

**TOWN OF DUNN**  
**DOWNSVILLE COMMUNITY MUSEUM COMMITTEE**  
**April 11, 2022**

The Downsville Community Museum Committee met at 5:30pm on **Monday, April 11, 2022** at the Town Hall.  
Present: Suzanne Messa (President), Arlene Cartwright, Jeannette Daines, Jane DeFlorin, Forrest Johnson, Vicki Price, Lynnette Smith, and Dennis Weber. Absent: Craig Thibado

The meeting was called to order by Suzanne Messa.

1. Minutes: **It was moved by Daines and seconded by Cartwright to approve the minutes of March 14, 2022 as amended. MC**
2. Vouchers: Reviewed
3. Treasurers Report: **It was moved by Price and seconded by Smith to approve the March/April Treasurers report. MC**
4. Public Comment: None
5. Correspondence:
  - A. The Boys & Girls Club will be visiting the museum on Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, at 1pm as arranged by Smith. Smith, Daines and Price will provide tours. Cleaning the museum will occur on Tuesday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, at 1pm.
  - B. Dan Phillips's wife Vicki has passed away. He plans a trip to the museum in June.
6. 2022 Budget: Reviewed. **It was moved by Price and seconded by DeFlorin to approve the 2022 Museum Budget as revised. MC**
7. Prepaying Bob for Mowing Lawn: **It was moved by Price and seconded by DeFlorin to prepay Bob Wik for mowing the museum lawn in the amount of \$155. MC**
8. Town of Dunn Annual Meeting April 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10am: The annual report compiled by Messa was reviewed to be presented at the annual meeting.
9. Western Wisconsin Paranormal Investigators: This group would like to again monitor the activity in the museum. Weber volunteered to contact them to set up a date and Cartwright and Price will assist at the time of the investigation.
10. Donations:
  - A. Vicki Price – cream can for creamery display. **It was moved by Cartwright and seconded by Smith to accept the cream can donation from Vicki Price. MC**
11. Displays
  - A. Lynnette Smith contacted Perry Prissel who would have a display of different ends of lumber cuts but he is not ready this year.
  - B. Smith will contact Tim Dotseth about a possible display.
  - C. Price will contact Luisa Fumagalli about a possible display of her parents' artwork.
  - D. Messa will contact Kris Winter about a possible display of her tin toys.
12. Building/Maintenance:
  - A. Post Office has been emptied for floor work.
  - B. Doors – Andy Rabideau suggested filling cracks in the doors and sealing them. Matt Messa has the history on the doors. Andy is researching a sealing product to use. There was discussion regarding looking for replacement doors at Dell's Construction Antiques.
13. Dunn Energy Roundup Grant – March 31<sup>st</sup> Deadline: Status of submission of Phase 2 of tuckpointing for grant approval has not been heard yet.
14. Events:
  - A. Saturday, **May 28<sup>th</sup>**, 8-11 am pancake breakfast and opening for the season. Smith will apply for Thrivent card; Price will request tent rental from Jason Wayne; Messa will order sausage; Price will do advertising; Messa will develop poster. Syrup will be donated by Hulett, Smith and Weber. Creasers will give contribution for milk (small cartons).
15. Opening of Building: Would like the water turned on before the Boys & Girls Club visit on 4/18/22.
16. Schedule Work Days for Opening: Saturday, May 21, at noon and Wednesday, May 25, at 10am.
17. Set Next Meeting Date –May 9, 2022 at 5:30pm at the **TOWN HALL.**

Meeting adjourned at 6:50pm  
Vicki Price, Secretary