

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS City Hall North February 6, 2024 at 6:00 pm In-person & Zoom Meeting MINUTES

WELCOME:

I. Call to order – Regina Pryor, President called the meeting to order at 6:09 PM.

QUORUM ROLL CALL (12 elected members are currently needed for a quorum. *Emeritus members do not count for this purpose.)

PRESENT:

NAME	Y	Ν	NAME	Y	N
Goh	Х		McCormick	Х	
Andrews		Х	Park		Х
Besenfelder		Х	Pryor	Х	
Cha	Х		Ramos		Х
Choi	Z		Schlaerth	Z	
delToro-Diaz	Х		Singh	Z	
Dillon		Х	Sproul		Х
Fleisher	Х		Stone	Х	
He		Х	Tamsi	Z	
Hernandez	Z		Verdugo	Х	
Hungerford	Z		*Park E		Х
Jhaj		Х	*Park Y		Х
Kooner	Х				

Member: Mello

II. SECRETARY'S REPORTS

- A. Minutes: Fleisher. Motion: Tamsi Second: McCormick Motion Passed.
- B. Correspondence: Pryor. None.
- III. TREASURER'S REPORTS: Schlaerth. Motion: Stone. Second: Kooner. Motion passed.
- IV. MAYOR'S REPORT: Mayor Goh

V. PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Pryor

- A. February Birthday: Young-Woo Park 2/20
- B. March Birthdays: Kooner 3/10, Stone 3/15, Sproul 3/16, Choi 3/28, Hungerford 3/31, McCormick 3/31.
- C. Newsletter to feature each sister city Committee April Amritsar, May Queretaro

VI. DISCUSSION

A . Annual Meeting March 12: \$35 for members, \$40 non-members. No board meeting March 5^{th} due to annual meeting.

- 1. Senor Pepe at 6:00 PM: 4 entrée buffet.
- 2. Entertainment: 6:30pm
- 3. Board Elections: Kooner, Fleisher, Dillon.

4. Confirmation of committee appointees up for re-election – Besenfelder: Motion: Stone. Second: Verdugo. Passed. Choi: Motion: Pryor. Second: Stone. Passed. Singh: Motion: Kooner. Second: McCormick. Passed. Tamsi: Motion: Pryor. Second: Kooner. Passed.

- 4. Program
- 5. Minutes from last Annual meeting
- 6. Treasurer's Report
- 7. Flyer to send out to members and post on website and everyone's social media
- 8. Raffle
- 9. Reports from each Sister City Chair

B. Peace Poll Update – delToro-Diaz. Pole is fabricated. Dedication plaque with names of students involved in fabrication is sourced. Have to decide paint options. ROC is doing the letters.

C. Sister City Publicity Report – Sue & Terry Will be tabling in August at Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

D. Possible Sister City Festival with Music in Spring – switching this to 9/21/24 for Peace Pole dedication.

E. John Hefner Fund and how to use it. Potential scholarship process?

VII. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Amritsar: Kooner. Election is ending in May, so we can schedule trip to India after.
- B. Bucheon: Cha. Thanked Mayor Goh for the inspiring speech to the youth delegation.
- C. Queretaro: Ramos
- D. Cixi: Pryor. Youth Art Contest. Theme is Green Future, open to ages 7-12 and 13-15.
- E. Wakayama: Stone/Verdugo. Youth trip set. Wakayama will visit in July, from 23rd-30th.
- F. Other:

Saint-Jean-de-Luz: Pryor. Aiming for Youth trip in Spring Break 2025.

VIII.OTHER ITEMS

A. Facebook & Website: Hungerford – People have been following our facebook and checking out our website.

- B. SoCal: Stone Announced art contest and Youth summit.
- C. Youth Advisory: Sproul. Not present.

IX. ANNOUNCEMENTS

X. NEXT MEETING

- A. March 12 Annual Meeting/Dinner
- B. FUTURE MEETINGS April 2, May 7, June 4

XI. ADJOURNMENT