



**CITY OF LAUREL, MARYLAND
PRIDE DAY CELEBRATION PLANNING
COMMITTEE**

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TUESDAY, JULY 2, 2024

7:00 PM

VIRTUAL ZOOM MEETING

MEETING MINUTES

The meeting convened virtually at approximately 7:03 pm. The roll was called with Council President James Kole, Chair, Dana Cunningham, Amy Dunham, Nicole Gore, Michelle Keating, and Alvin Smith were present. City Staff present was: Sara A. Green, CPM, CMC, City Clerk. There were one (1) member of the public in attendance.

Agenda Item No. 2 was a Fundraising Update. The Committee decided that the passport winner would be drawn on July 5, 2024 and that the winner would receive a fanny pack with a flag, t-shirt, and a Designer Bag Bingo ticket. The Committee decided to work on hosting another drag brunch and drag bingo in August and September. Dates to be determined.

Next, Amy Dunham provided an update on vendors and sponsors. There were twenty-four (24) vendors signed up for the Pride Day event so far.

Dana Cunningham provided an updated on social media/advertising. Sara Green was able to work with the City's IT Department to set up the Pride Facebook ad account to provide Dana Cunningham with access to purchase boosts for Pride events.

Agenda Item No. 6 was regarding the sound company contract for the Pride Day event and the cost increase. Chairman Kole noted that the contract for the sound company was \$3,500 last year and would be increasing to \$3,700 this year and asked if the Committee was okay with moving forward with the increased cost. All Committee members present agreed to move forward with the increased cost.

The Committee agreed that the next meeting would be held on July 15, 2024 at 7:00 pm.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at approximately 7:57 pm.

Submitted:
Sara A. Green, CPM, CMC
City Clerk

Approved:


Sara A. Green, CPM, CMC
City Clerk

Date: 09/03/2024