



*Waterboro Association  
of Businesses, Inc.*

## MEETING MINUTES

The Monthly Meeting of the Waterboro Association of Businesses, Inc. was held on Wednesday, May 20, 2009 at the Waterboro Town Hall. President, Kerry DeAngelis, called the meeting to order at 7:40 a.m.

### ROLL CALL

Sherry Norton, Kerry DeAngelis, Leo Binette, Mike Campbell, Chris Binette, Susan Rocray and Sara Belanger. Guests: Christopher Dudley of Wild Cherry Woodworks and Mike DeAngelis, Waterboro Parks and Recreation Director.

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes from the April meeting were presented. Motion was made for approval and accepted.

### NEW BUSINESS

1. **Treasurer's Report** –Current balance \$5,981.80. A reminder was made that money is due for the Area Guide Ads in 2 weeks.
2. **Town of Waterboro Economic Development Committee** – Chris Binette is the chair of the committee and Kerry is secretary. There are 6 WAB members represented on the committee.
  - a. Paulette Davis addressed code issues regarding zoning for businesses and mixed use.
3. **WAB 4 WARMTH** - We will kick off the 2009 WAB 4 Warmth Raffle Fundraiser at Waterboro Old Home Days. Winner will receive \$3,500 worth of heating fuel or \$3,500 in cash with proceeds to be donated to the town 's Special Assistance Heating Program.
4. **Approval of New Members** – Kerry announced there were 10 new members from the Area Guide sales this year (plus Wild Cherry Woodworks at this meeting) to approve:  
JD's Package Store, Alfred's Upholstery, Waterboro House of Pizza, The Milkroom, Wild Cherry Woodworks, The Heritage Co., Deer Pond Fuel, Jim's Sunoco, Southern Maine Hearing Aid, Waterboro Village Pediatrics, Shaker Pond Ice Cream, and York County Community Action.  
Sue motioned for approval, seconded by Sherry and new members were approved.

### OLD BUSINESS

1. **Waterboro Old Home Days Participation** –
  - a. Funds have been budgeted for our ad.
  - b. Discussion was held regarding the possibility of having a dunk tank. Kerry will research to determine if there is one planned by anyone else.

- c. WAB will have a booth, start 2009 WAB 4 WARMTH raffle and some type of activity to attract visitors.
  - d. Sherry will check on the availability of a helium machine for balloons.
2. **2009-2010 Waterboro Area Guide –**
    - a. We have sold \$6,720 in ads. Commission paid out is \$430.30.
  3. **Fall Business Expo –**
    - a. Mike Campbell informed us that the permits are in for approval with SAD 57 to hold the Business Expo on Saturday, October 24. We should have our response by the June meeting.
    - b. Discussion took place regarding the possibility of extending the Expo to include Friday afternoon as a career day for juniors and seniors. Mike will discuss this with John Morin and Tim Stinson and bring more information at the next meeting.
  4. **Earth Day Planting –**
    - a. Kerry announced that our flowers are still there and thriving! Flowers were planted by WAB members in the 2 beds at Friendship Park on Earth Day.

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

1. Business Development Committee - Businessperson's Survey should be ready for distribution by next Wednesday.

#### **APPOINTMENTS**

Mike DeAngelis spoke to WAB members to see if the organization had any interest in helping to sponsor the purchase of a community bus for the Parks & Rec. Department. He has the opportunity to purchase a 17-passenger van from Jim's Sunoco for only \$3,000 and is looking for community support. The topic will be placed on the next agenda for further discussion.

#### **REMINDERS**

1. **Business After Hours –** Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, at 5:30, Bangor Savings Bank in Hollis.
2. **Apple Blossom Festival at Raven Hill Orchard –** Memorial Day Weekend.
3. **Next meeting –** Wed., June 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 am at the Waterboro Town Hall.
4. **Business Development Committee –** Every Wednesday (excluding monthly WAB meeting day), Raven Hill Orchard, Ossipee Hill Road, Waterboro, 7:30 am

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Motioned for adjournment at 9:10 a.m., motion approved.