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MINUTES FORTUNA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

June 29, 2020

The June 29, 2020, meeting of the Fortuna Chamber of Commerce was called to order by Vice Chair Kelly Isaascon via Zoom with 10 persons present.

Becky Giacomini led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Merritt Perry announced the hiring of a new police chief, Casey Day. Chief Day comes from Anderson PD where he spent 19 years as a sergeant. He holds a BA degree in organization development and a Master's in Criminal Justice. His focus is on community-oriented policing. His first day on the job will be July 6.

John Gullam from the Northern California Community Blood Bank announced the Redwood Capital Bank blood drive on June 30 from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Becky Giacomini reported a great turnout for the Humboldt Sponsors blood drive at Northern California Community Blood Bank. Fortuna Noon Rotary will be putting out flags for Independence Day.

Renee Lindsay announced the winners of the Operation Celebrate window decorating contest. First place went to Cornerstone Realty. Second place went to Green's Pharmacy. Third place went to Humboldt Equity. The Chamber office will reopen on July 6 with limited hours to the public. Members can contact the Chamber and make an appointment between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm. The July 3rd Fireworks Festival will happen but the location will not be disclosed to deter gatherings.

Guest Speaker: Cassandra Hesseltine, Humboldt-Del Norte Film Commission Cassandra gave an update on the impact COVID-19 has had on the film commission.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Renee Lindsay Recording Secretary