The second annual Bastrop Volunteer Fair which was held at the convention center on Tuesday July 16th was another huge success for the Bastrop area Cruisers. Members Tony and Pat Sloterdijk, Lisa Bettit, Lynn Shirk, and Bill Szelag were there to greet and inform interested attendees about our club and the car show. As you can see in the pictures, we drew additional attention as we were able to park Harry and Cheryl's 1961 Cadillac out in front of the convention center. Luckily the booths were set up alphabetically and we were also right at the entrance as the community members entered the convention center room.

The results of the evening were outstanding as when the night was over we had 12 names on our sign-in sheets who expressed interest in volunteering to assist in the car show on November 9th. Additionally, two of the community members attendees were also interested in joining the Bastrop Area Cruisers Club, one of which has already sent in their membership form. We welcome John and Suzanne Kafel to our BAC family!

Thanks to each of our BAC member volunteers Tony, Pat, Lynn, and Lisa as they did an outstanding job in representing our club. The overall volunteer Fair has been a success not only for us but also for gaining volunteers for Bastrop City advisory boards as and for other non-profit organizations such as the food pantry, Garden Club, Animal Shelter, and many more. There were at least 30-40 organizations there. Tony Sloterdijk is following up with all volunteers to let them know the next steps in working with us on the car show for the day of the event.

It was not only fun talking to many community members about our club and car show but also fun getting the 61 Caddy down the walkway in order to park it on the Pavilion area of the convention center as seen in the pictures. A super evening with the BAC again involved in the community.

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