MABA MINUTES - July 6, 2023 @ 6:30 p.m. @ Liberty Memorial Bldg. Basement

Meeting was called to order at 6:36 p.m. by Natalie

Board members present: Natalie, Stephanie, Bonnie, Caroline, Gary, Cheryl; Additional guests: Greg Pierce, Becky Bell; Absent: Michelle Zanders & Teresa Gilreath

**Secretary report:** Minutes were presented to the board prior to the meeting. Bonnie motioned to approve the minutes as presented. Seconded by Greg- motioned carried.

<u>Treasurer report:</u> The treasurer's report was presented by Bonnie.

## **Old Business:**

- Independence Day Celebration: Overall it was a very successful event. The bounce houses were a hit. Look at a possible different vendor for the fireworks. Food trucks: book early in 2024 for the event. Parking went smoothly. Next year, have three people from 5-7, 1 at the gate, one at the front and one for handicap.
- Teacher Luncheon: Date is set for Monday, August 21st. Sign up will be sent for various desserts and side dishes.

## **New Business:**

Holiday discussion: The winter season is quickly approaching. Looking for different ideas. One brought up was a progressive dinner on opposite years of the home tour. For the Festival of Trees, Santa in the cabin was a hit - let's open it a bit earlier. Dates: Lantern Launch, November 25th; Festival of Trees, December 2nd.

## **Additional Discussion/Comments:**

No additional comments/discussion

Adjournment: motion Bonnie and 2<sup>nd</sup> Becky adjourn time: \_7:50 p.m.

Next Meeting: July 6, 2023 @ 6:30 pm Basement of Memorial Bldg.