

## Emergency CTC Board Meeting

Date: Tuesday, August 27, 2013

CTC President, Chas Webb called the meeting to order at 6:18 p.m. Bill Brock read the mission statement.

Members present: Sujeel Taj, Stacey Malecky, Steve Tompkins, Steve Smalling, John Crawley, Joe Dumas, Brad Harvey, Jane Webb, Sue Barlow, Marco Bianchini, Bill Brock, Sherilyn Johnson, Chas Webb, Sam Pryor

- I. Chattanooga Marathon partnership with CTC
  - a. Chattanooga Marathon – full marathon, half marathon, and 5k
    - i. Expected date early March 2014: conflicting with Scenic City Half Marathon. Possibly replace SCHM.
    - ii. Timeline giving history of Chattanooga Marathon presented
    - iii. The CTC currently does not have any formal documentation with the Chattanooga Marathon
  - b. Executive committee recommendation is to not proceed with the Chattanooga Marathon. Reasoning's for this recommendation: (Presentation given by Sujeel)
    - i. We do have the SCHM, a strong event, with potential to grow the race.
    - ii. Our role within the Chattanooga Marathon has not been made clear.
    - iii. Race course isn't well planned out
    - iv. Too little time between now and the event to make the event successful.
    - v. Open to possible 2015 event with
  - c. Open discussion regarding the event
    - i. Courtney/discussion
      1. Who else is involved in committee? Katie and others not named.
      2. No financial aid has been requested
      3. Advertisement?
      4. City has recommended that the Chattanooga Marathon discuss the event with the CTC.
      5. Katie recommended hiring someone should the CTC not
      6. Course will be a certified course
      7. Proposed date of March 16, 2014. This time because there is another marathon in the Fall.
      8. Entry fee and projected participants: \$125 highest fee, \$85 lowest: discounts are available.
        - a. Costs go to police, different shirts,
      9. Sponsors: no contracts are signed yet: River city company does support the event.

- a. \$10k sponsorship from one unnamed sponsor
  - 10. Why 2014? Will the event happen in 2014 regardless of CTC support?
  - 11. Proceeds: River city will get partial proceeds for “project pop up”. With this budget will break even at this point.
  - 12. Spacing between the SCHM and Chattanooga Marathon: adding the marathon to the SCHM or moving the Chattanooga Marathon out further
  - 13. Financially: losing money from the SCHM will put the CTC at risk
  - 14. 7 Bridges took 2 years of preplanning
  - 15. Possible future contract in 2015
  - 16. Possibility to assist Chattanooga Marathon even with following executive committee recommendation.  
The motion was made to support executive committee recommendation; motion carries
- II. The motion was made to adjourn; it was seconded and all agreed. The meeting was adjourned at 7:37p.m.