## **CORPORATION MEETING MINUTES | 8 24 2021**

- Board called meeting to order at 12:02 PM
- No public comment
- Motion to approve minutes for July 27, 2021 meeting:
  - Approved by Bill Wiktor, seconded by Jacob Malwitz, motion carries unanimously
- o President's Report
  - Joe Kollar, General Manager, provided updates
    - Down by the Riverside has wrapped up their successful season
    - Night Market was a huge success with a very large attendance; located on Peace Plaza and in RAC
    - One Roof concept is fully operational between MCC, RCT and RAC
    - Financial update was given for the Corporation
  - Al Beltranena, General Catering Manager, provided a food & beverage update
    - 9,000 meals were served over 3 days for Partnership for Youth event
    - Four local partnerships are being rolled out as well as collaborating on a food truck bank
    - Concessions upgrades are in the design stages
  - Nick Landry, Vice President of Sales, provided a sales update
    - Sales has booked \$237,000 of revenue in the year, for the year along with 3,680 room nights
    - The pandemic continues to cause cancellations
    - Sales will move forward with trade shows and sales blitzes
    - A summer promo for 2022 is in the works
    - Several large events have inquired for early to mid-year 2022
  - Bill Von Bank, Vice President of Marketing & Communication, provided a marketing update
    - More communication initiatives have been implemented to downtown vendors for event alerts
    - Marketing has been working with John McGivern on a TV production featuring Rochester; filming will include Mayo

- Clinic, arts, dining, outdoor adventures, and our community
- An image and video library is being created to support sales efforts
- More signage has been created to cross promote MCC live entertainment and placed throughout the downtown area
- Research is being done for any qualifying grants
- o Joe Ward, President, gave an organizational update
- Meeting adjourned 12:48 PM, approved by Bill Wiktor, seconded by Jacob Malwitz

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