

Pet Partners of Carbon County

Monthly Meeting: March 23, 2021 6:00pm

Location: Hampton Inn/Zoom

- I. Meeting Call to Order @ 6:03 pm by Linda Russell, President
Members present; Linda Russell President, Sallie Newsome Treasurer, Margaret Quintrall Secretary, Joie Merendino TNR Director, Tony Lamb Vice President, Leah Ketner Animal Control Officer, - Via Zoom: Daniela Rader Board, Jose Garcia, Community member
- II. Approval of Previous Minutes: Linda asked if everyone had the chance to review the minutes and whether there were any comments. No comments or questions so she asked for a motion to approve the minutes from February 23, 2021. Joie motioned to approve the minutes and 2nded by Tony. All in Favor, minutes approved.
- III. Treasurer Report – Sallie presented the balances in both bank accounts: Meridian Trust Balance Checking Balance is \$9,891.40 and Savings is \$1,305.30. We have received \$1,682 in donations and a reimbursement of a small loan of \$307.00. Bank of Commerce balance is \$5,341.45.
- IV. Reports
 - a. President – Very little to report. We have Egg my yard coming up and report to City of Rawlins for upcoming grants. Application is due March 25th, and we have to present to City Council on March 30th, @ 7:30 pm
 - b. Secretary – Nothing to report currently.
 - c. TNR Report – We had trapped 4 cats and one escaped and caught by her neighbor. We have appointments scheduled out into April. CCVH are currently working with two vets with one being out on maternity leave. We were told we could schedule T, TH for our appointments. Dr. McFarland did mention we could be worked in when needed.
 - d. Spay/Neuter Community Assistance Program – We have issued 30 Coupons and have 10 remaining.
 - e. Shelter Report – Ended February 2021 with 4 animals in the shelter, have done 17 intakes for the month, 1 dog had to be euthanized for aggression and one 1 cat for Pan leukopenia, 3 animals adopted, 7 returned to owner, 4 sent to BDAR. Animals remaining in the Shelter currently is 10. Shelter is currently under quarantine and cannot accept cats due to Pan Leukopenia.
- V. Old Business
 - a. Update on Website – Margaret – Still need pictures to update website. Will send a reminder when I send minutes out.
 - b. Egg My Yard 2021 - Rebecca Iacovetto, arranges this and collects all money. All proceeds raised goes to Pet Partners. Need volunteers to help egg yards. Sallie, Margaret volunteered.
- VI. New Business
 - a. Report/Request to the City – Presentation – Discussion around what Pet Partners have done for the community: Held open houses, pictures. Paid for a cat with broken leg. Pet Partners and animal shelter has been working together, friendly cats go to the

shelter and Pet Partners take the feral cats from the shelter. We are anticipating many cats who will need to be trapped and spayed to reduce the number in our current colonies. This will also reduce the number of diseases carried by cats that can be passed to humans i.e. Rabies, Tularemia, Plaque. Pet Partners will be requesting \$15,000 from the city this year. In 20-21 we received \$12,500 and 19-20 we received \$6,000. We will need total revenue and total expenses to report from July 1 to present (9 months) with projections for the remaining 3 months of this year.

- b. Other? Joie mentioned the Wyoming Coalition Animal Protection (WYCAP) is interested in getting a representative from Carbon County. At this time no one has come forward to volunteer to be a representative.

VII. Adjournment – Linda adjourned meeting @ 7:02 pm