

**KILKENNY CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING
June 9, 2022**

There was a special meeting of the Kilkenny City Council in Council Chambers starting at 6:00 p.m. on June 9, 2022.

Council in attendance: Cameron Hankins, Terry Ferch, Bob Busta, Tammy Holicky, and Julie Balfe

Staff in attendance: Marissa Johnson-City Clerk

Persons in attendance: Lori Stoering, Shell Johnson, Darrell Knish, Dan Knish, Tina Knish, Lacey DeYoung, Steve Rutt and Mike Pavek.

1. **Call to Order:** Mayor Cameron Hakins called the meeting to order at 6 pm,
2. **Pledge of Allegiance:**
3. **Approval of agenda.** Motion by Tammy Holicky, seconded by Terry Ferch to approve the agenda as written. Unanimous vote. Motion carried.
4. **Announcements:** None
5. **Discussion on how to enhance our twinning for the 10th anniversary:** Discuss more next meeting on the Cemetery tour and including the Hibernians with a culture area.
6. **Halfway to St. Paddy's Day**
 - A. **Date:** Saturday September 10, 2022
 - B. **Volunteers:**
 - C. **Fun Run/Walk-3Mile:**
 - 1) Chairman: Tammy Holicky
 - 2) Start time:
 - 3) Cost: (\$20 13 and up, \$15 under 13)
 - 4) Water table and fruit at the finish line
 - 5) Separate shirts for the 10th anniversary
 - D. **Parade:**
 - 1) Chairman: Janice Sellner
 - 2) Time: 1pm
 - 3) Route: Line up behind St. Canice Church – go down Laurel Ave and turn around in Knish Court
 - 4) Participants:
 - a) Highschool Bands:
 - b) Shriners:
 - E. **Craft/Home Business:**
 - 1) Chairman: Janice Sellner will take applications
 - 2) Location: City Lot
 - 3) Size of Space: 12x12
 - 4) Available Spaces: 25
 - 5) Fee: (\$40)

F. City Booth:

- 1) Chairman: Julie Balfe (Mark & Nick set up and need volunteers to run booth)
- 2) Items: Hoodies, T-Shirts, Buttons, and Hurling Sticks
- 3) Green/Gray hoodies – 2/\$40 and free t-shirt

G. Button Design: Julie Balfe 150**H. Food Vendors:**

- 1) Chairman: Janice Sellner
- 2) Fee: \$150 (set up Friday before?)
- 3) Johnny Smokin' BBQ(8x20), Pizzeria 201(20x20), and Knights of Columbus (wrist bands for beer)
- 4) Toy Box Saloon – wrist bands for beer

I. Toilet Bowl Races:

- 1) Chairman: Mark Pittman/Nick Stangler
- 2) Get a sponsor for the event – they can have a team at no charge
- 3) Advertise cash prize
 - a) 1st – toilet lid and \$150
 - b) 2nd – toilet seat and \$100
 - c) 3rd – plunger and \$50
- 4) Wrist bands for beer

J. Kids Activities:

- 1) Chairman: Marissa Johnson
- 2) Location: City Lot - North
- 3) Time: 10am – 3pm

K. Sponsorships:

- 1) Bronze \$50: 1
- 2) Silver \$100: 5
- 3) Gold \$200: 0
- 4) Platinum \$250+: 0

L. Entertainment/Bands:

- 1) Chairman: Cameron Hankins
- 2) Bands:
 - a) Shenanigans: Noon – 4pm
 - b) Andrew McGuinness: 4pm – 8pm
 - c) Blue Ringers: 8pm – Late
- 3) Sound Equipment: Tom Little
- 4) Freedom Stage \$1100

M. Evening Entertainment/Fireworks-Tim Bosse:

- 1) Chairman: Terry Ferch
- 2) Price:

N. Car/Bike/Tractor Show: (Knish Kustomz Halfway to St. Paddy's Day Car Show)

- 1) Chairman: Dan Knish
- 2) Location: Across Toy Box Saloon down past Buds Standard
- 3) Time: 9AM – 2PM
- 4) Grab Bags: Bob Busta
- 5) Trophies and plaques: Car -3, Bike-3, truck-3, ratrod-3, Tractor-best in show
- 6) Announcer/music: (Larry Jindra)

O. Advertisement:

- 1) Businesses:
 - a) Bud's Standard
 - b) Bank
 - c) Toy Box
- 2) Newspapers:
 - a) Montgomery
 - b) Faribault
 - c) Le Center
 - d) Waterville
- 3) Radio
 - a) KOWZ
 - b) KCHK (Live interview?)
- 4) Start when?

P. Banners and Posters: CHANGE DATES

- 1) Two banners at Kilkenny Rd. and Dodd intersection.
- 2) Two posters placed below North and South ends of Kilkenny Rd. city limit signs.
- 3) Three Pepsi banners locations:
 - a) Highway 13 by Hwy 2 (Le Center)
 - b) Tom Murrays Highway Motors in Montgomery
 - c) J&L Bottles/Phil-Mart on Highway 13 in Waterville
- 4) Thank You banner can be reused and adjusted as needed.

Q. Port-a-Potty and Hand Washing Station Rentals: (Last year-2021)

- 1) Handicapped: \$105 – 2
- 2) Regular: \$49 – 7
- 3) Hand Washing: \$75 – 2

R. Guest Accommodations: Marissa will write a formal letter to Kilkenny, Ireland and invite Mayors from the past 10 years to join. Tammy will reach out to residents about housing, or we can use a camper.

S. Appreciation Meal: Toy Box Saloon Friday before at 4pm

T. Next Halfway Meeting: Motion by Tammy Holicky, seconded by Bob Busta to set the next Halfway to St. Paddy's Day Meeting for July 14, 2022 at 6pm. Unanimous vote. Motion carried.

U. Adjourn: Motion by Terry Ferch, seconded by Julie Balfe to adjourn the meeting at 6:45pm. Unanimous vote. Motion carried.

Cameron Hankins, Mayor

Marissa Johnson, City Clerk