



## MEETING MINUTES | July 25, 2023

The July business meeting for the Trenton Chamber of Commerce was called to order by Victoria Zahn, President, at Trenton House.

**PRESENT:** President Victoria Zahn, VP/Secretary Linda Loepker, Treasurer Dennis Herzig, Tom and Linda Peppenhorst, Joyce Emig, Chuck Gebke, Brent Frey, and Steve Wallace.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:** Linda Peppenhorst asked that the profits for the Golf Scramble be added to the June minutes. Profit was \$4,165.46 for 2023, compared to \$2,963.96 for 2022. Steve Wallace motioned to approve, and Joyce Emig seconded.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** The June financial report reflected the following balances. Chuck Gebke motioned to approve; seconded by Linda Peppenhorst.

Community Bank.....	\$50,967.78	General Fund
Scott Credit Union.....	\$5,062.67	Trenton Dollars
Scott Credit Union.....	<u>3,674.01</u>	Share Account
TOTAL .....	<u>\$59,704.46</u>	

**BIG GREEN EGG WINNER:** The original winner of the Big Green Egg has been unresponsive to numerous attempts to contact him. Jay Hilmes was randomly chosen as the second winner.

**BASE 215:** Victoria Zahn will be attending the Youth Fashion Show on July 29.

### COMMUNITY EVENTS:

1. TrentonFest Parade – August 19
  - a. Sheila Heuer and Linda Loepker will be presenting the chamber in the August 19 parade. Additional members are welcome to attend; please reach out to Linda at 618.444.3031 if interested.
2. Harvest Hop – Oct. 14
  - a. The group voted to sponsor Tyler Kohrs to provide this year's music.
  - b. Joyce and Victoria Zahn will represent the chamber at a sponsored booth this year.
3. Halloween – October 27
  - a. Extra crossing guards will be needed this year to ensure the safety of attendees.
4. Power Hour
  - a. The next Power Hour will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 13 from 8 to 9 a.m. Location and topic are to be determined.

**NEW BUSINESS:** The City of Trenton is gearing up for Christmas decorations at the park. Part of the decorations will include small, decorated houses sponsored by local businesses.

**OTHER:** Chamber member door stickers have arrived; please reach out to Linda Loepker at 618.444.3031 to arrange for delivery.

**AUGUST MEETING:** The August business meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 22, 6 p.m. at Lucky Lefty's, 2 W. Broadway, Trenton.

Tom Peppenhorst motioned to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Brent Frey.