CALL TO ORDER – Donna Mason called the meeting @ 7:01 pm

**ROLL CALL** – In attendance were Donna & Jim Mason, Dot Abbott, Janet Talbot, Tracy Johovic and Mike Wooleyhand

## ADOPTION OF AGENDA – APPROVED (Donna motioned, Janet provided a second)

**ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES** – Rick Hudson's name was misspelled. After correction, minutes were approved (*Jim motioned, Janet provided a second*)

**TREASURER'S REPORT** – Janet noted that we have a current 'suggested' budget or \$10,000. Traditionally, the Peach Festival spends approximately \$7,000/year and this number may increase due to Festival changes. To date, we have taken in \$2,880.00 and paid \$182.00 for PO Box rental, leaving a balance in our account of \$2,698.

## OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. <u>Vendor Parking</u>: Donna has contacted Mr. DiMondi about using his business parking lot, again, for Festival parking this year. She was informed that as of August, Mike Marasco will be the owner of this property. She will revisit this request with Mike Marasco before our next meeting.
- 2. <u>Town of Wyoming Fishing Derby</u>: For many years the Peach Festival Committee has provided (2) \$25 gift certificates/cards to our Police Chief as a gift towards the winners of this Derby. The committee voted to continue with this offering. Donna will pick-up the gift certificates/cards from Dick's Sporting Goods and get them to Sgt. Baker, our Acting Police Chief.
- 3. <u>Police Chief Martin Willey</u>: We were informed that Chief Willey has resigned, as of this past Sunday, and taken a position on the police force in Blades/Seaford.

## NEW BUSINESS:

- 1. <u>Sale items</u>: We need to inventory exactly what we currently have prior to ordering new items. Partial inventory was provided in the February 2022 meeting minutes. Donna & Dot volunteered to do this.
- 2. <u>Stine Amusements</u>: Jim brought to our attention that Mr. Stine, who is based in Elkton, Maryland, has expressed an interest in participating in our 2022 Peach Festival. He has amusement rides, such as kiddy cars, a small train, sky fighter, Ferris wheel, 3 game trailers, etc. **Question**: what is the fee schedule? He charges for the rides and will give us a % of the final collection ... possible charging \$1 per ticket and requiring 2 tickets/ride. **Question**: how much space does he need? After discussion, we agreed his best location would be the vacant lot south of the Town Hall parking area, since a 'petting zoo' is to be located in the vacant area next to the golf play area. He does carry his own liability insurance. We felt Mr. Stine needs to come to the next Peach Festival Committee meeting with more information. **Question**: can Mr. Stine provide a picture of his set-up for us to include in our advertising? **Question**: when would Mr. Stine begin setting-up this area?

## COMMITTEE REPORTS:

<u>Crafters/Vendors</u> – Donna noted that was currently have 58 applications received. One of these applications was for a 'community vendor' but, their business is now a 'crafter vendor' – which is a different fee. The

committee asked Donna to send them the new application and return the original application they had already provided, with a cover letter and mail as 'certified – return receipt requested'.

Entertainment – No report

Parking/Busses – Donna has contacted Dawson Bus Service and we are 'on their books'.

<u>Volunteers</u> – Town Council members will be asked to help in the Information Booth. Janet volunteered to work the 2-3 time slot.

Peach Dessert Contest - No report

Parade – No Report

Police – No report

**Publicity** – Mike Wolleyhand & Rosanne will help Audrey with this task.

**<u>Raffle</u>** – Tracy noted there is no action on this, yet.

2022 CALENDAR – Peach Festival Committee meetings: 2/16, 3/16, 4/20, 5/18, 6/15, 7/20 ... all @ 7:00 p.m.
May 15 = secure busses
July 1 = all vendor & parade applications due
July 1 = Large Wooden Peach signs placed around town
July 18 = order dumpster
August 4 = Hang 'No' Parking Signs & discuss last minute details/needs
August 5 = 8:00 am ... start marking vendor spaces = meet at Town Hall
August 6 = 2022 Town of Wyoming Peach Festival
August 17 = Wrap-up meeting

Adjourn@ 7:40 pm Respectively submitted by Dot Abbott