DURHAM ANIMAL RESPONSE TEAM

SEPTEMBER 4[™] 2025 7 P.M. COMMUNITY CENTER

- 1. ATTENDENCE --- MO, BRENDA, SUE L, MARYANN, SUE W, SHARON, DICK , JUNE, SEAN, BETH, MEAGHAN, HARRY
- 2. KATRINA 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF STORM DART WAS STARTED IN 2006
- 3. TREASUREY REPORT TOWN HALL ACCOUNT HAS \$321.84 with expenditures of \$400.19. \$234.72 FOR LUNCH FOR LARGE ANIMAL RESCUE, SPARE TIRE AND FUNDRAISER SHIRTS \$320.00.
 - WE RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY \$3200.00 from EM director Jack Trifilo. For uniforms, trailer repair and education.. Sue L had \$14.00 cash from donation boxes. OLD BUSINESS.
- 4. Tag Sale Sharon recapped her \$870.00 profit to the tag sale

Wish List. a new list will need to be made. Top of Sues list a TRIPOD horse lift

'FRIENDS OF DART" is an idea to become a 501-3c non profit with rules and regulation and by laws. Having a secondary group for fundraising events

Meaghan brought up a question about the team and liability while driving a personal vehicle to a call. How are we covered and by who?? Great question.

Harry Hall made a request to have meetings in 2026 changed. Odd months could be a training months and even informational meetings. Harry made a motion to change the meeting events Seconded by Dick All agreed motion passed

Maryann tabled buying more helmets @ \$335 each

Meeting adjourned to go out to bay to see all the work Sue and Sue did reorganizing the trailer and bay Trailer looked great

Meeting Adjourned 8;30

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1. Attendance

Mo, Brenda, Sue L., Maryann, Sue W., Sharon, Dick, June, Sean, Beth, Meaghan, Harry

2. Katrina 20th Anniversary

- Noted the 20th anniversary of Hurricane Katrina.
- DART was established in 2006

3. Treasury Report

- Town Hall account balance: \$321.84
- Expenditures: \$400.19
 - \$234.72 for lunch for large animal rescue
 - Spare tire purchase
 - o Fundraiser shirts: \$320.00
- Received \$3,200.00 from EM Director Jack Trifilo for:
 - o Uniforms
 - o Trailer repair
 - Education
- Sue L. collected \$14.00 cash from donation boxes.

4. Old Business

- Tag Sale Recap: Sharon reported a profit of \$870.00 from the tag sale.
- Wish List: Sue L. proposed creating a new wish list, prioritizing a tripod horse lift.
- "Friends of DART" Proposal: Discussion about forming a 501(c)(3) nonprofit for fundraising events, with rules, regulations, and bylaws.
- **Liability Question**: Meaghan raised concerns about liability coverage for team members driving personal vehicles to calls. Action item: Clarify coverage details and responsible parties.
- Meeting Schedule Change for 2026: Harry proposed alternating meeting types:
 - o Odd months: Training sessions
 - Even months: Informational meetings
 - o Motion made by Harry, seconded by Dick, unanimously approved.
- **Helmet Purchase**: Maryann tabled the proposal to purchase additional helmets at \$335 each.

5. Trailer and Bay Organization

- Meeting adjourned to view the reorganized trailer and bay, led by Sue L. and Sue W.
- Team commended the excellent organization of the trailer.

6. Meeting Adjourned

• Adjourned at 8:30 P.M.