

May 27, 2026

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

There being a quorum, 8 commissioners were present, Polly Oldenburg called the meeting to order at 6:00pm.

Commissioners Present: (UPDATE) **Polly Oldenburg, Nancy Perkins, Lori Doyle, Wendy Testin, Marlyene Pfeiffer, Michael Mazzoni, Nancy Bertsch, Kathy Erickson** arrived at 6:22pm, **Marc Meyer**.

Also in Attendance: (UPDATE) *Julie Cordero (Educational Foundation of NB), Chief Mark O'Connor (NBFD), Bobby Reid (NB Lions), Katheryn Georgoulis (Pie Contest Lead), Bob Rafel (Prospect Lions), Katie Roth (Recreation Manager), John Schoeber (Muscular Dystrophy), Captain Jason Chilicki (NB PD).*

ROLL CALL; DECLARATION OF QUORUM; PUBLIC NOTICE

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION: To approve the minutes from April 22, 2026.

VOTE: Motion by: Nancy Perkins
Seconded by: Marlene Pfeiffer

MOTION PASSED: 8-0

FINANCIAL REPORT

ITEM: Monthly Activity and Financial Report

MOTION: To approve the Financials as presented.

VOTE: Motion by: Wendy Testin
Seconded by: Mike Mazzoni

MOTION PASSED: 8-0

Notes:

\$432.46 Culvers Fundraiser received
\$79 in cash donations at Culver's event
\$87,114 in donations to-date
\$3,093 in in-kind donations
\$20,000 additional donations needed

CELEBRATION 2026

ITEM: Discussion and possible vote on commissioner t-shirts.

MOTION: The 4th of July commission would pay the art fee, up to \$80 and the commissioners would pay for their own shirts. Logo would be adjusted to simplify design.

VOTE: Motion by: Mike Mazzoni

Seconded by: Lori Doyle

MOTION PASSED: 8-0

ITEM: Discussion and possible vote on NBW Mocktail Sales.

MOTION: To approve New Berlin West Players Booster Mocktail sales outside of East Tent July 3rd to offer Taylor Swift Inspired Mocktails in conjunction with Sparks Fly Band at no additional fee, but paying for electrical if it is required.

VOTE: Motion by: Nancy Bertsch

Seconded by: Lori Doyle

MOTION PASSED: 8-0

ITEM: Discussion and possible vote on additional entertainment on the grounds.

MOTION: To approve Frozen Dremz with a limited menu to not conflict with other vendors on grounds.

VOTE: Motion by: Kathy Erickson

Seconded by: Wendy Testin

MOTION PASSED: 8-0

Lori Doyle left at 6:32

ITEM: Discussion and possible vote on additional entertainment.

MOTION: To approve John Griffin- Solid Ground- North Tent Entertainment on July 4th from 7:00-9:00pm- \$0 fee, bringing in his own platform and sound. System with 1-20 amp provided by New Berlin 4th of July. No Alcohol allowed in North Tent.

VOTE: Motion by: Kathy Erickson

Seconded by: Nancy Perkins

MOTION PASSED: 7-0

ITEM: Discussion and possible vote on additional entertainment.

MOTION: To approve True North (Martial Arts Studio) on Friday, July 3rd from 4-8pm (Ages 4-12 Demonstrations) application fee is \$300 with request that they bring the photo booth and Battle Tested Pro Wrestling Group (Near Diamond 2) July 3rd 5pm-6pm we would pay \$1500.

VOTE: Motion by: Nancy Perkins
Seconded by: Wendy Testin
MOTION PASSED: 7-0

ITEM: Discussion and possible vote on additional entertainment.

MOTION: To approve Party-On Rentals for form party \$463.05, date and time to be determined by July 4th Coordinator to fit best in the 4th of July Schedule.

VOTE: Motion by: Mike Mazzoni
Seconded by: Marc Meyer
MOTION PASSED: 7-0

Notes: No Face painter currently

MOTION: To not offer facepainting at this year's event.

VOTE: Motion by: Kathy Erickson
Seconded by: Nancy Perkins
MOTION PASSED: 7-0

ITEM: Discussion and possible vote on parade entries.

MOTION: To approve Princess Meet and Greet for parade and meet and greet at readjusted cost of \$320. .

VOTE: Motion by: Kathy Ericson
Seconded by: Marc Meyer
MOTION PASSED: 7-0

ITEM: Discussion and possible vote on parade entries.

MOTION: To approve Clowns of Waukesha- Milly and Silly (\$125), Aaron Henning Circus Juggler & Whistles on Wheels (\$450) Calliope (\$550), Tripoli Shrine Clowns (\$300).

VOTE: Motion by: Kathy Erickson
Seconded by: Marlene Pfeiffer
MOTION PASSED: 7-0

Notes: Total of 62 entries currently, needs 3 golf carts with no tops for mascots and clowns

COMMUNICATIONS

ITEM: Discussion regarding new parade staging route.

ITEM: Reminder Monday, June 1st New Berlin Culvers fundraiser. Wear comfortable shoes and NB4 commissioner t-shirt and secure your hair.

NEXT COMMISSION MEETING DATE

ITEM: Next meeting date is Wednesday, June 24th at 6:00 pm in the Willow Room of the New Berlin ARC located at 15321 W National Avenue, New Berlin.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: To adjourn the meeting at 7:36

VOTE: Motion by: Marlene Pfeiffer
Seconded by: Kathy Erickson

MOTION PASSED: 7-0

*Respectfully Submitted,
Lori Doyle, Secretary*