

Black Creek Baptist Church  
Quarterly Business Meeting  
DATE: 10/05/21

In attendance: Pastor and Ruth Ann Asquith, Pastor Hain, Amy and Dale Morey, Chelsea LaRoche, Chris and Jodi Montgomery, Kyle and Tiffany Beil, Ashley Ford, John and Sharon Vattes, Phyllis and Dan Pascarella, Jennifer Balogh, John Mark Asquith

Opened business meeting in prayer at 7:01 pm

Minutes from July 2021 quarterly meeting minutes read by Amy Morey

- Treasurer Report read by Ashley Ford

1<sup>st</sup> motion to receive Dale Morey

2<sup>nd</sup> motion Jennifer Balogh

All in favor

**Old business**

- None

**New business**

- Pastor John proposes that the Trustees be given authority to contract for the refinishing of church floors. This may also entail changes to the carpeting.

1<sup>st</sup> motion to accept by Jodi Montgomery

2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruthann Asquith

All in Favor

- Pastor John proposes that Amy Morey and Chelsea be allowed to purchase a laptop computer for Church Clerk purposes with a budget of up to \$1000. This would greatly help Chelsea in the transition and would make the keeping of records uniform.

1<sup>st</sup> motion to accept by Kyle Beil

2<sup>nd</sup> by Jennifer Balogh

All in Favor

- When Amy resigns, Chelsea LaRoche will replace her and then be voted in as usual during the January Annual Meeting in 2022.

1<sup>st</sup> motion to accept John Vattes

2<sup>nd</sup> by Dale Morey

All in Favor

- Pastor John is asking that the church (split between Sunday School and General Fund) that up to \$600 be able to purchase a new cell phone for Pastor Hain.

1<sup>st</sup> motion to accept Dan Pascarella

2<sup>nd</sup> by Jodi Montgomery

All in Favor

- Pastor is proposing that Trustees give authority to scrape the carpeting and then tile the downstairs floors to alleviate the mold problem in the basement and to purchase more dehumidifiers for the basement.

1<sup>st</sup> motion to accept Chelsea LaRoche                      2<sup>nd</sup> by Chris Montgomery                      All in Favor

- Pastor is proposing a benevolence fund (designated \$500) – if the deacons only see a need, they could go to the treasurer for the money, with no questions asked. At the end of the quarter, the fund will be refreshed.

1<sup>st</sup> motion to accept Dale Morey                      2<sup>nd</sup> by John Vattes                      All in Favor

For Knowledge Purposes Only: After the October Special Meeting, we as a church will start up a M&M (Mark and Monica Bradfield) fund to help them travel from Ireland to visit Mrs. Hain as her health is failing.

Amy Morey read the minutes

Receive and accept business minutes

1<sup>st</sup> motion to accept by John Vattes                      2<sup>nd</sup> by Chris Montgomery                      All in Favor

Motion to close business meeting in prayer

1<sup>st</sup> motion to accept by Jodi Montgomery                      2<sup>nd</sup> by Jennifer Balogh                      All in Favor

Sunday School Business – conducted by Pastor Roger Hain

- Sunday School October quarterly report discussed by Phyllis Pascarella and Pastor Hain

1<sup>st</sup> motion to receive Pastor John Asquith                      2<sup>nd</sup> motion John Vattes                      All in favor

- Asking that the Sunday School pay Pastor Hain’s Verizon Cell bill (\$50) per month.

1st motion to accept by Pastor Asquith                      2nd by Amy Morey                      All in favor

- Sunday school to pay half (\$300) for a cell phone for Pastor Hain (total for cell phone up to \$600)

1<sup>st</sup> motion to accept by Dale Morey                      2<sup>nd</sup> by Chis Montgomery                      All in favor

Meeting closed in prayer 8:04 pm