

Allied Partners- Minutes from May 21, 2019 Meeting

ATTENDANCE: Eileen Dresser, Marge Ward, Rhea Schultz, Cindy Bacon Hammer, Gloria Manadier-Farr, Wynn Davies, Ryan Estrella, Carmella Harris, Deb Annen

MINUTES-Minutes of the April meeting were approved as read.

TREASURERS REPORT- was presented and reviewed by Wynn.

EVICTION PREVENTION/JFF- Ryan Notes in the budget that there was \$5,600 in the Eviction Prevention Fund. Ryan stated that he is currently processing 5-10 applications per month for Energy Assistance. At this point there will be no Gap Lunches (possibly one day- depending on MMSD calendar.

ALLIED/ DUNN'S MARSH NEIGHBORHOOD - ALLIED COOP

Alice presented by phone. There is a need to get prizes for the Festival. The group brainstormed places to get prizes near the neighborhood. There was a motion ace/seconded/ approved to disburse \$300 from the Special Projects Fund for the 6/22 Neighborhood Festival. There is an ever present need for \$ for gas cards and bus tickets. There was a suggestion that each church partner take 1 month of gas cards and bus tickets. Wynn will forward \$75 for money spent for Easter candy.

There was a motion/seconded/approved to give \$200 for the Father's Day Dinner.

Carmella presented regarding the Walkie-Talkies walking group which meets M(T)F and has 6-21 participants. A need for water, snacks, t-shirts was discussed. A motion was made/ seconded/approved for \$150 from the Special Accounts Fund through the Wellness Center to help with this need.

Miriam was not present so there was no report on Luna's grocery.

SCHOLARSHIPS- due June 4 at JFF

OTHER BUSINESS- Cynthia begged for current information to be put in the newsletter. An idea was presented to provide an ongoing calendar in the newsletter. Carmella talked about GRCC Grandparents Raising their Children's Children Foundation.

Wynn discussed a Madison City Project that is collecting neighborhood data- Madison Neighborhood Indicators Project. He will present more at the next meeting and how this information might be helpful to our group.

NEXT MEETING - June 18 10:00 a.m. at the Boys/Girls Club.

Respectfully submitted, Deb Annen