



VILLAGE OF DOWNS

Village Hall
211 S. Seminary St.
PO Box 18
Downs, IL 61736

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Village of Downs Events Committee Special Meeting Agenda January 28th, 2021 6:00 pm via Zoom & Village Hall

Agenda

1. Call to Order at 6:11 pm
2. Roll Call
 - a. Ken Kasprzak, Cyndi Miller, Steve Miller, Julie James, Mike James – Present
 - b. Jill Kasprzak – Absent
 - c. Quorum to business was declared
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Discussion
 - a. FY2021 Budget Review
 1. 5k Race Funding
 1. Mike covered what they had in the bank. They plan were to fund raise for a local business. We talked about the businesses in Downs.
 2. They haven't distributed the funding but are struggling with what to do
 3. Committee discussed what to do and determined they just need to make a decision
 2. Other Budget was covered
 - b. Easter Breakfast and Egg Hunt
 1. March 27th is the scheduled date
 2. Need to talk with the Churches to see what they want to do. Mike will contact them to ask.
 3. It was decided if the churches cancel the egg hunt then we will also cancel the breakfast
 4. Ken will still be the easter bunny
 5. Didn't think we had a big turnout and will use shopping list from 2019.
 - c. FY2022 Plan and Budget
 1. HH will be pretty much the same budget as it was last year
 2. Car show will be a Cruise-In and they have no problem with continuing
 3. Garage Sales Days – 4/30-5/2, 2021, 6/4-6, 2021
 4. Clean-up Day – 6/5/2021
 5. Freedom Run – 6/26/2021
 6. 4th of July – Sunday
 7. Haunted House – Oct 1&2, 8&9, 15&16, 22&23, 29&30, 31st Un-haunt day
 8. Cookies with Santa – Dec 4&5, 2021



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9. Easter April 9, 2022
 10. Committees:
 1. Need 1 member of sub-committees to be a part of overall committee
 1. 4th and Freedom Run
 2. Need 4th of July sub-committee
 3. Easter?
 - d. Other
 1. Fireworks show is complete and ready for this year 2021
 5. New Business
 - a. Motion to Approve Meeting Minutes for August 13, 2020 (Steve / Ken 5-0)
 - b. Motion to Approve Direction with Haunted House Conference(s) – No Action
 6. Old Business
 7. Motion to Adjourn at 6:51 pm (Cyndi / Steve 5-0)