Report
- xii. Frank Nowicke | Director of Vendors
  - Vendor Updates
    - o 69 vendors to date.
  - Post Festival Survey
    - o Volunteers, Sponsors, Vendors, etc. for satisfaction.
- xiii. Arthur Nunn | Director Fundraising
  - Upcoming Fundraisers
    - o Pride Idol 2<sup>nd</sup> Week
- VI. Old Business
- VII. New Business
- VIII. Adjourn 8:50pm Motioned by Jordan / Seconded by Jason