

Share Center Board Meeting

Minutes

10/28/21

- I. Opening and Introductions:** The meeting opened at 5:35 pm. Present were Robert, Tammy, Carol, Sharon, Lawanda, Karen Heather resigned her position on the board effective immediately
- II. Meeting Minutes:** October 7 financials and board meeting minutes approved by all.
- III. Finances/Director update:** Robert explained ARPA and attended one of the meetings for community input. He put in a proposal for \$316,000. We, the board, can check the schedule to give input as a community member. Discussed the idea of a Narcan vending machine. The Substance Abuse Council is working with Summit Pointe and would like to put one at the Share Center. MDHHS will pay for the Narcan and they are writing a grant to pay for the machine. All voted to move forward. County Health Department wants to come in once per month to do a needle exchange in an office along with providing education. Robert will ask someone from there to come to a board meeting to discuss further and answer questions. Volunteer work - last Saturday the Rotary Club came to trim bushes, pull weeds and built another garden bed. put a request for volunteers on Gryphon website. Working on a Carewell Services grant for the ADA doors. September finances from today's meeting will be put in the portal and we will need to vote on them via email. Robert discussed the highlights from the meeting. Kalamazoo is getting pods for some of their homeless folks. Robert will discuss this with the homeless coalition and possibly putting in a proposal from the coalition for ARPA funds.
- IV. Next Meeting:** Due to Thanksgiving, the next meeting and the last for the year will be December 2nd.
- V. Miscellaneous:** Pastor Doug brought in 30 hamburgers that Burger King gave him. We are helping a family stay in a hotel for a couple months until they can find a place to live. A newer ransomer with

mental health issues had his car battery go dead. The above mentioned family bought her a battery.

VI. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 7:26 pm