

Minutes CERT 4/21/21

Meeting called to order by Laura Freese , present John White, Bruce Smith, Mary Wadman, Ann King, JoAnn and Barry Campbell, Charlie Rizzo, Tom Briggie, Steve Watkins, Cathy Faggioni, David Bliss, Sharon Denson and Laura Freese.

Motion to approve minutes from March by Sharon and seconded by Steve. Motion passed.

Treasurers report. Checking \$548.54 and Savings \$844.26 for a total of \$1,392.80. Money spent since last report was for the decals.

Sharon informed us that Publix has committed to a \$200.00 donation and we should have it in four to six weeks.

Trailer Update from David, looking for location/s to move trailer in the event of a hurricane hit, checking with Red Cross.

Steve reported that the decals on the trailer were faded and needed to be replaced. John White to check on. When tires are replaced, need to put something under tires to keep off ground.

Motion to buy CERT HAM radio equipment was reaffirmed

Bruce Smith made a motion to purchase a computer for the CERT training class up to \$400.00. Second by David. Motion passed.

JoAnn showed us a sign that residents can place in their windows after a disaster, one side was green with OK on it the other was red with HELP. Sign printed on 8x10 paper.

CERT article for Tribune discussed. Put CERT sign up in article.

Distribution of literature at Post Office discussed a schedule to be created after the May meeting, members were asked to bring their availability to the next meeting.

Motion made by Sharon for Steve to take two of the new decals to use until June 1st on the Cushman to advertise CERT. Seconded by David. Steve to return to either Sharon or Laura by June 1st. Motion passed.

David took remainder of the decals to fix a frame to attach to golf carts. He suggested an apparatus to attach to the roof of the golf carts and was acceptable to the members. He will work on it.

Discussion of the movie night as a fund raiser was tabled.

Breakfasts discussed and the possibility of the silent auction was approved. Mary Wadman suggested for the February breakfast they have some valentine decorations. Approved.

Sharon explained the 501 status, cost, purpose.

The CERT certification classes to be held starting the 4th of May and running for all of May and the first four Tuesdays in June.

Sharon asked the woodshop members to gather up some small scrap wood for a training project.

Motion to adjourn at 11:15 by Steve, second David. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted.

Sharon Denson for Mary Lou Smith