

**CITY OF IMLAY CITY  
SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE MINUTES**

A regular meeting of the Sesquicentennial Committee was held on Monday, February 17, 2020 at the Imlay City Hall. The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m.

Present: Carl Iloncai, Marilyn Swihart, Shannon Hammel, Tracy Aldrich, Larry Bush, Walt Barga, Lorrelei Natke, Tom Wearing, Stu Cameron, Joi Kempf and Tom Youatt

Larry started out the meeting by stating he is acclimating to the community and going out and talking with citizens. He discussed the possibility of using the current Fire Hall as a replacement for the entertainment tent. The consensus of the Committee was to continue with the tent.

The cost sharing with the Rotary Club regarding beverage sales and tent rental was briefly discussed and this will be determined in the future. Sale of beer is anticipated to take place between 4:00 p.m. to 12 on Friday and from 10:00 a.m. to 12 on Saturday. The size of the tent needs to be determined and rental of same needs to be lined up with North Branch Rental; also, tables and chairs.

The size of the entertainment stage was discussed and an approximate size of 20' x 12 ' was determined to be sufficient.

Ideas discussed for events included a car show, tractor club, inviting 7 Ponds Nature Center, Kids activities, a pet parade, "Dress Like a Decade," 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament Downtown.

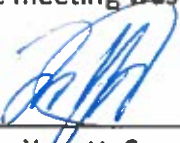
Stu suggested the High School Jazz Band could perform on stage.

Food Vendors was discussed again; probably to be located in the Farmers Market Parking area.

The Committee determined that a schedule of events needs to be completed by June 1<sup>st</sup> at the latest.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. at City Hall.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

  
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Tom Youatt, Secretary