

PET-FRIENDLY TASK GROUP MINUTES

February 22, 2023

OPENING OF MEETING

1. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 12:37 pm by Michelle Gentine.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

3. Roll Call: Abby Block, Michelle Gentine, Pam Hertel, Andy Heyn, Alli Karrels, Scott Mills, Kristine Potter, Caroline Richards, and Michelle Warner may attend remotely.

PRESENT: Pam Hertel, Michelle Gentine, Michelle Warner, Andy Heyn, Abby Block

ABSENT: Alli Karrels, Scott Mills, and Caroline Richards

STAFF/OFFICIALS PRESENT: Ofc. Kevin Post

MINUTES

4. Approval of Minutes – December 14, 2022

Motion by Michelle Warner to approve the minutes of the December 14, 2022 meeting.
Second by Pam Hertel. Motion carried.

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5. Scott Hanson, Jack Connelly, Ted Thieme and Wilma Scharrer spoke.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

6. Task Group Realignment

- A. Purpose and Scope

A lack of clarity has caused the Task Group to struggle to maintain forward momentum. The group reaffirmed its stated purpose to create a Sheboygan that is friendlier for pets noting that law enforcement and behavioral remediation are not within the group's purview.

- B. Meeting Schedule

Return to one meeting per month held on the last Wednesday in order to enable more planning and increased community engagement.

C. Membership expectations

Group members will actively participate, take action as required and be prepared with items they are responsible for.

7. Communication Workflow

Pam, Abby and Ofc. Post will meet to draft a document with potential inquiries and appropriate responses/referrals and will report back in March.

NEXT MEETING

8. The next meeting is scheduled for March 29, 2023

ADJOURN

9. Motion to adjourn by Pam Hertel. Second by Abby Block. Motion carried.

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:41 pm