BLY COMMUNITY ACTION TEAM MINUTES

April 28, 2022

Present: Donna Kness, Pat Phillips, Lois Michaels, Leland Hunter, Jim Lindsey, Gabriel Privett and Leda Hunter

Blue Star Update: Construction has started, invitations sent and posted on Facebook. Jim applied for a fly over, 21 gun salute and taps all on board. Star shaped cookies have been ordered ($100); Donna offered to supply punch, cups and a PA system. Pat has the program ready. **May 21st at 2:00.** Vicki Liskey from the Klamath Garden Club will be the MC.

Town cleanup will be **May 13th**. Meet at the fire hall at 9:00 am; bags are furnished. The CATeam is paying for a dumpster for the downtown area. We’re hoping some of the residents will clean up around their homes. A dumpster for metal will also be available. Lunch will be provided for all the volunteers at the Bread Wagon.

A town sale is going on at the Mercantile on **May 7th**. Contact Donna or Chrissy for a spot. The band Fat Sexy will be playing at the gym that night.

Leland told us that the state fire marshal’s office has a grant program to help landowners with fire prevention around their homes. We will set up a community meeting with James Kusz to hear the specifics of the program.

The fire department is in the process of annexing the Beatty area into the district. Please vote yes on the ballot coming out on the 27th. Leland has resigned as Fire chief, due to his new job, but will remain on the department. A new chief will be appointed by the board of directors.

The CATeam received a very nice plaque from the United Way as an award for Public Service. The Klamath/Lake Food Bank nominated us for the Bootleg Fire.

Senior lunches will begin in May at the Bread Wagon.

Fishing day will be June 4th at Obenchain Reservoir.

The vector department will begin spraying at night in May.

The benefit dinner for Sherry Jacobs netted $9100.

The financial statement for the past quarter was reviewed.

Next meeting will be May 26th.

Respectfully submitted,

*/s/Leda Hunter*