

Called to order 5:26 pm Present Barb, James, Renee, Ari, and Mike

After 2 payments to Renee we will still owe her 265.00, Balance prior to her 2 payments is 636.51 so minus the 100.00 our balance is 536.51

Deposited 125.00 from Facebook, 25.00 is still coming yet. Also expecting a check from DH

Still no charge from boosting posts. (?ad from reaching our goal)

Fundraising ideas for the future:

Local grants available are 5,000 from Home Depot, 5,000 from Walmart, we do qualify, we would like to expand our outreach, possible counseling sessions for those just coming out? There is a 100,000 grant available from Lowes in the future to develop a center, building/meeting place.

We are a diverse and underserved community.

Smaller grants could be used for high profile speakers

Receipts from family fare stores could net 1,000 after 150,000 dollars in receipts are saved.

Movie night in May will be Saturday the 12th at 6 pm. The Birdcage is our movie of choice.

Discussed IChat background checks for Michigan, other States would need a paper requisition. James Motioned that we all fill out the forms to be submitted, Renee seconded the motion.