Minutes Perry Pride Meeting July 6, 2021

Meeting Called to Order: 6:30 pm

Members Present: Bob Brown, Donna Brown, Megan Cottrell, Willard Epling, Paula Hladky, Wayne Ledbetter, Rick Moore, Pat Putnam, Kathy Youngquist

Special Guests:

Liz Evans and Kat Stringer with The Sexual Trauma and Abuse Center. Greg Howard on behalf of Lecompton Community Pride.

June Meeting Minutes: Approved by all members present.

Unfinished Business

Community Visioning/First Impressions/Vision 2030: Pat Putnam and Kathy Youngquist volunteered to attend committee meeting on July 22nd to represent Perry Pride.

<Prior Meetings: Initial focus will be back to the park project that we began discussing in 2019. There is a lot of corporate support for projects like this and we want to get moving forward again so we can start to apply for grants, etc. Kathy will work on a Summary of First Impressions Report and how this ties in with Vision 2030. Megan will then publish to our Perry Pride Website along with the First Impressions PowerPoint that was provided to us through Kansas Pride. >

Welcome to Perry Event: New ideas: Quarterly Corn Hole, homemade ice cream, drawings for prizes. <Prior Meeting: Discussion of trying to host an annual Welcome to Perry Event. A way to bring people new to our area together to meet others. Maybe a hot dog cookout.>

Perry Fall Festival: Scheduled for Saturday, September 11th. We are using our Fall Festival Checklist for updates.

New Business:

Perry History Pocket Museum: Kenny Patterson has replaced the light on the south side of the case. North side light was recently replaced too.

Perry and Lecompton Community Pride Collaborative Project: Greg Howard attended to discuss interest in group projects or events. We will plan to do something at Homecoming this year and will coordinate through the Boosters.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:00pm

Next Meeting: August 3, 2021 at 6:30pm. Perry Lecompton Community Library (enter through west doors).