

# Tinley Park Sister Cities Commission Minutes

## Wednesday, July 11, 2018

7pm Kallsen Conference Center

Call to Order 7:10 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Recognize Commission members present: Chairman Lucas Hawley; Secretary/Commissioner Roxane Tyssen; Commissioners: Marilyn Bill, Jim Muller. Associate Commissioner: Rita Brudd.

Previous Meeting Minutes were read.

- May 16, 2018 minutes were read. Motion to approve with stated corrections; Marilyn 1st, Reta 2nd. Minutes approved with corrections.

### **Sister City Updates**

#### Büdingen Sister City Update:

- Lucas recently came back from Germany. He spent part of his time there in Büdingen and with Edda Degenhardt.
- 2018 Visitation from Büdingen Residents:
  - Handouts matching Büdingen visitors with host families were discussed as well as arrival and departure dates.
- July 28, 2018 Skype session is still on schedule.
- Lucas enjoyed his visit to Büdingen in June.
- 2020 Visit to Büdingen is tabled until after the October visit.

### **Prospective Sister City Updates:**

#### Nowy Sacz, Poland Update.

- Reta gave a status update on the formal agreement. There will need to be a signing ceremony, but it does not have to be in person, this can be done via Skype. Reta suggested that we should invite the Consulate from Poland that is located in Chicago to the Skype or to Tinley Park Village Hall when the Mayors sign the agreements.

### **Open Business:**

- TPSC Promo Materials. In progress
- Cultural Exchange - no update
- Bussing, moved to Budingen update.

**Upcoming Business:**

- None.

**New Business:**

- We need to continue to look for additional commissioners.

**Public Comments:**

- None.

A motion was made by Lucas Hawley to adjourn the meeting. Marilyn Bill first, Jim Muller second.  
Adjourned at 8:30 p.m.