

Castle Rock Chamber of Commerce
Minutes, November 13, 2008

President Coni Bush called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

Members present: Coni Bush, Carolyn Kennington, Steve Lafady, Sharon Traub, Myron Nelson, Mark Plotkin, Henry Karnofski, Mayor Barbara Larsen, Ryana Covington, and guest Mike Wind.

Secretary's Report—approved as printed.

Treasurer's Report—approved as printed.

Committee Report—Membership—tabled.

Awesome Brochure—Mark explained by placing an ad it would insure Castle Rock a page like you find in the 2008 Awesome Brochure. The size and the price of the ad were tabled until the December meeting. Mark also said there is event money available and the last filing date is November 24th. The money can be used to help promote events.

Paving update—The bid has been awarded for paving the parking lot by the Exhibit Hall.

Cowlitz Street Project—It will be spring before work will begin on Cowlitz Street.

Signs—the replacement signs have been ordered. As soon as they arrive Dave will install them.

Plants—Coni reported she delivered plants to all the new businesses except one. She still needs to deliver to Mike Green's Shop on Huntington.

Banners—Coni brought in some catalogs advertising city banners. Style, design and sponsorship will be discussed at the next meeting.

Exit 48—The county tourism map needs to be revised to note Exit 48 and the business loop into the city of Castle Rock.

Dikes—Dave will be asked to attend the December meeting and bring us up to date on the dikes.

Tour of Homes—Ryana stated the "Play Group" has 5 homes on this year's Tour of Homes. The tour will be held December 14, 2 – 6 p.m. Tickets will be

\$5. A bus will depart the senior center at 2 p.m. The Flower Pot is the host business and they will offer coffee and cookies.

Scams—Coni and Mark called attention to a scam that is going around. Organizations are being asked to pass out some materials only to find out later that they are billed for the materials. Don't sign such a letter!

Adjournment—the meeting was adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE DECEMBER 11, 2008, 8:30 A.M., AT THE CASTLE ROCK SENIOR CENTER, 222 2ND AVENUE. THE COFFEE POT WILL BE ON!