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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Meeting Minutes

May 30, 2025

10:00 a.m.

Approved as corrected 7-18-25

NOT PRESENT

Daniel C. Levler – AME President
Mike Johnson – Finance & Technology
Mike Arnoni – Parks
Tom Lima – SCCC Security

- Excused

- Excused

PROXIES

Danielle Botkin - Parks

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Meeting of the Suffolk County Association of Municipal Employees Board of Directors was called to order on Friday, May 30, at 10:15 a.m. Executive Vice President Thomas P. Moran and Recording Secretary Christina A. Maher were present.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Shaun Fitzpatrick DPW Blue Unit President

Executive Vice President Moran announced the incoming CSEB Unit President MaryBeth Tannacore and administered the Oath of Office.

3. MINUTES

A. February 28, 2025 as corrected

Motion by John Manzi FRES Unit President, seconded by Palma Barnes Health Unit President to approve the corrected February 28, 2025 meeting minutes. Motion adopted unanimously.

B. April 25, 2025

Motion by Joe Muncey Hauppauge South Unit President, seconded by Geoff Mascaro DPW White Unit President to approve the April 25, 2025. Motion adopted unanimously.

4. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Executive Vice President Moran announced there is no Sergeant at Arms, Danielle Botkin will be Proxy for the Parks Unit.

5. A. GRIEVANCE REPORT

Report in your packet for review.

B. HEALTH & SAFETY REPORT

Report in your packet for review. – Updated

6. ELECTRONIC BALLOTS

None

7. TREASURER'S REPORT

A. March 2025 Operating Report

Treasurer Cucciniello reported the Revenue & Expenses

- \$423,108 Revenues - upward trend
- \$289,214 Expenditures
- Remaining PAC Balance noted on bottom of report.

B. April 2025 Operating Report

Treasurer Cucciniello reported the Revenue & Expenses

- \$388,439 Revenues - upward trend
- \$365,529 Expenditures
- Remaining PAC Balance noted on bottom of report.

Treasurer Cucciniello announced

- PAC is several months behind,
- PAC is being paid back each month,
- Will make the recommendation to increase the PAC monthly transfers.

Motion by Josephine Makowski SCCC White Unit President, seconded by Frank DiGirolamo DPW Sani Blue President to approve the March 2025 Operating Report & the April 2025 Operating Report. Motion was adopted unanimously.

8. INDEPENDENT DISCIPLINARY COUNSEL REPORT (IDC)

A. Cucciniello v. D. Levler Charges & Recommendation

Motion by Sarah Serventi Medical Examiners Unit President, seconded by Frank DiGirolamo DPW Sanitation Blue Unit President amended the motion to Enter Executive Session at 10:27 am and allow the incoming board members Terry Maccarrone, Annette Mahoney – Cross & Michelle O'Connell to remain in the meeting. Motion adopted unanimously.

Christina Caldea Police Civilian Unit President requested to take Public Portion out of order – Request declined by the BOD.

Charges & Recommendations discussed.

Motion by Sarah Serventi Medical Examiners Unit President, seconded by Frank DiGirolamo DPW Sanitation Blue Unit President to Exit Executive Session at 11:20 am. Motion adopted unanimously.

Motion by John Manzi FRES Unit President, seconded by Matt Arendt DPW Sani White Unit President to approve the recommendation made by the IDC for the Association Executive Board to issue a formal reprimand. Motion adopted in the majority.

Break 11:21 – 11:41

9. COMMITTEE REPORTS

Josephine Riley Social Committee Chair announced:

Outgoing team & Incoming team working together to put together items needed for the upcoming events.

- AME Executive Board Swearing in Ceremony – June 25th at AME
- AME Picnic – 2nd Saturday in September, no food pricing confirmed, Kona Ice approved. Band Booked
- AME Golf Outing – October 9th – Baiting Hollow
- Trunk or Treat – October 18th
- Veterans Dinner – TBD
- Children Holiday Party - TBD

10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

11. GROUP DISCUSSION

- Update on Labor Study – No update
- Update on VSF – On Target
- Decertification Attempt (Teamsters)
 - Frank DiGirolamo DPW Sani Blue Unit President was informed by members of Bergen Point approximately 300 cards were signed.
 - Executive VP Elect Mahoney-Cross spoke with the organizer of the Teamsters. Teamsters are interested in AME Building, & BF. Talking points can be found on the social media page Michele O'Connell for Recording Secretary.

- Recommendation to distribute the History of AME to its members.
- AME Counsel explained the Decertification process.
- Teamsters - Strike Fund
- Lack of representation will be provided for units by Teamsters
- Recommendation to have first half unit general membership meetings.

12. COUNSEL REPORT

None

13. NEW BUSINESS

None

14. UNIT REPORTING

Recording Secretary Maher reported 25 out of 30 remain in-compliance.

15. PUBLIC PORTION

None

16. ADJOURN

Executive Vice President Moran announced:

- Outgoing and Incoming Team are working together for a smooth transition.
- Wished the new team much success.
- Request the BOD to continue the good work & to continue to fight for the members.

Desiree Evangelista Patient Care Unit President/Incoming Board Member disagreed with EVP Moran's statement of working together.

Motion by Geoff Mascaro, DPW White Unit President, seconded by Frank DiGirolamo DPW Sani Blue Unit President to adjourn at 12:03 p.m. Motion adopted unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted as corrected by Michele A. O'Connell


Recording Secretary

Next Meeting: Friday, June 27, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.