

**Clio Amphitheater Board of Directors  
Clio City Hall - November 12, 2025**

Meeting Called to Order at 5:00pm

**Roll Call**

**Present:** Craig Nelson , Judy Campbell, Reneé Wagle, Judy Barrett, vacant seat

**Absent:** Bill Fagerstrom, Michael Paciorek

**Also Present:** Neil Rankin, Charlie Hyde, Doug Vance

**Public Comment /Presentations:**

It was reported Doug Vance is no longer representing the Clio City Commission on the Amphitheater Board. The Clio City Commission is expected to select a commission member to fill the vacant Amphitheater Board seat at their next meeting.

**Approve Agenda**

**Motion** by Judy Barrett, **supported** by Reneé Wagle to approve the agenda for the **November 12, 2025** meeting.

**All yeas**

**Absent:** Bill Fagerstrom, Michael Paciorek

***Motion carried***

**Approve Minutes of October 16, 2025 Clio Amphitheater Board Meeting**

**Motion** by Reneé Wagle, **supported** by Judy Campbell, to approve the minutes of the Clio Amphitheater **September 18, 2025** Board meeting.

**All yeas**

**Absent:** Bill Fagerstrom, Michael Paciorek

***Motion carried***

**Treasurer's Report**

**Treasurer** Judy Campbell reviewed the treasurer's report covering the period of **July 1, 2025** through **October 31, 2025**. As of **July 1, 2025**, the Amphitheater **balance** was **\$99,260.43**. During this period there was **income** of **\$30,614.03** and **expenses** of **\$44,336.13** which included the cost of moving and wiring the Ticket Booth along with landscaping the front of the Ticket Booth. As of **October 31, 2025** the Amphitheater **balance** is **\$81,446.02**. There is also **\$4,441.59** in the **Capital Improvement account**.

**Motion** by Judy Barrett to **receive the Treasurer's Report**.

**Old Business**

**A) Bat Removal Update**

Neil Rankin reported he met with the "Bat Man Company" and is still investigating other companies.

**B) Update on Winterizing Building and Finishing Ticket Booth**

Neil Rankin reported the Amphitheater backstage is winterized and is still waiting to hear from the Clio High School shop teacher regarding what needs to be done to winterize the Ticket Booth.

**C) Update on Changing Park Ordinance**

Neil Rankin updated the Amphitheater board regarding the possibility of splitting the Amphitheater from the Clio Park. This **MIGHT** allow the City Commission to approve the sale of alcohol during the summer concerts. It would still be necessary to be covered by an insurance policy and no one would be allowed to **leave** the Amphitheater grounds with alcohol during or after the concert. The Clio City Commission would still need to approve the sale of alcohol during the summer concert season.

**D) Concessions for All Eight 2026 Summer Concerts**

Tacoma President, Charlie Hyde reported the next meeting of Tacoma Productions will take place in May, 2026. Tacoma will tackle this issue at the next meeting and report the decision to the Amphitheater Board the decision to sell concession items for **six shows or the entire eight concerts**.

**E) Agreement with Clio Schools for Parking Update**

Neil Rankin reported a meeting with Clio Schools has not been scheduled to discuss this issue.

**F) Ticket Prices for 2026**

The issue regarding prices for Amphitheater Season Tickets was discussed. Judy Campbell reported 61 Amphitheater Season Ticket Passes were sold for the 2025 Amphitheater Season.

**Motion** by Judy Barrett, **supported** by Craig Nelson to sell individual tickets for **\$7.00** per show and also provide two options for the sales of season tickets:

**\$25.00 for 4 shows and \$45.00 for 8 shows**

**Roll Call Vote:**

**Voting Yes:** Craig Nelson, Reneé Wagle, Judy Campbell, Judy Barrett

**Voting No:** None

**Absent:** Bill Fagerstrom, Michael Paciorek

***Motion Carried***

Craig Nelson reported he will work on getting the tickets and season passes printed in order to allow for selling season passes in the months before the 2026 season.

**G) Volunteer Incentives**

A discussion was held regarding help needed from volunteers and the number of volunteers needed for each concert. This issue will be discussed at the next meeting.

**H) Seeking Other Non-Attribute Shows to the Amphitheater**

Craig Nelson discussed the possibility of trying to draw other programs/concerts to use the Amphitheater and trying to set an insurance fee built into the rental cost. This issue will be discussed at future meetings.

**New Business**

**A) T-Shirts, Hats and Other Amphitheater Items to Sell**

A discussion was held on this issue. It was reported that in the past concert goers purchased performer merchandise but not Clio Amphitheater merchandise. The consensus was **NOT** to sell Amphitheater merchandise shirts, caps etc. during the 2026 season.

**B) Seeking Sponsorship of Entire Season**

**C) Local Business Summer Tribute Series**

A discussion was held on these two issues. The consensus was to perhaps consider this issue in the future.

**D) Clio Chamber of Commerce Membership**

In the past the Clio Amphitheater has paid the **\$50.00** yearly cost. A discussion was held regarding the reasons to join or not join for 2026.

**Motion** by Judy Cambell, **supported** by Craig Nelson to **NOT** join the Chamber of Commerce for 2026.

**Role Call Vote:**

**Voting Yes (to not join):** Judy Campbell

**Voting No (to join):** Craig Nelson, Reneé Wagle, Judy Barrett

**Absent:** Bill Fagerstrom, Michael Paciorek

**Motion Failed**

**Motion** by Craig Nelson, supported by Judy Barrett to pay the **\$50.00** fee to **join** the Clio Chamber of Commerce for 2026.

**Role Call Vote:**

**Voting Yes (to join):** Craig Nelson, Judy Barrett

**Voting No (not join):** Judy Campbell, Reneé Wagle

**Absent:** Bill Fagerstrom, Michael Paciorek

**Motion Failed**

**Staff. Board Reports**

Neil Rankin reported the deck located at the south end of the Amphitheater has been removed. The “Tacoma Falls” will be taken out and the area will be cleaned.

Neil also reported the Greater Flint Genesee Arts grant has been completed and submitted with a request for \$30,000 for the Clio Amphitheater.

Craig Nelson reported some of the banners attached to the Amphitheater fence need to be taken down.

**Meeting Adjourned at 6:20pm**

**Next Meeting --- Wednesday, December 3, 2025 5:00pm  
Clio City Hall**