

**GREATER BERLIN BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOC.
MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES
Thursday, September 3, 2026
Marie Fleche Library**

Meeting called to order by Betty Velie. Time: 7: 03 P.M

Attendees: Please state name and business when approving Motions

Kevin Lyons, Maryann D'Agostino, Betty Velie, Stephanie Schwarz, Brian Dorflinger, Dina Terilla, Corky Boccella, Denise Boccella, Frank Arneri, Cherie Faltenbacher, Don Foulk

APPROVAL August 6, 2026 MINUTES: Motion to approve the Monthly Meeting made by **Brian Dorflinger**, Seconded by Maryann D'Agostino. All in Favor: Aye or Opposed - **Ayes Have It**

TREASURER'S REPORT: Don Foulk provided current treasurer's report. Motion to approve treasurer's report in the amount of **\$8,987.32** made by **Kevin Lyons** and seconded **Cherie Faltenbacher** All in favor: AYE or Opposed-**Ayes Have it**

Old Business

- The GBBPA SUMMER TEA fundraiser was a success. Betty uploaded photos onto the website for viewing.
- **Focused Fusion Dance** ribbon cutting was held on Aug 26. Photos are currently on our website. I want to thank Bunny Lyons for taking video and photos.
- **"Cookie n Sip"** donate **September 17th from 6-8pm**. Opens to public today!! Some spots are still available
- Fall Fest Update – Sponsors, registrations, COI, volunteers. Follow up emails were sent looking for additional Sponsorships
- Letters sent to homeowners regarding Fall Fest
- Car Show form added to website was distributed during K9 show at Berlin Mart August 11th
- Received our GBBPA tablecloth from SwagTex. Will be used at Fall Fest
- SwagTex hiring

New Business:

- Bruce Realty ribbon cutting: Scheduled for September 19th from 2-3:30pm. Ice Cream will be available
- SJBCC Fashion Show is October 22, 2026 at Lucien's Manor. Tickets are on sale for \$80. Frank will find out how we add food selections.

Open to floor:

- October 3rd-SJBCC is decorating the main street. Looking for volunteers
- Lion's Club is selling raffle tickets winner will be announced at Fall Festival. Shared on facebook
- The Vault is having a tentative Grand opening gala on October 23-24

Motion to adjourn made by **Cherie Faltenbacher** and seconded by **Brian Dorflinger** Meeting adjourned at 7:52 PM.

The next GBBPA meeting is **November 5th, at Rettinger Fireplace Systems**

Respectfully submitted by,
Dina Terilla, Secretary