Price County Fair Board Association Meeting February 25, 2024 – 500pm Location: UW Extension Meeting Minutes

Members present: Michelle Drobnik, Alexis Schienebeck, Amber Rehberg, Peter Dahlie, Jade

Lukes, Jed Hallstrand, Darin Baratka – Price County Productions, and

Rosanna Bogle; present via call-in: Cassandra Bogle

Absent: N/A

Others Present: N/A

Meeting was called to order by Michelle Drobnik at 5:00 p.m.

Minutes: A motion was made by Amber to approve the minutes from January 21, 2024 as given, seconded by Cassandra. Motion passed.

Treasurer Report: Rosanna provided treasurers report. A motion was made by Jed to approve the treasurers report as given, seconded by Amber. Motion passed.

Public Comments: None

Thursday Entertainment: Discussion about the options for Thursday entertainment to make it a family day. Motion was made by Alexis to have Shane Kronberger perform for 4 hours, 2nd by Jed. Motion passed. Motion was made by Amber to have Free Monster Truck rides available, 2nd by Darin. Motion passed. Motion was made by Michelle to move the Kids Tractor Pull to Thursday evening, 2nd by Amber. Motion passed. Discussion about looking into having Hot Air Balloon on-site Thursday evening; Alexis will look into it. Additional discussion about static displays (Sheriff Dept, Phillips & Park Falls Police Dept, Ambulance Service, School Bus, and Military).

Friday Entertainment: Discussion about options for Friday evening music entertainment. Motion was made by Amber to have Classic Alice perform, 2nd by Jade.

Petting Zoo: Discussion about bringing a petting zoo with interactive classes. Plan would be for Thursday: 4-8pm, Friday: noon-6pm, Saturday: noon-6pm, and Sunday: 10am-4pm with different animals each day; with a sign to show what will be brought the next day. Motion made by Alexis to have her look into pricing details for petting zoo, 2nd by Jade. Motion passed.

Contracts (4-H, Boy Scouts, Beer Tent):

- Boy Scouts Agreement contract is not needing to be updated, does not expire until end of 2024.
- 4-H Dining Hall Agreement contract was sent to Michelle to be presented to 4-H leaders for review and signatures.

Beer Tent Agreement contract was revised to add the requirement for providing 6 – 10 volunteers to help setup and take down fair. With a statement to increase percentage to 25% if requirements of the agreement are not met. Updated contract will be sent to Price Ice SEal Team. Discussion about opening the contract to other organizations. Motion was made by Amber to offer Beer Tent Agreement contract to other organizations future years, 2nd by Jade. Motion passed. Amber will put together a cover letter.

Old Business:

Food Contract updates: confirmed are Ocean Blue, Harka's Gyros, Casa Mexicana, Grandpa Choo Choos.

Rosanna will check with Mr Peterson in regards to what days/times he will be available for the fair with his bug extravaganza.

Amber discussed format of Board Application and Job Description. She will work changes discussed and then email both documents to all for review.

Rosanna discussed Fair Entry status and will resend spreadsheet to have board members validate premiums match book.

New Business:

Discussion about having Polka entertainment on Sunday. Motion made by Alexis to have Polka return for Sunday entertainment from 11am-1pm, 2nd by Michelle. Motion passed. Rosanna will contact Polka band.

Sports & Home Show will be 23-24 March from 9am-4pm. Fair has been sponsored. Remaining carvings (Flag, Raccoon, Fox, Eagle, and Cardinal) will be on site to sell remaining squares.

Next Meeting: Next meeting will be on April 28, 2024 at 5:00pm, UW Extension Conf Room.

Adjourn: Darin made a motion at 6:45pm to adjourn meeting, seconded by Michelle. Meeting was adjourned.