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Minutes from (virutal) meeting on February 2, 2021
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8 a.m.: Community News

- Forum zoom meeting tonight at 7 p.m. for approve for spending the NSP funds. Link was mailed out.
- CHCURC annual meeting tomorrow night at 7 p.m. on Facebook and website. The program is 30 minutes. Celebrations and looking ahead. Annual Meeting page on website where people can donate and pledge.
- January meeting minutes approved.
- Treasurer's report: We now have an anonymous donation to CH Emergency Fund. Those donations are not tax deductible but it will help support the community.

8:15 a.m.: Round Robin

- **Aaron Fleming, College Hill Yoga and Flemco Designs,** Free classes this week. Regular classes begin next week. Working on taking on business partner for Flemco Designs.
- **Terry Owen, Silk Road Textiles,** By appointment only and still working. Miss the spontaneous visits. Wrapped up inventory in January. Three classes online: quilting, textiles, sweater knit alongs, embroidery. Good interaction and community events.
- **Jeff Jasinoski, First Financial**, We recognized College Hill Coffee 15th anniversary with coffee gift cards. Office hours are 9am-5pm, M-F. No longer open Saturday. By appointment only.
- **Marty Russell, Exp Realty**, Everything is the same. House prices going up. Inventory is low.
- **Karen Hartman, Hartman CPA**, Gearing up for tax season. Individual returns can be filed after Feb. 12. Have not heard anything about it being delayed this year. April 15 will likely be the deadline for filing.
- **Leah Marie, Huntington Bank**, Working on PPP and SBA loans. SBA is making payments. Rates for purchasing real estate are very low.
- **Marty W, Marty's Hops & Vines**, Growlers are available now—32 ounces, fill up with any of the six drafts. Participating in Taste of Cincinnati—purchase online—pizza and beer through the month of February. Raffling a $200 gift cards. Every $25 purchase you receive a ticket for $200 raffle. Wed.-Sat. 3-9 pm retail, 4:30-8 pm kitchen. Restaurant is not open but still doing carry out. Wine of the month club—two bottles for $35. Beer of the month for $25. Not in rush to open the dinning room. Excited about the new construction which will help with the future.
- **Corless Berry, Chozen4You**, Celebrated two year anniversary with a sale. The fire in the building did not affect her store. Recognizing Black History month and Valentine's Day.

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- **Sandra Shakir, Inspire Salon:** 50% off sale, collaborating with another business for a virtual event later in February. Wed-Sat, Thurs, 10am-9pm.

On-going Business

- **Best of Cincinnati**, voting through City Beat, goes through Fri, Feb. 5.
- Discussed the details for **business booklet:** Corless, Kate and Aaron formed committee for decision making. We decided we should not charge for the booklet but businesses could pay extra if they wanted a larger ad. Any member business can have a smaller ad.