

**KILKENNY CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING
September 1, 2022**

There was a special meeting of the Kilkenny City Council in Council Chambers starting at 6:00 p.m. on September 1, 2022.

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

Staff in attendance: Marissa Johnson, Janice Sellner

Persons in attendance: Lori Stoering, Dan Knish, and Lacey DeYoung

1. **Call to Order:** Mayor Cameron Hankins called the meeting to order at 6 pm.
2. **Pledge of Allegiance:**
3. **Approval of agenda.** Motion by Terry Ferch, seconded by Bob Busta to approve the agenda as written. Unanimous vote. Motion carried.
4. **Announcements:** Jason Holicky will set up 10 barricades. 20 trash bins will be scattered about. Electric Inspection of \$80.00 for stage and Knights of Columbus. A Deputy is \$60 to \$75 an hour. Nick G. recommended start at 6/7pm to 2am. Cameron will talk to Knights of Columbus about hours.
5. **Discussion on how to enhance our twinning for the 10th anniversary:** Hibernians will have two booths to promote Irish heritage.
6. **Halfway to St. Paddy's Day**
 - A. **Date:** Saturday September 10, 2022
 - B. **Volunteers:**
 - C. **Fun Run/Walk-3Mile:** *Hot Cocoa bombs- hand out
 - 1) Chairman: Tammy Holicky
 - 2) Cost: (\$20 13 and up, \$15 under 13)
 - 3) Water table and fruit at the finish line
 - 4) Separate shirts for the 10th anniversary
 - D. **Parade:** 34 Participants
 - 1) Chairman: Lori Stoering and Janice Sellner
 - 2) Route: Line up behind St. Canice Church – go down Laurel Ave and turn around in Knish Court.
 - 3) Participants: (Tara will need to write checks for them day of)
 - a) TCU Band: \$300
 - b) Shriners: \$750.00
 - c) Bag Piper: \$200
 - 4) NO PARKING signs at both church entrances – parade participants only
 - 5) Announcing – Nick Stangler
 - 6) Grand Marshals – Ken and Jolene Balfe
 - E. **Craft/Home Business:**
 - 1) Chairman: Janice Sellner
 - 2) Vendors: 9 (11 spots)

F. City Booth: (\$160 - \$1, \$5, \$10, \$20 and a roll of Quarters)

- 1) Chairman: Bob Busta and Julie Balfe
- 2) Items: Hoodies, T-Shirts, Buttons, and Hurling Sticks

G. Food Vendors:

- 1) Chairman: Janice Sellner
- 2) Fee: \$150
- 3) Johnny Smokin' BBQ(8x20), Pizzeria 201(20x20), and Knights of Columbus (wrist bands for beer) and Al from snack shack might come
- 4) Toy Box Saloon – wrist bands for beer – Lacey bought plastic snap wrist bands

H. 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 – Todd supply beer and Mark supply pop

I. Kids Activities:

- 1) Chairman: Marissa Johnson
- 2) Games: \$1.00
 - a) Duck Pond
 - b) Ring Toss
 - c) Wiffle Ball Toss
 - d) Plinko
 - e) Toilet Roll Toss

J. Sponsorships:

- 1) Bronze \$50: 6
- 2) Silver \$100: 15
- 3) Gold \$200: 6
- 4) Platinum \$250+: 25

K. Entertainment/Bands:

- 1) Chairman: Cameron Hankins
- 2) Bands:
 - a) Shenanigans: Noon – 4pm - \$400
 - b) Andrew McGuinness: 4pm – 8pm - \$700
 - c) Blue Ringers: 8pm – Late - \$3,000 (sound equipment for parade and toilet bowl races)
- 3) Sound Equipment: Tom Little – Marissa will contact Tom with both bands information
- 4) Freedom Stage Rentals - \$1100

L. Evening Entertainment/Fireworks-Tim Bosse:

- 1) Chairman: Terry Ferch
- 2) Price \$5000.00

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

- 1) Chairman: Dan Knish and Julie Balfe
- 2) Location: Across Toy Box Saloon down past Buds Standard
- 3) Grab Bags: Bob Busta *Coffee Bags-hand out
- 4) Trophies : Car -3, Bike-3, truck-3, ratrod-3, Tractor-best in show
- 5) Announcer/music: (Larry Jindra \$200)

N. Advertisement:

- 1) Radio
 - a) KCHK \$265
 - (a) Andrew will attend an in-person interview on September 9th at 9:45 AM

O. Banners and Posters: Janice

- 1) Thank You banner can be reused.
 - a) Where is thank you banner and who will adjust as needed.

P. Johnny on the Spot: \$680

- 1) Handicapped: 2
- 2) Standard: 7
- 3) Hand Washing: 2
- 4) Locations:
 - a) 1 handicap, 3 regular , 1 handwashing @ southside of Bank
 - b) 1 handicap, 4 regular, 1 handwashing @ Buds -Janice will talk with Gene

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Q. Groundmasters:

- 1) Mosquito spraying – week of (Gordie will supervise)
- 2) Street sweeping – scheduled for 9/7 - \$885.00

R. Guest Accommodations: Andrew and Eoin are arriving Thursday September 8th and leave Monday September 12th. Erin and Danny will host starting Friday September 9th. Kevin Taaffe will host them Thursday night.

S. Appreciation Meal: At Toy Box Saloon on Friday the 9th at 4-6pm.

T. Next Halfway Meeting: Motion by Tammy Holicky, seconded by Terry Ferch to set the next Halfway to St. Paddy's Day Meeting for Thursday, September 8th at 6 pm. Unanimous vote. Motion carried.

U. Adjourn: Motion by Julie Balfe, seconded by Bob Busta to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 pm. Unanimous vote. Motion carried.

Cameron Hankins, Mayor

Marissa Johnson, City Clerk