



**Painesville Community Improvement Corporation  
General Membership Meeting  
Monday, March 8, 2010  
Hemphill Room – YMCA**

**In Attendance:**

**Members:**

**Tom Faehnle**

**Pam Harting**

**Joel Guthleben**

**Les Nelson**

**Gabe Cicconetti**

**Jean Manary**

**Tony Gagliardi**

**Debra Fitzgerald**

**Pam Morse**

**Guest:**

**Patti Erixson**

**The meeting was called to order at 4:05 p.m. by President Tom Faehnle. Around the room introductions were made for our guest, Patti Erixson.**

**Secretary's Report:**

**The minutes of the February 8, 2010 minutes were approved by unanimous vote as submitted following a motion by Pam Harting, seconded by Tony Gagliardi.**

**Treasurer's Report:**

**The Treasurer's Report for the period ending February 28, 2010 was approved by unanimous vote as submitted following a motion by Joel Guthleben, seconded by Jean Manary.**



### **Committee Reports:**

**Before any reports were given Tom Faehnle apologized for not sending out Committee Descriptions and promised that he would do it this week.**

### **Beautification:**

**Jean Manary reported that we're going to use Middle Ridge Nursery in Madison this year for flowers for the hanging baskets. Ed at Madison Avenue Greenhouse didn't give us the colors we wanted last year and said if we're doing the flowers we should coordinate colors.**

**Tom Faehnle then reported that there is a Trustees Meeting on Thursday, so our budget should be approved then.**

**Pam Harting reported the need for volunteers at the upcoming Easter Egg Hunt. Patti Erixson volunteered to work it and also to take pictures that we can use on our website.**

### **Party in the Park:**

**Pam Harting announced that "we're having a party and need all the help we can get. Good things are happening". The billboards are paid for but we could use sponsors for them. We need some Saturday and Sunday band sponsors. Tony Gagliardi asked for a complete list of what is available. There is bad news also – University Hospital will not be participating – a \$5,000.00 loss. Lake Health is in for \$2,500.00. Leroy Thompson Choppers is in**



**and Petapalooza is not definite yet; we need to talk with the county.**

**A second Singer/Songwriter has been added to the Community Stage on Saturday. Pam said we are discussing a lot of artistic venues. Edwin Loeb will be the emcee of the Community Stage and we are looking for an Art Director. Maryhelen Gilkey will not be with us and that is a major loss. A motorcycle run has been added as part of "Hunt for the Cure". They are raffling a \$65,000.00 bike at Party in the Park and are pre-selling tickets at \$15.00 apiece. Johnathon Hillstrand is coming in on Thursday for TV spots and through the Chinese auction he is raffling a tour with him on "Deadliest Catch". Debra Fitzgerald suggested some silent auction items along with the Chinese auction.**

**Old Business: None**

**New Business:**

**Pam said we have a request from Downtown Painesville Organization to sponsor Art in the Park on August 21, 2010. We usually give them \$250.00. The City of Painesville Economic Development office requested a \$250.00 sponsorship for their Holiday Appreciation event.**

**The next meeting will be on Monday, April 12 at 4:00 p.m. in the Hemphill Room of the YMCA. The meeting was adjourned at 4:57 p.m.**

**Respectfully submitted, *Joel Guthleben*, Secretary**