



*Waterboro Association
of Businesses, Inc.*

MEETING MINUTES

The Monthly Meeting of the Waterboro Association of Businesses, Inc. was held on Wednesday October 21, 2009 at Waterboro Town Hall. President, Leo Binette, called the meeting to order at 7:35 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Leo Binette, Mike Campbell, Sue Rocray, Marion MacAvoy, Diane Gray, Sue Sughrue, Kerry DeAngelis and Patty Gulnac.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes from the Annual meeting on October 6th were approved.

NEW BUSINESS

1. **Treasurer's Report** – Reviewed and approved. Current balance \$4,552.93.
2. **Business After Hours sign-up** – Nobody has signed up yet. We are currently looking for businesses to host a Business After Hours in the upcoming year. WAB will contribute \$100 towards advertising the event.
3. **Website / Marketing** – Going forward, Kerry DeAngelis will continue to manage the website. Any information (Agendas, Minutes, calendar items, photos, etc.) should be e-mailed to Kerry at kerry@kldesignandmarketing.com. When something new is posted, an e-mail alert will go out the membership.

OLD BUSINESS

1. **Senior Luncheon – Thanksgiving Dinner Nov. 12 at noon.** – Kerry DeAngelis will put together an ad and have Parks and Recreation run it prior to the event to try and increase attendance.
2. **WAB for Warmth Raffle Sales** – Drawing Dec. 8th, need to get on the Selectmen's Agenda for that night. Sue Rocray suggested setting up a table at Hannaford or somewhere on Wed. Nov. 25 to sell tickets. Someone will contact Hannaford and Jds and try to round up some volunteers.
3. **WAB for Warmth Fuel Pumping Event** – Scheduled for Sat. Dec. 5th at Lakeside Market. Jonathan Johnson will e-mail volunteer sign-up sheet to members. The event will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and volunteers are needed in two-hour blocks of time.

4. **WAB Holiday Meeting/Pot Luck Dinner/Yankee Swap** – Scheduled for Mon., Dec. 7 at 5:30 p.m. at the Ossipee Mountaineers Snowmobile Club. There will be a Yankee Swap so bring a wrapped \$15 gift in addition to a food dish to share. Kerry will send out postcard invitations to all members.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. **Business Development Committee** – Committee is taking a break from meeting. They plan on getting back to the Business Survey at the beginning of next year and possibly mail them out this time since people haven't had the time or resources to hand deliver them as planned.

APPOINTMENTS

Patty Gulnac from Goodall Hospital's Partners for Healthier Communities (PHC) was present and asked to address the group. She wanted everyone to know about PHC and what services it had to offer. They have a worksite wellness program. Smaller businesses can be worksite healthy like nutrition, CPR and smoking cessation. Leo mentioned tobacco training. PHC works with the schools and sheriff's office as well. You can contact PHC by calling 207-490-7033.

REMINDERS

1. Next meeting – Wednesday, Nov. 18 at 7:30 a.m. at Waterboro Town Hall
2. Business Development Committee meetings – meetings temporarily discontinued
3. Thanksgiving Senior Luncheon – Thurs., Nov. 12 at the Ossipee Mountaineers Snowmobile Club on Old Alfred Road at noon
4. WAB Holiday meeting / potluck dinner / yankee swap – Mon., Dec. 7th at 5:30 p.m. at the Snowmobile Club on Old Alfred Road

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by Kerry DeAngelis