

## HCC Meeting Minutes, October 7, 2021

**Call to Order 6:45 pm** at the Frontier Cafe. Members decided to start early so we could leave early. Pres. Paul Coonan and VP Ron Beck were not present, so Sec. Cathy Smyers started the meeting. Pres. Paul arrived shortly thereafter.

**Members Present:** Ron and Linda Benton, Paul Coonan, Larry Jones and Elizabeth McMurrer, Don Matlock, John Savage and Irma, Ed & Sherry Schmidt, Duane and Shirley Shinn, Heidi Shinn, Steve and Deidre Slagle, Norm and Cathy Smyers, Jerry and Gail Zella

### OLD BUSINESS

**Meeting Minutes:** Cathy asked if everyone had read the minutes of the September 2, 2021, meeting and whether there were any corrections to them. Being none, Don moved to accept the minutes as submitted; Jerry seconded: motion approved.

**Financial Report:** Ed reported the balance on hand, one bill (\$26.00) for nametags, no membership renewals or new members. Don moved to accept the financial report; John seconded; motion approved.

**Activities Reports:** Brief reports from members were offered on the Rumble in the Root (Sep. 4), Cruisin' the Bay (Sep.18), and the Daily Mansion Car Show (Sep. 18). Everyone agreed the tours and shows were great.

### NEW BUSINESS

Ed mentioned that he had been contacted by Kevin McBride from Wyoming. Keven was wondering if the Montana chapters would be interested in joining with Wyoming and adjacent states rather than being part of the Northwest Corvettes group (MT, WA, ID). Ed also mentioned that the Northwest Corvette Group is looking for a new leader who would be interested in heading up the next trip to Bowling Green, Kentucky, for the next national meeting in 2022. If someone wants to do this, contact Ed Schmidt (406-493-1638). Discussion may continue.

**Xmas Party:** Paul asked about our interest in having a Xmas Party. Most members agreed we should. We decided to wait until next month to see what the Covid situation is and whether it would be even possible to find a place which has sufficient staff and a space. Discussion continues.

**Nomination of Officers:** We didn't have election of new officers last year due to the pandemic. Current officers were elected in 2019. November is the month to nominate new officers and December (Xmas Party and meeting) is the election. Paul announced that he will not be running for President again and thanked all of us for supporting him the last two years. Discussion continues.

**Quarterly Drawing:** Member Katherine Hoyenga (Whitehall, MT) won the drawing for \$50.00. Cathy will send the check to her.

**Next Meeting:** Thursday, November, 4 at 7:00 pm Karl Tyler Chevrolet. Optional dinner beforehand at Montana Club on North Reserve at 5:30 pm.

At 7:30 pm Don moved to adjourn; Linda seconded; approved.

Respectfully, Submitted,

Cathy Smyers, Secretary

Other: Larry mentioned he knows of a white '87 Corvette (possible project car, rough shape) for sale at Phil Barba's house. Also, a '73 engine and parts. If interested, contact member Phil Barba 406-721-9482.