



## Regular Monthly Meeting

Wednesday, November 13, 2024

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### Attendees:

Erica Reif (President), Michelle Shaw (Secretary), Logan Richmond (Assistant Secretary), Kathy McQueen, Lori Kemp, Matt Volz, Ric Aymen.

1. **Call to Order:** President Erica Reif called the meeting to order at 12:07 p.m.
2. **Treasurer's Report:** An overview was reviewed by members. Lori Kemp motioned to accept the Treasurer's Report, seconded by Logan Richmond. Motion carried.
3. **Minutes:** Meeting minutes from the October 9, 2024, Michelle Shaw motioned to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Lori Kemp. Motion carried.

### Unfinished Business:

1. **Casino Night Fundraiser:** Rescheduled to March 22, 2025. Only 224 tickets will be sold (28 tables)
2. **2025 Yearly Events Budget:** (Tabled to Next Meeting)
  - a. Easter
  - b. Ladies Day Out
  - c. Back 2 School Supply Drive
  - d. Fall Harvest Celebration
  - e. Fall Decorating Contest
  - f. Trunk or Treat
  - g. Kickoff to Christmas Sales
  - h. Laker Giving Tree
  - i. Town Lighting/Santa
  - j. Town Lighting Contest
3. **2025 Membership Stickers:** Will be ordered

### Previous Event Summaries:

1. **Trunk or Treat: (Oct 31)** This year was a little slower than normal throughout town.
  - a. Location discussion was held to keep the indoor location at the Farmer's Market Building instead of at the Pigeon Event Center.

### New Business:

1. **Kickoff to Christmas:** This year the Pigeon Chamber spent \$225 for 10-60 second ads for only 4 businesses to participate.
  - a. **Next year:** A discussion was held to dedicate these resources to Small Business Saturday.

**2. Town Lighting/Santa:**

- a. Thumb Bank requested the following donations:
  - i. \$300.00 for Santa & Mrs. Clause – motioned by Lori Kemp, seconded by Michelle Shaw, motion carried.
  - ii. \$250.00 in Pigeon Money to be used to purchase 10-\$25 Gift Cards from local businesses for teen prizes – motioned by Michelle Shaw, seconded by Kathy McQueen, motion carried.
  - iii. \$802.00 check to Harjo's for 100 Toy giveaways for children – motioned by Logan Richmond, seconded by Kathy McQueen, motion carried.
  - iv. \$150.00 for Fae Laume Photography as thank you for the photography – motioned by Lori Kemp, seconded by Logan Richmond, motion carried.
- b. Motion to return Necklaces was motioned by Michelle Shaw, seconded by Lori Kemp. Motion carried.
- c. Left over \$10 gifts from this year will be used for drawing next year.

**3. Town Lighting Contest:**

- a. Residential Contest (\$100, \$50, \$25 in Pigeon Money)
- b. Business Contest (\$100, \$50, \$25 in Pigeon Money)
- c. All registrations will be done on the Pigeon Chamber Website.
- d. An anonymous judge will be selected.

4. **Small Business Saturday (November 30, 2024):** Motion was made to allocate 3-\$20 Pigeon Money for Mystery Shoppers to hand out by Lori Kemp, seconded by Michelle Shaw. Motion carried.

5. **Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned at 1:32 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

*Michelle Shaw*

Michelle Shaw, Secretary