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**MINUTES**  
**STATHAM EVENTS COMMITTEE**  
**Tuesday, March 11, 2025**  
**6:30pm**

**1. Call to Order**

- a. Chairperson Christine Bogenrieder called the meeting to order at 6:30pm.
- b. Committee Members present: Christine Bogenrieder, Shannon Patterson, Mickey Smith, Kristi Royston, and Gary Venable.

**2. Minute approval from last meeting – February**

- a. Shannon Patterson's motion to approve was seconded by Gary Venable and passed unanimously.

**3. Recap of ROMCOM trivia**

- a. Attendance was lower than expected but everyone commented that it was a fun event.

**4. Review details for Makers Market/Easter event**

- a. Makers Market application is available on Eventeny. About 1/3 of the spaces remain available.
- b. 1025 Church continues preparing for the Easter Event. The City will contribute candy.

**5. Budget for 2025 – 2026**

- a. The committee briefly discussed the 2026 submission deadline. 2024 – 2025 events remain under budget.

**6. Star Spangled Statham**

- a. Possible activities were discussed including music, hula hoops, sidewalk chalk/paint, and food vendors.

**7. BTS trivia, Sunflower festival, Halloween, Veterans Day, Christmas**

- a. The Back to School Trivia event is scheduled with the Trivia vendor.
- b. The Sunflower Festival application is available on Eventeny or at City Hall.
- c. Chairman Bogenrieder and Member Gary Venable are also members of the Halloween Committee. They briefly shared items being discussed by that committee.
- d. Six more spaces are available for Veteran Banners. Applications are available at City Hall.
- e. Members stated they enjoyed last year's Christmas Event and appreciated 1025 Church singing. Additional music options include a handbell choir and the Bear Creek Middle School Chorus. There will be a gift market in the Community Center again.

**8. Open discussion about event related subjects/ideas**

- a. A wrestling event was presented for consideration. Discussion included if it would be a popular event for the community, where it could be located, and what time of year would be best. It could be included as an event for the 2025 – 2026 budget and held in the Fall when it's cooler.

**9. Adjourn**

Gary Venable's motion was seconded by Mickey Smith and passed unanimously at 6:38pm.