#### **Staff Council Minutes**

Meeting Date: 7.19.23

Start/End Time: 1:30pm/3:05pm

Location: MCB 122

Attendance: Debbie Bugenhagen, Dominic Dertatevasion, Cathy Edwards, Lori Hayes, Megan Schmidt

(remote) Andrew Barnes, Keith Benton

Other guests in attendance: None

Called to order at 1:30 pm. Motion made by Debbie Bugenhagen and seconded by Andrew Barnes.

#### **General Business:**

**Approval of the Previous Meeting Minutes.** Motion made by Dominic Dertatevasion and seconded by Andrew Barnes.

**Approval of the Meeting Agenda.** Motion made by Debbie Bugenhagen and seconded by Dominic Dertatevasion.

## Treasurer's Report - Andrew Barnes

- Flywire money from silent auction is in Scholarship Fund
- Scholarship operations acct \$21,168.60
- Scholarship Acct \$8,115.53

## Staff Scholarship - Debbie Bugenhagen

- Dominic Dertatevasion will update the staff scholarship and the endowment and create a mailbox for the Staff Scholarship. Co-chairs and scholarship chair will have access.
- We will have a separate mailbox for Staff Scholarship and one for EOQ submissions.
- We gave out 7 scholarships and also the Barry Thompson endowment.

#### Call for FY24 Staff Council Volunteers - Lori Hayes

- Cathy Edwards made a motion to accept all 6 applications. Debbie Bugenhagen seconded the motion.
  - o Jiying Yu
  - o Sean Ray
  - o Pamela Luckenbill

- Ashley Scott
- Lynette Shimek
- Meredith Fox
- Lori will order lunch and nametags

## **Profit Shares Update** - Cathy Edwards

• Will update within the next couple of weeks

## Apparel Sale Update - Carla Krystyniak

• Will get update next meeting

# July 'Beat the Heat' Event - Lori Hayes

- Talked to Grand Station and they don't have a package deal
- We decided not to do this since it's getting close to school starting.
- Next year it might be better to have the event mid/late July before back-to-school activities start.

#### Miscellaneous - All

- Wheelchairs for each building entrance (Bruce Karr request)
  - He thinks the building needs a wheelchair at each entrance for visitors.
  - o The council suggested that he talk to Edwin in facilities.
- Cathy Josie wants us to come up with perks for being a System employee
  - o Look at HR site Perks Connect to see what we already have
  - o Ask Josie for more information
- Cathy all council members need to put all files on shared drive, especially members that will be rolling off next month.
- Cathy check with the Bomber guy to see how many actually showed up
- Discussed the importance of starting to plan Annual Meeting as soon as new fiscal year starts September 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Discussed the importance of starting to plan silent auction/picnic BEFORE the holidays.
- Lori suggested Staff Council order 1-2 wagons for transporting items to events
- Debbie suggested a System Building Scavenger Hunt off work for a couple of hours.

 Meeting for this year's Staff Council to celebrate the year at a restaurant for appetizers and drinks. August 8<sup>th</sup> – Chuy's 4:30-6:30pm AAR. Cathy will send out an invite.

 ${\bf Questions/Discussion} - All$ 

Adjournment at 3:05pm

# **Next meeting**

- Staff Council: Wednesday, August 9, 2023, 12-2 PM, MCB 122
  - Farewell / Welcome Lunch provided