

## **Minutes**

### **Friends of the Downtown Meeting**

**January 8, 2009**

Meeting called to order by Secretary at 5pm. 12 members present

**Minutes:** No minutes

**Treasurer's Report:** Treasurer's Report distributed by Irene and explained by her. Balance is \$6660.

### **New Business**

**Food Drive:** Food drive Feb 9-28. Marylyn, Kathy and Sue will be the committee; Marilyn will talk to Star News who will contact businesses. We will put in the letter that they should take food to Indian Head themselves, as that job was overwhelming last year.

Irene moved and Laura second that we allocate \$400 for advertising with the understanding that it may cost more and we will deal with that at next meeting. Irene will contact WIGM and Kathy sounds wonderful on the radio.

**Audit:** Irene says we need an audit of the books and will contact Arlen.

**Destination Medford:** Sue said trees are still up and will be lit for the Destination Medford Feb 27-28. Marilyn and Laurie gave a report on this exciting Chamber event. Wine tasting while visiting local artists, Sat night Taste of Medford and a speaker Alice Conner lobbyist for the logging industry. Sun Church or snowshoeing will be available and a brunch. Lots of other activities on Sat i.e. yoga, knitting, more wine and crafts.

**Events:** Irene thinks a calendar of the year's activities would be helpful could the exec committee do this?

Laura made a motion to adjourn'.

Respectfully submitted,

Liz Archibald