

DRAPER CITY SPECIAL EVENTS ARENA BOARD MEETING MINUTES
February 28, 2024

1. Attending: Buzz Goodrich, Katie Ovard-Smith, Stephania Wilks, David Wilks, Patrick Clayton, Jan Short, Doug Vawdry, Walt Rosamond, Stephanie Sherrell, Alan Kirton, Fred Lowry. Patrick is a new member of our board, this is his first meeting with us. Welcome to the board. We have 11 members on the board.

2. Approval of October 10th meeting minutes. Walt motioned to approve minutes, Stephanie 2nds, motion passes.

3. Committee member reports:

- Doug & David report that the Farmers Market and the Food Truck Night will move to Smith Field Park and not be at the arena. This will be held on Tuesday evenings. First of July through October.
- We will still have the Rodeo, Horse Pull, and the Monster Truck. Risk Management will not allow the Bulls Only anymore.
- We need some new events for our arena. Doug would like for the members of our board to bring ideas to the next meeting.
- The council fully supports having a concert at the arena.
- Monster Truck: August 9-10
- Winter Holiday Market: December 6-7.

3a: Horse Pull 2024 Event: July 15, 2024. We will not have the same advertising to have in conjunction with the Food Truck Night. We will have Pony Rides, Free hats to the first 500 kids, Mechanical Bull for adults, Petting Zoo. The committee will need to help with this event. We will have a sign up sheet for everyone to sign up to help with this and every event. We need something else to go along with this event to bring more people in. Stephanie said Zion has sponsored them before and would possibly sponsor them again. Possible to do a laser show as well. Everyone please think what we could do and bring that to the next meeting

Fred thanks everyone for helping with the food trucks and getting this going to be a good event in Draper.

3b. Draper Days 2024 Event: David and the City are asking that every member of every board volunteer at Draper Days. Stephania will be in charge of the Vendor area. Each area needs at least 6-10 people each night. If you would like to help, meetings will start in about 45 days.

Alan asked if any work needed to be done at the arena. Fred mentioned there is some work on panels that needs done. Alan and Fred will go to the arena in the early spring to see what needs to be fixed. Alan said his company would like to volunteer some time to do this. We will coordinate with Brent from the Parks Department to meet. We will set a time at the next meeting to do this. Doug said we could tie it in with the next meeting to meet at the arena to walk through the arena. We could meet at the arena for the next meeting in March.

Doug motioned to adjourn at 6:07, Alan 2nd.

Next Meeting: March 27, 2024 at 5:30 (possibly at arena)