

**Annandale Area Chamber of Commerce
Membership Meeting Minutes
October 12, 2016, 11:30 a.m.
Spilled Grain Brewhouse**

Shari Danzeisen called the meeting to order at 11:45 a.m. Attendance: 26

Introductions:

Adoption/Amendment of Agenda: Denise Froehlich moved to approve the agenda, Jeremy Wheeler seconds the motion. Motion carried.

Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes: David Burd made a motion to accept the minutes of the September 14th meeting. Alyssa Domagala seconds the motion. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: No Report.

Committee Reports:

- **Membership Committee** – Membership letters will be emailed & mailed out by the end of October.
- **Business Expo** – No Report.
- **All-City Garage Sale** – No Report.
- **Chili Cook-Off** – No Report
- **Queen's Committee** – The next event will take place at Anoka's Halloween Festival. The royalty will also be helping with the Chamber's Trick or Treat event on Halloween. If you would like further information on events or have questions, please contact Wendy Sylvester.
- **Fourth Of July Committee** – Next year the Armadillo's will be back again for the evening entertainment on the 4th of July. More volunteers are needed. If you would like to participate or help with any events, please contact John Volden or visit the Chamber's website at www.annandale4thofjuly.org for more information.
- **Golf Tournament** – No Report.
- **Halloween** – The pumpkin signs are now available for chamber businesses/members to hang in their windows for trick or treating. Chamber members are also encouraged to join in on main street if they would like. Main street will be blocked off again from 3-5pm for this event.
- **Halftime Challenge** – The new schedule will be coming out soon.
- **New Year's Eve Ball Drop** – The ball drop will take place on December 31, 2016 at 9pm this year. The earlier time will hopefully allow more families to participate that may have younger children. Diaper donations are being taken, please contact Vicki Morgan for more information.
- **Downtown Committee** – The Tree Lighting and Small Business Saturday will be held on November 26, 2016. Main Street Holiday will take place on December 10th and will have several fun events available again this year. The Canadian Pacific Holiday Train & Show will be held on December 11th.
- **Shop & Eat Local Committee** – Matthew Wuollet passed around special window decals for businesses to place in their windows.
- **Social Committee** – Wendy Sylvester, Alyssa Domagala & Denise Froehlich have volunteered to chair this committee.
- **Business & Person Of The Year** – The Chamber is seeking new ideas for this award.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, November 16, 2016; Annandale Elementary School at 11:30 a.m.

***School lunch will be available to purchase & eat at 11:00 a.m. prior to the meeting.**

Adjournment: Denise Froehlich made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Jeremy Wheeler seconds the motion. Meeting adjourned.