

Board of Directors and Committee Chairs Meeting, January 11, 2023 Via Zoom Approved Minutes

Submitted by Michelle Gaston, Secretary

Call to Order – McCoy	

Roll Call – Gaston				
Officers		Regional Representatives		
Teresa McCoy (NC), President	Х	Adeola Ogunade, Northeast	Х	
Matt Benge (S), President-Elect	X Brenda Allen, North Central		Х	
Julie Huetteman (NC), Past President	Х	Craig Rotter, Southern	Х	
Michelle Gaston (NC), Secretary	Х			
Meredith Weinstein (S), Treasurer X LaTasha Ford, 1890s		LaTasha Ford, 1890s	Х	
		Vacant, 1994s		
Committee	Cha	irs/Co-Chairs		
Jeremy Elliott-Engel (W) Awards & Recognition	Х	Lisa Kaslon (NC), Awards & Recognition		
Vikram Koundinya (W), Conference		Lendel Narine (W), Conference	Χ	
Steve Siegelin (W), Finance	Х	Julie Robinson (S), Finance		
Cheryl Newberry (W), Marketing	Х	X Hannah Gerken (W), Marketing		
Brad Sewell (NC), Membership	Х	Tearney Woodruff (S), Membership		
xx Professional Development		Emily Lane Smith (S), Professional Development		
Julie Huetteman (NC), Nominating	Х			
Matt Benge (S), Policy & Resolution	Χ			
	Liaiso	nne.		
Kristi Farner (S), JCEP PILD Representative (2 nd Yr.)	Liaist	Laurie Chandler (NC) JCEP PILD Representative	1	
Kristi Farrier (3), JCLF FILD Representative (2 11.)		(1st Yr.) – starting in April 2022		
Jared Morrison (NC), JCEP ELC Representative (2 nd	1,,	Mary Fran San Soucie (W), JCEP ELC	Х	
Yr.)	X Representative (1 st Yr.)			
Steve Siegelin (W), JOE Representative	Χ			
Amanda Pycz	Gues	STS		
Amanda Rysz				

Approval of Consent Agenda – McCoy			
Motion	Approve consent agenda	MOVED/2 ND /VOTE	Weinstein/Rotter/passed

Reports of Officers:

- November and December 2022 minutes will be shared for approval next month.
- Conflict of Interest Policy will be sent out to the board members to sign.
- Committees should begin working on their plan of work which is due March 31.
- Emily Lane Smith will co-chair the professional development committee, still in need of a chair.

Secretary's Report – Gaston

• All board and committee members will have access to Box for file storage.

Treasurer's Report – Weinstein

- Weinstein plans to update the format of the financial report.
- One awardee has not cashed their check, which becomes a 2023 tax liability.
- AFRI funds have not been received yet to offset the expenses.
- One person has not paid for the conference. T will ask the finance committee for a policy for uncollected debt.
- Complete Treasurer's Report and Budget Update were emailed prior to the meeting.

Treasurer's Report (12/31/22)

Account balances total = \$100,167.64 Year-to-Date Expenditures: \$56,123.84 Year-to-Date Income: \$73,410.75 Year-to Date Net Income: \$17,286.91

Reports of Regional Representatives:

Ogunade (NE), Allen (NC), Rotter (S), Narine (W), Ford (1890)

- NE Working on increasing participation.
- NC Nothing to report.
- S Working on membership goals.
- W Getting folks lined up to help with the conference.
- 1890 Jan 23 to speak at an event and hope to grow awareness of NAEPSDP.

Reports of Committees:

Awards & Recognition - Elliott-Engel & Kaslon

• Elliott-Engel has been receiving committee info from the previous chair.

Conference – Koundinya & Narine

• Would like to hold the May board meeting at the Salt Lake City hotel for those who are able to travel (+Zoom option).

Finance – Siegelin & Robinson

- Seeking temporary guidance on allocating funds between accounts with a suggestion of \$25,000 at start of year in the checking account with the balance in savings.
- Would like authorization for the finance committee to pursue an investment policy and advisor to help invest funds.
- Presentation of 2023 budget. Highlights: Wild Apricot fee increases, funds to hire a tax professional, offer \$3,000 to provide support to President, President-Elect, and Past President for attendance at the PILD conference. The 2023 budget shows income over expenses of \$1,700.
- There are designated funds for scholarships and awards.

Marketing – Newberry & Gerken

• The committee will meet the last week of January. Newberry will lead the newsletter and Gerken will lead the website. Newsletters will go out every 2-3 weeks.

Membership – Sewell & Wolfork

• The first membership meeting of the year will be on January 24.

Nominating - Huetteman

• No report.

Policy & Resolution - Benge

• No report.

Professional Development - TBD & Lane Smith

• Emily Lane Smith will be the co-chair.

Reports of Liaisons:

JCEP / Extension Leadership Conference (ELC) - Morrison & San Soucie

• ELC is February 7-9 and registration is open (\$450) https://www.jcep.org/elc/2023

JCEP / Public Issues Leadership Development (PILD) – Farner & Chandler

• PILD is April 16-19. There will be a virtual pre-conference activity to prepare attendees.

Journal of Extension – Siegelin

No report.

Webmaster - Payne

Unfinished Business

• No unfinished business.

New Business			
Motion	Treasurer is authorized to	Moved/2 ND /Vote	Huetteman/Rotter/Passed
	start each year with \$25,000		
	in checking and the balance		
	in savings.		
Motion	Authorize finance committee	Moved/2 ND /Vote	Huetteman/Benge/Passed
	to pursue an investment		
	policy and advisor to help		
	invest funds.		
Motion	Accept the proposed 2023	Moved/Vote	Ogunade/Passed
	budget as presented.		
	(Discussion: Webinar		
	transcription was not		
	included, can rely on Zoom		
	or request funds if deemed		
	necessary.)		

Benge initiated a conversation about offering the annual conference in-person every other year.

- If in-person, need to get ahead of the planning with an intentional strategy.
- Several prefer the in-person conference every year.

- The timing of starting on the Monday after Thanksgiving is tough; consider shifting to at least later that week.
- The executive committee will pursue a survey to membership (current and past) to inquire about conference timing and format.

Adjourn			
MOTION	Adjourn the meeting.	Moved/2 ND /Vote	Rotter/Allen/Passed

Next meeting: Wednesday, February 8, 2023, 1 p.m. ET via Zoom.