

Tontitown Historical Museum (THM) Report for the COW Meeting

Tuesday, February 15 , 2022

The THM Board of Directors met in-person on Monday, February 7th.

1. **Board Officers** - The THM Board has elected the below slate of officers for 2022.
 - a. President - Katherine Karras
 - b. Vice President - Misty Piazza
 - c. Secretary - Emily Pinalto-Beshears
 - d. Treasurer - Bev Cortiana-McEuen

2. **Board Member Reappointments** - We request Acting Mayor Gene McCartney recommend that the City Council members approve Bev Cortiana-McEuen and Heather Ranalli-Peachee's reappointments to the THM board in the March City Council meeting.

3. **Book Presentation** - The THM Board is excited to plan a book presentation of the recently published *Italians of Sunnyside, The History — from 1895, Second Edition* by Libby Borgognoni at the **Tontitown Winery**. Libby's son, Anthony Borgognoni, and our own Dr. Rebecca (Becky) Howard will speak. Stay tuned for date, time and more information.

4. **Tontitown Heritage Day** - The THM Board has tentatively set Saturday, May 21 12-2 pm for the Tontitown Heritage Day event.

As a reminder, please contact Pam if you need to visit the museum for any reason. Public visits are currently by appointment only. Pam can be reached at 479-502-2221. Thank you!

The next THM Board of Directors meeting is scheduled for Monday, March 7, 2022 6 p.m. via in person.

THM Board Members

Katherine Karras, President
Misty Piazza, Vice President
Emily Pinalto-Beshears, Secretary
Bev Cortiana-McEuen, Treasurer

Caroline Franco-Ceola
Jennifer De Martino
Heather Ranalli-Peachee
Riley Tessaro