

MINUTES  
THORNTON VETERANS' MEMORIAL FOUNDATION  
May 7, 2007

Attendees:	Tony Hake	Jim Branaugh
	Char Branaugh	Eva Henry
	Kathy Grossman	Martin Wisniewski
	Randy Bishop	Linda Wisniewski
	Greg Banks	Bob Heller
	Tami William	

1. Minutes were read and accepted.
2. Membership Report
  - a. Nothing new to report.
3. Treasurers Report
  - a. Saving (Construction)- \$3510.74
  - b. Checking (Operating) - \$3060.70
5. Community Relations
  - a. We had two articles in Your Hub.
  - b. We did not win the Community Giving Award
  - c. Article about the resolution for the GOCO funds also mentioned us. We will post pictures.
6. Web Site
  - a. Traffic is increasing on web site. We had 1771 visitors last month.
7. Design Committee
  - a. Greg Banks and Tony Hake met with Suhor Industries (Russ Rogers). They are a potential contractor. We are going to go forward with the submittal sheets to the planning department.
  - b. They talked about lighting, landscaping and materials.
  - c. Greg is working on the finished and approved master plan and grading plan.
8. Fund Raising Committee
  - a. Kathy Grossman has 100 bracelets to sell at Thorntonfest.
  - b. Raised 69.13 at the Roadhouse Fundraiser plus \$25.00 in donations. That will be the last fundraiser there.
9. Old Business
  - a. Still working on the agreement with the City. Tony is working with Diane Van Fossen.
  - b. Still trying to find a professional fundraiser.
  - c. Tony updated all the brochures with the new location.
10. New Business
  - a. There is a Ward III meeting on May 17<sup>th</sup>, Tony Hake will do the presentation
  - b. We have new presentation boards compliments of Greg Banks. We should get frames for them to keep them in good condition.
  - c. Tony Hake is working with Office Max on getting the new accounting software.

- d. We need to start re-visiting some of the organizations we have been to, to do presentations again.
  - e. Ordered some give aways from the Oriental Trading Co. to use at Thorntonfest and other events.
  - f. Still trying to get some Boy Scouts to help at the car wash. It is a busy scouting weekend, but we are still trying
  - g. Passed out a sign up sheet for Thorntonfest.
  - h. We will have a tent set up July 4<sup>th</sup>. We might be able to dedicate our sign.
  - i. Jim Branaugh has talked with Highland Mortuary. They are going to let us have our information there. We will also be able to have a table during the Memorial Day Service.
  - j. Jim Branaugh thinks he has a corporate sponsor.
  - k. Jim Branaugh has talked to Jim's Burger Haven. We missed the ball on the car show this year but we can try again for next year.
11. The next meeting is scheduled for June 4, 2007 at 7:00 PM.
12. Motion was made that the meeting be closed, motion was seconded and moved.

Respectfully submitted

Linda Wisniewski  
Secretary