

Fair Board Meeting Columbia County Fair Board

Thursday August 17, 2023

6:30 p.m. Fair Office Building

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Peggy call meeting to order at 6:31 pm.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Mexican rodeo – discussed the \$200 cleaning fee paid to Terri and Jack. – reviewed the contract and what is actually paid – Kassie asked if we have an electronic form of contracts are available for all to review. Kassie will compare the yellow sheet and the price sheet and the contract. Electronic version will review and suggest changes

Mexican rodeo doesn't know if they paid cleaning and they paid 200 to Terri. Henry explaining to Ed – our workers took one day to clean it up.

Mary Ann will Send Kassie the electronic copies - Ed said that our contract says cancellation rain or anything within 30 days customer does not receive refund in anyway. -returning customer of good will – customer was discriminated because the music was not country. Decimal level was questionable – needs to add this to the contract and also point speakers toward arena – make statement to say on the short form Ed can change the wording on the short form and customize the wording to refer to other document.

Staff should not make decisions bring it to the board to make decisions re: rentals not cleaning up. To be placed on calendar the agreement should paid 25% to hold date -

Gate 2 Repairs - OQMRA continue for repairs gate 2 –Ed said their contract reads its their responsible to fix and not ours. Gate 2 isn't up to standard. Sara from Rds said gate 4 5 are good gate 3 needs barriers – Gate 2 has two different culverts materials back to 1986 approx. we just heard about this 7 days ago. They have until 2025 will need to pay \$2000.00 bond on gate 2 for the culvert - Henrys concern is we've had issues with Mexican rodeo – now QWMRA is their responsible – speaking down on us. Trash us on social media – the race track got moved due to the wet lands- riparian area. It's just grass. –

Ed wants to know what to do to say - you can pay the 2000 bond – will be partners - Brannen suggested if we told them we would pay for part.

Branden moved the QMRA pay the deposit fee and what we make in revenue for parking and camping we will contribute up to 50% -or \$5000. Henry 2nd, motion passed. Ed will also write a letter of understanding. We are doing this is good faith.

Peggy adjourned meeting at 8:21pm

Pursuant to ORS 192.640 (1), The Columbia County Fair Board reserves the right to consider and discuss, in either open session or Executive Session, additional subjects that may arise after the agenda is published.