



George Washington Birthday Celebration Committee Alexandria, Virginia

Minutes for Monday, November 14, 2022 7:00pm

Attendance: Edgar Bates, Claire Bennett, Colin Eilts, Sally Graham, Jeanne Jacob, Susan Johnson, Carol Myers, Jason Reardon, Marshall Smith, Tyler Vanice, Sandra Welch, Patrick Wilson, Robert Garbacz, Nicole Quinn

Excused: Kristen Eastlick, Michele Longo

Absent: Stephen Konya, Marion Moon

1. Meeting Called to Order at 7:01pm
2. Motion made, seconded, and approved to accept the October 17, 2022 minutes
3. Officer/Committee Reports
 - Cherry Challenge website is open, and 185 flyers have been sent to local restaurants
 - Motion was made, seconded, and approved to hold a fundraiser at the Duvall House on February 11, 2023
4. Unfinished Business
 - Grand Marshal – Mr. George Seghers, Executive Director of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial, accepted the invitation to be the 2023 GWB Parade Grand Marshal
 - Parade route change must be approved by the City Council; vote is expected at the December 13, 2022 Council meeting
 - February 2023 Schedule of Events listing is ready for publication
5. New Business
 - Parade day volunteer list disseminated; each committee member requested to identify preferred activities/assignments
 - George Washington Legacy Foundation Grant Request – motion was made, seconded, and approved to submit the \$50,000 grant request to the foundation for parade expenses
6. For the Good of the Cause: Let Bob Garbacz know if anyone has newer model or classic cars that can be used for driving dignitaries in the parade
7. Public Comment: None
8. Meeting adjourned at 8:26pm
9. Next meeting is December 19, 2022