Germantown Economic Development Advisory Committee Agenda 8/28/2020 at 9am on Zoom

Attendance: Pippa Biddle, Ben Davidson, Tony Albino

Review minutes from last meeting (6/26/20) Approved; Tony Second; Ben

# **OLD BUSINESS**

# 1. Flyer Update

Need to finish editing the flyer so that it can get done. Need photographs. Send all at once. Would be nice to do in the next month. Karen has agreed to print the whole thing for free. Tony \$500 for Doug.

Include people in all photos.

# 2. Business list update

Do we have any new businesses to add to our master list and the Flyer? NO

# 3. GEDAC Instagram

Any updates? NO

## 4. Movie Nights and other events

Amy: NY State positive tests are down. Could there be an end of summer film at Palatine? Tickets? Passes? But it's also the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of August, so when would it happen.

Genette: Could it be a fundraiser? Benefit? Something to support the community? Pippa: Will email Beaury about interest/options. Partner with others committees?

Ben: If there is a possibility, we should look into FunFlicks. Rental service for outdoor movie theater equipment that would allow us to have it over a larger area than under the pavilion.

Amy: Are we not permitted to have nonessential crowds not over 50? Need to look into this.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

## AirBNB

General discussion of AirBnB's and their role in local business. How can we have conversations with these small businessowners? A communication line would give them a platform for sharing issues and having important conversations that are now hard to have because we don't have an avenue.

## **Small Business Grant**

Amy spoke to another businessowner, and there was a feeling that everyone from Main Street got a grant. Pippa will send the press release that states who received grants. 4 of the 11 recipients were Main Street businesses.

Next Meeting: September 25<sup>th</sup>, 9am

Motion to adjourn: Ben Second: Tony