Meeting Details: 10/05/2021 7:30 - 9:00 PM in Traning Room, Municipal Building

Attendees: Kaye Kelly, Lillian Gould, Sarah Cronin, Jamele Adams, Ted Cormier-Leger, Pushpa Jangareddi, Shelley Green, Patrick Kinner, Rev Jacob W. Juncker, Venus Senjam

Meeting Minutes:

- 1. Announcements
 - a. MCC has allotted \$14,000 fall 2021 grant
 - b. Expecting town will allot \$6,000 for the fall 2021 grant. This is yet to be confirmed.
 - c. Cultural Festival 2021 checks continue to be processed and cleared
- 2. Halloween 2021 Community House Decorating Contest
 - a. Plans for 2nd Annual Community House Decorating Contest discussed
 - b. Pushpa designed the Halloween contest poster. The poster is on social media and has been sent to newspapers
 - c. Sarah has set up the Haloween 2021 contest application form. Halloween contest will have two levels of participation
 - i. "In it to win it" these entries will be judged by FCC
 - ii. "Sharing is Scaring" these entries will not be judged
 - d. Deadline to enter contest is Saturday, October 17
 - e. Judging of the contest will be on Friday, 22nd October, Saturday, 23rd October, Sunday 24th Oct
 - f. There will be three prizes. Budget for prizes is \$100-\$125. Responsibilities of buying prizes **Ted**
 - g. 13 applications have been received till date. Expecting more entries.

3. Halloween 2021 Events

- a. Similar to last year, FCC will be participating in Franklin Lion's Club "Reverse Trunk & Treat" Halloween Event. Candies will be distributed at the FCC booth on Saturday, 23rd October 4-6 pm. All members are encouraged to attend. The budget for candies is \$100. Candies buying responsibilities - Shelly.
- b. FCC will participate in the Franklin United Methodist Church Halloween event on Saturday, 30th October. All members are encouraged to attend

4. Upcoming MCC grant

- a. MCC Hard Copies of program guidelines for the Local Cultural Council were handed to board members. Aim/purpose, background, and major topics were discussed. New members are encouraged to read through the guidelines.
- b. Kaye and Lilliam walked through the process of the grant application with all board members
- c. Patrick presented the proposed format of the updated grand adjudication document. All members to review and share feedback

5. Items outside of planned Agenda:

- a. The annual Report of FCC was discussed
- b. Cultural Festival 2022:
 - Increase the number of food trucks. All members to look out for more food trucks
- c. Time constraint will keep us from
 - i. Grantee Reception
 - ii. Monday Night Masterclass