CITY OF PORT JERVIS

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Tourism Board Meeting Minutes



April 10, 2024 at 7:00pm in the Council Chambers in City Hall

The meeting was called to order at 7:03pm by Laura Meyer.

Roll Call:

Members: Laura Meyer - Chairperson, Mike Meyer, Theresa Balogh, Terri Constantino, Jin Pang,

Councilwoman Maria Mann - Council Liaison

Public: None

Public Comment: None

City Wide Yard Sale:

The city wide yard sale will take place on May 4, 2024. Howard Wheat Engine Co. No. 4 will have lot spaces for sale at their firehouse on Owen Street. Discussion took place on having maps for the 2025 City Wide Yard Sale. The Tourism Board will look at this over the course of the year in preparation for next year.

Fabulous Fifties:

The Fabulous Fifties event will take place on June 2, 2024 from 12pm to 6pm at Riverside Park. Banners will be made for the event - one $3' \times 6'$ banner and one $4' \times 8'$ banner - advertising The Cameos. An inquiry was made as to whether Kenny Glass can provide a mobile billboard to advertise the festival. A suggestion was made to conduct a trivia game and give away prizes to winners. Tourism Board members will follow up with both of these suggestions.

Italian Festival:

The Bella Notte Italiana Festival will be held on August 17, 2024 in Veteran's Square Park. The clerk treasurer's office has approved vendor applications, and they are available for vendors to sign-up for spaces.

Fall Foliage Festival:

The Fall Folliage Festival will be held on September 22, 2024 from 10am to 5pm in the downtown area. Vendor prices will be updated.

New Event:

Discussion took place regarding hosting a new event in 2025. The Tourism Board will look into having an Easter Parade on April 19, 2025.

Open Discussion:

Terri Constantino suggested a bee festival in the future.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn at 7:50pm made by Mike Meyer, seconded by Theresa Balogh.

Next Tourism Board Meeting will be held on May 8, 2024