PARADE AND FIREWORKS MEETING 6:30 PM, DECEMBER 3, 2014 FREETOWN TOWN HALL

IN ATTENDANCE:

JUDY GREGORY, BOB GREGORY, JOHN REMEDIS LINDA REMEDIS, ELLEN LIMA, SHERRI HADLEY SHARON ROSEN, BOB ADAMS, JEAN FOX (GUEST - MIKE MCCUE)

Called to order at 6:45

Report on finances

Talked about the success of the "tee shirt program and the possibility of a contest to design the tee shirt logo for 2015. It could be open to all ages. Also who it would be limited to - Freetown, Lakeville, Berkley residents. We will decide at the next meeting.

Linda Remedis was asked to send out invitations for the 2015 parade. Judy will send her a link to Taunton parade list. We also discussed what the theme for 2015 would be and might be ready to decide at the next meeting.

We will ask John Remedis to have Roland Gendron to be Parade Marshall for 2015. John said he will most likely accept.

Our dance at St. Bernard Church is in May 2015, 2nd Friday in the month.

Discussed the Assonet map prints: \$5.00 for unframed, and \$15.00 for framed version. Bob Adams felt we could ask for a higher price for the framed map

Mike Mc Cue brought up the possibility of expanding the parade award program-(oldest car, fire truck etc)

For the last few years, Bob Adams has donated the trophies for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers, and suggested buying a slightly larger set of trophies.

The use of the bi-pass road for the parade lineup was discussed. Stop and Shop will have to be contacted in order to use it.. Other parade lime-up locations were discussed.

Having the Historical Society put on their slide show of past parades may illicit interest in participation in the parade.

We also discussed putting out recycling bins for the fireworks night.

Bob Adams said he would check out the cost of the nice self-contained port-potties.

Voted to adjourn at 8:40 pm

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