June 6th Tourism Committee meeting minutes

Chair PJ Foat called the meeting to order at 8:38 a.m.

Role call taken-Carol Lebreck, Seana Frint, PJ Foat, Susan Pagnucci all present. Also present were Tom Krob, Bruce Hanson and Donna Porter.

Posting of meeting verified.

Motion to approve agenda made by Susan Pagnucci, seconded by Carol.

4th of July Parade-more discussion about the ice skating rink painting fundraiser. PJ nominated Jeannie Barnes for Grand Marshall. He will make contact to see if she's interested. Water policy will be the same and will be put in the advertisements for the parade and Town of Barnes FB page. Fly over is scheduled, trying to nail down the exact time. Vatten Paddlar will have a float to promote the race.

Vatten Paddlar-Distribution of promotional materials will continue and is almost finished. Registrations are slightly behind last year, but no problem foreseen. River between Upper and Middle needs to be cleared again, Tom will do it again and will contact Loren Bohl to help again. Award Ceremonies Site was drawn from businesses volunteering to host. RC's Decoy Inn will hold the ceremonies this year, and forest point as a backup. Next meeting TC will decide a system to alternate ceremonies sites. Some discussion about other going-ons during and after the ceremonies, music, games etc. Tourism Committee will meet every two weeks now until the race is over.

Next meeting date set for June 20th 2016 8:30 a.m.

Motion to Adjourn by Carol seconded by Susan, meeting adjourned.