



**Osseo Commercial Club Meeting  
Osseo Golf Club  
Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

1. Call to Order 6:30pm– President Steve Aleckson
2. Benny with Visit Eau Claire
  - Working with the city with new room tax
  - Made new Osseo website
  - Will help designate tax dollars for events, marketing, local businesses, etc
  - Contact information [benny@visiteauclaire.com](mailto:benny@visiteauclaire.com) 715-214-7603
3. Secretary's Report – Tia Anderson
  - Motion to Accept: Nancy Dewitz
  - 2<sup>nd</sup>: Jack Vold
  - Accepted Unanimously
4. Treasurer's Report –Mark Diehl
  - Checking: \$13,252.48
  - Money Market: \$20,435.01
  - Motion to Accept: Jim Cialdini
  - 2<sup>nd</sup>: Nancy Dewitz
  - Accepted Unanimously
5. Correspondence-Steve Aleckson
  - Thank you letters from scholarships
  - Thank you from OFSD for donating to Osseo-Fairchild Food Program
6. Donation Requests
  - Garber Band Shell
    - 5inx8in plaque for \$250
    - Will vote next meeting
7. Old Business
  - Holiday Lites
    - Got in the arch & snowman family
    - NHS kids & boy scouts will help set up and take down again
    - Unsure on Parade due to COVID-19. Hope to hear more next meeting
  - Pines Recap
    - Done with 2<sup>nd</sup> cutting minus 4 acres due to weather.
    - \$11,752 total
    - 4 acres will add another \$2,000-2,500. Late fall/winter when its finished
    - 2025 last cutting with this program. Then we can resign up or look at other options.
  - Golf Outing Report
    - Total: \$6,815- from golf teams, dinners, packages, 50/50, hole sponsors
    - Paid out \$1,000 for winners, Paid golf course about \$2,000
    - Total expenses: \$3,348
    - Total Profit: \$3,467
  - Committee Updates



- Memberships/Marketing- Obviously down in membership since we cancelled our membership drive in March due to COVID-19. Looking at doing a fall event. Will finalize details at October Meeting
  - Club's Mission Statement- What else can we offer to our members? We have many opportunities to the club with multipurpose trails, Visit Eau Claire, etc but not enough members to fully dive into any projects. If we host a fall event, can we reach out to businesses and see what interested them... what benefits are they interested in.
    1. Consulting/Education
    2. Marketing/Events
    3. Networking
  - Multi-Purpose Trail
    - Shared information with Visit Eau Claire. Benny will share some contacts from Eau Claire that have worked on similar projects and trails. Maybe there is a connection there.
8. New Business:
- Cause Camp- Webinar for non-profits. If anyone is interested, Curt would stream it at The Nickel. October 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> 9am-12:30pm
9. Next Meeting: Monday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020 @ 6:30pm... Location TBA
10. Adjourn at 8:12pm