



**Osseo Commercial Club Meeting
Northwoods Brew Pub
Tuesday, November 28th, 2017**

19 Attendees

1. Call to Order 6:30pm – President Steve Aleckson
 2. Secretary’s Report – Gennifer Jesunas
 - Motion to Accept: Naomi Bodway
 - 2nd: Terri Swett
 - Accepted Unanimously
 3. Treasurer’s Report –Mark Diehl
 - Checking: \$7,679.70
 - Money Market: \$20,093.67
 - Motion to Accept: Erin Everson
 - 2nd: Terri Swett
 4. Correspondents:
 5. Old Business:
 - a. Christmas lights in Central Park
 - Great turnout – thanks to everyone who helped!
 - Do we want to have a committee to look into how much it would cost to buy new lights??
 - Maybe leave the old stuff in Central Park and put new stuff in Stoddard Park?
 - i. Does Stoddard Park have electricity?
 - Maybe have a city-wide fundraiser
 - Who checks the lights if they go out?
 - Should we put the stuff we’re not using out for sale?
 - Plan to discuss more at the January meeting
 - b. Christmas Parade
 - 43 units
 - Great weather
 - \$573 made on the 50/50 raffle
 - No one claimed the fire ring – going to post the winning ticket on Facebook
 - c. Committee updates
- Marketing-
- Membership-
- Invites will be ordered next week
 - A few minor adjustments:
 - Silver will also be able to host meetings



- Meetings will now be called “Business After Hours”
- Gold membership will now include hiring posts and boosts on Facebook and a 10% discount on club events
- All members will receive a welcome letter with access to the member only section on our website along with a window cling

-Fundraising

- Next year, plan to do the Golf Outing, Duck Float, Packer Raffle
- Open to other ideas
- Suggestions:
 - Christmas time toy or coat drives
 - Bunny Hop 5K Race – Maybe in conjunction with the Lions Club Easter Egg Hunt and/or the Queens Chili or Hot Dog Feed at the Palladium and Brew Fest at The Condensary (April 14th)
- Events Happening in Town:
 - Sleigh of Giving will be happening again this year – sponsored by 4-H youth kids
 - December 9 – Christmas for Kids at Northwoods tag team with Trempealeau County Cops
 - December 14 – Cheers for a Cure at Northwoods, 5 – 10 pm
 - Supports the Muscular Dystrophy Association
 - Food, Drinks, Live music
 - Silent Auction
 - Do we want to do a \$500 sponsorship donation?
 - We could raffle off the tickets we receive
 - Motion made to buy 4 tickets to raffle off on Facebook by Brandon Leinon
 - Motion accepted unanimously
 - Giving Trees at both United and Alliance Banks

6. New Business

a. Job Fair

- a. Looking at March 2018
- b. Commercial Club & others willing to help:
 - i. Naomi Bodway
 - ii. Nancy Dewitz
 - iii. Patti Matthews (non-member that was interested in helping)
 - iv. Amy Freiberg

Total Title is putting on an educational class at The Willows on December 14th

Free Event

Promote on our Facebook page

Put on by an attorney

7. Next meeting:

- Monday, January 22nd, 2017, 6:30 p.m., Osseo Golf Club

8. Adjourn

- Motion: Erin Everson
- 2nd: Jessica Leinon