

**KILKENNY CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING
September 8, 2022**

There was a special meeting of the Kilkenny City Council in Council Chambers starting at 6:00 p.m. on September 8, 2022.

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

Staff in attendance: Marissa Johnson-Clerk

Persons in attendance: Nick Stangler, Lori Stoering, Dan Knish, Darrel Knish, Lacey DeYoung, Janice Sellner, Mark Pittman, Ann Rosario

1. **Call to Order:** Mayor Cameron Hankins called the meeting to order at 6:02 pm.
2. **Pledge of Allegiance:**
3. **Approval of agenda.** Motion by Terry Ferch, seconded by Tammy Holicky to approve the agenda as written. Unanimous vote. Motion carried.
4. **Announcements:** Marissa has been in contact with the Old County Boys for Halfway in 2023.
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:**
 - 1) Chairman: Tammy Holicky
 - 2) Water table and fruit at the finish line
 - 3) Pick up shirts Friday night
 - D. **Parade:**
 - 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) NO PARKING signs at both church entrances – parade participants only
 - 4) Announcing – Nick Stangler
 - 5) Grand Marshals – Ken and Jolene Balfe
 - E. **Craft/Home Business:**
 - 1) Chairman: Janice Sellner
 - 2) Vendors: 7 (10 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 – Picked shirts up Tuesday

G. Food Vendors:

- 1) Chairman: Janice Sellner
- 2) Fee: \$150
- 3) Johnny Smokin' BBQ(8x20) will set up Friday night. Pizzeria 201(20x20) and Knights of Columbus will set up Saturday Morning.

H. Toilet Bowl Races:

- 1) Chairman: Mark Pittman/Nick Stangler
- 2) Wrist bands for beer – Todd supply beer and Mark supply pop

I. Kids Activities:

- 1) Chairman: Marissa Johnson
- 2) Will use Lori's water to fill duck pond.

J. Entertainment/Bands:

- 1) Chairman: Cameron Hankins
- 2) Bands:
 - a) Shenanigans: Noon – 4pm
 - b) Andrew McGuinness: 4pm – 8pm
 - c) Blue Ringers: 8pm – Late (sound equipment for parade and toilet bowl races)
- 3) Sound Equipment: Tom Little – 3pm Friday
- 4) Freedom Stage Rentals - \$1100

K. Evening Entertainment/Fireworks-Tim Bosse:

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

L. 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
- 6) Pull out \$100 in \$10 bills

M. Advertisement:

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

N. Thank You Banner: Janice

- 1) Thank You banner can be reused.

O. Johnny on the Spot:

- 1) Locations:
 - a) 1 handicap, 3 regular , 1 handwashing @ southside of Bank
 - b) 1 handicap, 4 regular, 1 handwashing @ Buds

P. Groundmasters:

- 1) Mosquito spraying – week of (Gordie will supervise)
- 2) Street sweeping – scheduled for 9/7 but completed on 9/8

Q. 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.

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

S. Adjourn: Motion by Terry Ferch, seconded by Bob Busta to adjourn the meeting at 6:20 pm. Unanimous vote. Motion carried.

Cameron Hankins, Mayor

Marissa Johnson, City Clerk