

# EASTERN NEW YORK SOCIETY OF LAND SURVEYORS

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# MINUTES BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

November 13, 2014 Shaker Ridge Country Club 802 Albany Shaker Road, Albany, NY

President Kristin Darrah called the meeting to order at 5:55 pm.

Present were: Randy Paquin, Robert Wilklow, Lee Lurie, Kristin Darrah, Chris Czerw, Eric Crampton, Ralph Hill and Brie Strom.

Absent: Larry O'Connor, Richard Bennett, Greg Kovach, Daniel Peeters and Jason Peterson.

### Secretary's Report – Robert Wilklow

• Minutes from the October Board of Directors meeting were submitted by Robert Wilklow for review by the Board Members. A motion was made by Chris Czerw to accept the minutes, seconded by Ralph Hill. The motion was passed.

#### **Treasurer's Report – Eric Crampton**

• The Treasurer's report was submitted by Eric Crampton.

## **President's Report – Kristin Darrah**

- The NYSAPLS BOD meeting will be held November 14<sup>th</sup> in Bolton Landing where the new strategic plan will be discussed. Thank you to Randy Paquin for volunteering to represent ENYSLS.
- Thank you to Robert Wilklow and Lee Lurie for their work on the Nominating Committee.
- The conference Ad is due soon. Brie Strom has a draft ready for review. The ad was approved after minor updates to the members list. Chris Czerw volunteered to make the revisions.
- NYSAPLS 2015 Conference to be held January 21-23 at Turning Stone Resort, Verona. Early Bird Registration deadline is Dec. 1, 2014. Register by Nov. 15 and get \$10 off at the NYSAPLS Bookstore.

# **Executive Vice President's Report – Randel Paquin**

• Announced that ENYSLS wiil be sponsoring the welcome door prize at the 2015 NYSAPLS Conference at a cost of \$500.

# **Vice President's Report – Brie Strom**

• No report.

# **STANDING COMMITTEES:**

Constitution & By-laws: Larry O'Connor, Bill Schraa, Randy Paquin, Ralph Hill: No report.

Continuing Education: Jody Lounsbury, Chuck Lent, Larry O'Connor: No report.

Ethics: Jim Vianna, Jeff Ostertag, Kevin Rounds: No report.

Finance: Bill Darling, Chris Czerw: The 2015 budget was submitted by Chris for review.

Legislative: Larry O'Connor: nothing to report

**Program:** Randy Paquin, Larry O'Connor:

• T.B.D. depending on the outcome of the proposed By-Law changes involving Membership meeting dates.

<u>Public Relations:</u> Jody Lounsbury, Brie Strom: No report.

<u>Scholastic Development:</u> Kristin Demers, Randy Paquin: Reported receiving 5 applications for the scholarships, 0 from Alfred, 3 from Paul Smith's and 2 from Ranger School.

Business Practice & Technical Information: Chris Czerw: No report.

Membership: Robert Wilklow, Steve Dickson: No report.

Website: Richard Bennett, Ralph Hill: No report.

#### **TEMPORARY COMMITTEES**

Old Business: none

New Business: none

Temporarily adjourned at 6:50 pm.

Next Board of Directors meeting will be 5:30 pm on Thursday December 11th at a location to be determined.

Temporarily adjourned the meeting at 6:50 pm.

#### GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

President Kristin Darrah called the meeting to order at 8:00 pm.

Annual Elections: Nominations were opened to the floor. No nominations. A motion to close nominations by Randy Paquin second by Carl Rigdon, approved.

Thanks to the nominating committee, Robert Wilklow and Lee Lurie, for this year's candidates. Brie Strom and Lee Lurie adjourned to count the ballots.

President Kristin Darrah announced to the General Membership that the NYSAPLS BOD meeting will be held November 14th in Bolton Landing where the new strategic plan will be discussed. Thank you to Randy Paquin for volunteering to represent ENYSLS. NYSAPLS 2015 Conference to be held January 21-23 at Turning Stone Resort, Verona. Early Bird Registration deadline is Dec. 1, 2014. Register by Nov. 15 and get \$10 off at the NYSAPLS Bookstore.

Election Results: Senior Members: Kristin Darrah, Lawrence J. O'Connor and Kaleb Winters Associate Member: Christopher Czerw

The changes to the bylaws and constitution were also approved.

Harry Schultz from Waypoint gave a presentation on GNSS.

The Board of Directors adjourned to vote for officers for 2015.

Nominations by Randy Paquin seconded by Ralph Hill:

President; Kristin Demers

Executive Vice President; Randy Paquin

Vice President; Kaleb Winters Treasurer; Eric Crampton Secretary; Robert Wilklow

Motion for the secretary to cast one ballot for each position. Approved

Robert Wilklow announced the new Officers to the membership.

Old Business - none

New Business – none

Motion to adjourn by Eric Crampton seconded by Robert Wilklow, the meeting was adjourned at 9:10.

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President: Kristin Demers Lawrence O'Connor 2015 **Eric Crampton** 2016 Randel Paquin 2017 Exec. Vice-President: Randel Paquin 2015 2016 Robert Wilklow 2017 Kristin Demers Jason Peterson Ralph Hill Daniel Peeters **Brie Strom** 2016 Vice-President: Brie Strom 2015 2017 Secretary: Robert Wilklow 2015 2016 2017 Chris Czerw Greg Kovach Lee Lurie Treasurer: Eric Crampton Past President: Richard Bennett