6/8/21 – LCA meeting notes:

Attendees:

At 7:02 Barb S. called the meeting to order. Deb B gave the invocation

You can use the used flag drop box tomorrow to dispose of your old flags.

There was a correction to the sec. report: MJ Knapp has not paid their ½ of the \$750 donation to the park fund. Johnson property has paid their \$350 portion. (They donated \$750 total together. They did not donate \$750 each.)

Treasurers report: \$36,766.66; total festival donations = \$3,975.00. This is more than $\frac{1}{2}$ of the donations raised in 2019 for the Bang.

The attendees discussed a donation to the local fire victims. Cheryl moved to donate a \$500 gift card from Walmart. Mary S. seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Tyler will figure out how to use and erect the tents. Five tents will go up at Coonies. Rhonda wants two for the run.

Update for the Bang: Cheryl got out the map and said that she found the Bang banner. She will take it to Visual Express for them to get the new Bang date on it.

Flyers with the sponsor names will be printed at least 8x12 for recognition. The car show will be held Friday night. Belgium horses will participate in the parade.

The group will need 100 Bang flyers to begin with. Deb is working with printer. 5k flyers will also be needed.

Barb discussed her conversation with Cliff Edwards of the Center St. Health department. He is not currently interested in having a Center St. medical office space in La Rue.

Barb spoke to Julie Prettyman about grant issues. The village will get their OPWC grant money on July 1. Then they will be able to access the CDBG funds.

Discussion was held about the renewal levy for the park minus language about the pool. Discussion was held about the possibility of Cares Act money coming to town. Unknown if any of this money could be used by the Village.

Barb will apply for a grant from the Marion Star. The group worked to prioritize what it would like to see accomplished first. The (general) consensus is the following:

Phase 1: play structure, benches, trash bins

Phase 2: cornhole, horse shoe pit, volleyball pavilion and the electric infrastructure

Phase 3: splash pad

The meeting adjourned at 8:43 pm