

Henderson Chamber Meeting

Monday, February 24, 2020

12:00 pm – PERKS

Sponsor: Central Valley Ag

President of Henderson Chamber Board of Directors, Rick Hiebner, called the meeting to order at 12:15 pm.

Minutes from the January meeting were reviewed and submitted for approval. Eric Ehlers motioned to approve. Justin Ott seconded. No further discussion. Motion carried.

An abbreviated Treasurer's Report for January 2020 was reviewed. The following summary amounts were offered: Henderson State Checking with a balance of \$29,808.25, Cornerstone Bank Savings balance of \$739.31, and Cornerstone Bank CD balance of \$20,430.94. Steve Stebbing motioned to approve the report. Lowell Siebert seconded. No further discussion. Motion carried.

The following announcements were presented:

- Past President, Jen Hiebner, reported the Henderson Home Show is planned for Saturday, February 29th, from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Current registration shows a few less booths from last year. Set-up starts Friday at 4:30 pm. Aubrey Saltus, the new Executive Chamber Director, will be present part of the time.
- March 5th – Aubrey Saltus, the new Executive Chamber Director, will begin her position. –

Community Reports:

Heartland School– Brad Best, Superintendent, reported the following:

- Jr High and High School Robotics teams both qualified for state competition
- Girls basketball wrapped up; boys play against Riverside 1st round of sub-districts
- New floor covering for Home Show includes a couple hundred carpet tiles – special use/care instructions
- Legislative update – Heartland would stand opposed to LB974, property tax relief

City – Connie Brown, City Clerk, presented the following:

- New City Police Officer, John Prusia, started position on February 3rd.
- Mike Yoder, Mark Pollet, & Don Regier currently running for Mayor; Corbin Tessman running for City Council
- Community Center – three potential locations being considered
- Ballpark restrooms – getting closer to a design

Henderson Health Care Services, Inc. – Luke Fochtman, Marketing/Public Relations

- Henderson Health Care Foundation putting on Pancake Feed at Home Show
- Community Health Fair resulted in a \$1/4 million benefit for the communities
- Tanner Steingard will be starting as a new Physical Therapist/Athletic Trainer at HHCS in March
- HHCS also promotes free dietary consultation/wellness education to interested businesses

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- Reported a \$200,000 commitment to new anhydrous equipment

Presentation: Economic Development – York County Development Corp. – Lisa Hurley

- Several topics regarding Economic Development & marketing York County were presented. Highlighted the significance of knowing your “Why” when steering efforts and making business/living decisions.

There being no other business or questions, meeting adjourned at 12:57 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Lisa Tessman, Secretary