

**GREATER BERLIN BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOC.
MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES
Thursday, October 5th, 2023**

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER – by Betty Velie Time: 7:05 p.m.

ATTENDEES: Betty Velie, Kevin Lyons, Karen Broyer, Steph Spancake, Don Foulk, Bob Foster, Mark Surace, Lisa Greenetz, Amanda LaRosa, Mary Beth Schindler, Sharon Ammann, Mike Scheer, Rushi Pandya, Jean Terilla, Corky Boccella

APPROVAL September 7th, 2023 MINUTES: Motion to approve the Monthly Meeting Minutes **made by** Kevin Lyons; **Seconded by** Karen Broyer. All in Favor: Aye or Opposed - **Ayes Have It**

TREASURER’S REPORT: Motion to approve treasurer’s report as given by Don Foulk, Treasurer, in the amount of \$13,153.28 **made by** Stephanie Spancake and **seconded** by Kevin Lyons. All in favor: AYE or Opposed-**Ayes Have it**

Old Business:

- Request to participate during the Fire Prevention Night on October 3rd was agreed upon. Sharon Ammann and Mary Beth Schindler will help Betty with table setup and handouts.
- Fall Festival Registration official date is over; however, registrations still being received based on earlier conversations they had with Betty.
- Registrations are high – over 150 spots are already allocated
- Betty had meetings with potential new members

New Business:

- New membership application received for **DNP Medical Associates**, contact is. Dr. Lisa Paul. The practice is located at 15 E. Taunton Ave., Berlin, NJ. This medical facility is a Primary Care and Wellness Practice. Motion to approve DNPT MEDICAL ASSOCIATES **made by** Kevin Lyons **Seconded** by Don Foulk.
ALL IN FAVOR AYE or OPPOSED-**Ayes Have it**
- New membership application received for **American Rebuild, LLC**, contact is Darin LaRosa and represented tonight by Amanda LaRosa. The business is located at 160 S. White Horse Pike, Berlin, NJ. This business is a construction company with full design services for home renovation and restoration. Motion to approve American Rebuild, LLC **made by** Bob Foster **Seconded** by Don Foulk.
ALL IN FAVOR AYE or OPPOSED-**Ayes Have it**
- A motion is required to advertise in the Courier Post for our upcoming fall festival. The quote will cover four days of advertisement in the newspaper showing our color flyer. It will also be posted in their on-line newspaper. The quote for this year is \$774.52. Motion to Approve Courier Post advertisement in the amount of \$774.52 made by Kevin Lyons and Seconded by Karen Broyer. All in Favor AYE or OPPOSED...**Ayes Have It** ALL IN FAVOR AYE or OPPOSED-**Ayes Have it**

Open To Floor

- Karen Broyer reported on special deals being offered by Heimlich’s Karate. She will be providing Betty with flyers for promotion.

- Betty mentioned that the SJ Breast Cancer Fashion show will be held on October 19 at Lucien's. Tickets are still available. Contact Loretta Mikulski for tickets

Motion to adjourn was made by Kevin Lyons; **Seconded** by Stephanie Spancake. Meeting adjourned at 7:26 p.m. All in Favor: Aye or Opposed - **Ayes Have It**

The next GBBPA meeting is **November 2nd, at Marie Fleche Memorial Library.**
Respectfully submitted by,
Betty Velie, President

Fall Festival Meeting will take place at this time!