

## **DNA Board of Directors Meeting Minutes**

6pm, February 7, 2022 Virtual Meeting

Present: LaShana Lewis, Dan Pistor, James Page, Jace Brotherton, Kristin Denbow, Corey James,

Mike Willis

- Board Business
  - Previous Meeting Notes (Jace)
    - James moves to approve, Mike seconds
  - Treasurer's Report (James)
    - USBank 01/31/22 bank statement.
      - Balance = \$20,750.58
    - USBank 02/06/22 bank summary.
      - Balance = \$20,757.58
    - QuickBooks P&L Report (2021-2022).
      - Loss (01/01/21 02/06/22) = -\$2,166.50
    - IRS Form 990-N (2021)
      - IRS Form 990-N (e-Postcard, 02.06.22A)
      - IRS Form 990-N (e-Postcard, 02.06.22B)
    - Board Transition/Updates
      - Document Signings (NDA, pre-meeting)
      - Board Packet (link to be shared during/after meeting)
    - Dan moves to approve, Corey seconds
- 2021 Events/Initiatives Review
  - PocketParks
  - Wine Tasting
  - Virtual Happy Hour
  - Whiskey Tasting at Salt n Smoke
  - Holiday Part at The Last Hotel
- 2022 Goals & Objectives

- Emphasize happy hour and group events once restrictions are lifted
- Emphasize where our members' donations are going
- More events celebrating new Downtown businesses
- Re-energize the HOA officers and Tenant representative groups
- Door hangers throughout downtown
  - Building Captains project
- Community clean-up or other physical community-improvement activity
  - Maybe clean up Eads bridge walkway
  - Get SLACO, Brightside, and other organizations involved
    - Could they present to the HOA group and partner with them to clean up around individual buildings?
- Continue Taste of STL
  - Reach out to organizers to see if we can participate and fund raise
- Riverfront Times Downtown STL Music Fest
- Signature Collection Software
  - Could we get a software in place to gather signatures to show support, advocate, etc.
- Look at Downtown efforts throughout the Midwest
- Budget for 2022
  - Expenses:
    - Memberships to Organizations
      - SLACO
    - SPARK
    - Holiday Party
    - Fall Fires
      - Wood, Musician
    - Administrative
      - Web Hosting
      - Domain
      - SSL
      - Licensure
  - Revenue Efforts:

- Partner with businesses to get 15% discount for DNA members
  - Note, this would result in an ongoing cost of membership cards
  - Can use QR code through app
    - Might need to re-create
- Board Officer Elections
  - Executive Director
    - James
  - Chair
    - LaShana
      - James nominates
      - Jaces seconds
      - LaShana accepts
  - Vice Chair
    - Dan
      - James nominates
      - LaShana seconds
      - Dan accepts
  - Secretary
    - Jace
      - LaShana nominates
      - James seconds
      - Jace accepts
  - Treasurer
    - James
      - Dan nominates
      - Corey seconds
      - James accepts
  - James moves to close nominations
  - Mike seconds
  - All vote in favor
- Miscellaneous
  - Hearing to be held on Domino's drive through in near future



- James moves to invite Great Rivers Greenway to give update at next Town Hall. Dan seconds. All in favor.
- Dan moves to make Tauriana Lyles-King chair of building captains. James seconds. All in favor.
- o Dan nominates Corey as chair of Development. Kristin seconds. All in favor.
- o Jace will co-chair Urban Spaces with Munir
- Meeting adjourned 8:25 PM