

BEAUFORT COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
AUGUST 18, 2020

Chairman, Bill Cook, called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m

Invocation lead by Jackie VanEssendelft, followed by Pledge to the flag recited by those in attendance.

Quorum was established with 20 members in attendance and 8 absent as follows:

Excused: Gail Breed, Michael Buzzeo, Ruth Cauvin, Nanci Colleary, Keith Kidwell, Jimmie Southerland

Unexcused: Proctor Kidwell & Jeffrey Trueblood.

Chairman Remarks: Chairman Cook informed those present of the upcoming Republican National Convention. There will be a Meet & Greet for Tamara Barringer on Sept. 3 at Bill Cooks home in Cypress landing from 6 -8 p.m. Also reported there will be an Al-Pam meeting to meet judicial candidates On September 12 at the home of Kim Cotton West in Jamesville. Patricia Garrison has tickets. A motion was made and approved to contribute \$500 to the Judicial Candidates.

1st Vice Chairman, Paul Varcoe, Carolyn Garriss & Jody Forrest who volunteer in the GOP Headquarters office were introduced and each made comments about time spent in the office. Jody brought Trump flags and other campaign documents for members who wanted them. Jody & Carolyn offered to help when they can and possibly Carolyn can help with ideas for the website. Paul continues to volunteer at the office, also and is helping with Keith Kidwell's campaign.

2nd Vice Chairman, Joseph Knox, updated us on campaign supplies that are in the office. Lots of people are stopping by for signs, etc. for Trump & state and local candidates. Also, have women for trump items in the office. The second week in September we should be getting signs for Mark Robinson, Greg Murphy, and others. He presented a large door hanger for Dan Forest, for Governor and a list of property owners that people were asked to use and walk door to door and leave them on doors. Need volunteers to work at polls.

Treasurer, Ken MacMillan, reported there is approximately \$7,000 in the treasurer's fund and more funds arriving weekly. He reported that Anne Maatman has agreed to take on the Treasurer's position. Ken is resigning and moving out of town soon.

Fundraising Chairman, Fred Kaplan gave an update on the Reagan Republican Rally to be held, September 17 at country club. Also presented folders with 3 different business names and addresses for members to take and get sponsors for the RRR or the Golf tournament to be held Oct. 10 at Cypress Landing.

Other: Chairman Cook reported that Dot Moate was taking notes for Secretary, Gail Breed while she is away.

He will be establishing an Election Committee.

Sample Ballots will be ready soon and supply will be in office.

Beaufort County Republican Women's Club, newly organized, and Chaired by Linda Taylor will have a Lunch in Bath on Saturday.

The meeting was adjourned at 8 p.m.

Submitted by

Dot Moate

For Secretary Gail Breed

The next meeting will be September 15 at 6:30 p.m.