CoDA World Board December 7, 2013 Conference Call

8:30am-10:30am PDT

MINUTES

MEETING CALLED BY	Florence F. , Board Chair
ATTENDEES	Hal H Vice Chair, Barbara D Treasurer, Lisa B Secretary, Chris H Trustee, Dagmar M Trustee, David Mc Trustee, Evie S Trustee, Charles Z Alternate Trustee, and Lorraine O Alternate Trustee. Mercedes M. – Trustee was not in attendance
OBSERVERS	

APPROVE SUMMARY & MINUTES

MOTION 1.	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
To approve the November summary & minutes	First - David Second - Barbara Vote results: Unanimous

RATIFICATION OF BOARD GCS VIA EMAIL

MOTION 2.	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
	First - Barbara
 Proposed response to trusted servant regarding the Excel file in the Consultant Model Area 	Second - David
 the Committee Work Area Approve \$1254 for sending Mexico a cease and desist letter 	Vote results:
• Approve \$1254 for senting weaked a cease and desist letter	Unanimous

TREASURER'S REPORT

REPORT	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Written report submitted Will be sending information to Hal & Lisa for signatory information	Barbara

DATE & LOCATION OF NEXT F2F MEETING

REPORT/DISCUSSION	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Date of next F2F meeting in Phoenix, AZ Saturday February 1 – Monday February 3, 2014 Saturday would be strategic planning Sunday-Monday would be Board meeting	Hal/Florence

MOTION

MOTION: DATES FOR NEXT FACE TO FACE (F2F) MEETING WILL BE	PERSON
FEBRUARY 1 THROUGH FEBRUARY 3, 2014 IN PHOENIX, AZ.	RESPONSIBLE
Include pertinent information	First - Barbara Second - Lisa Vote results: Unanimous

TIME MANGEMENT OF MEETINGS

DISCUSSION	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Extending our work day by 2 hours at our F2F meeting was too much. We need to keep our discussions within time limits set.	Florence

CONSIDER AN ADDITIONAL F2F BEFORE CSC 2014

DISCUSSION	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Would need more money for the budget Much will come from the strategic planning meeting; may not have time to follow up on it. Consider end of April – prepare motions for the CoDA Service Conference (CSC) 2014, team building workshop, etc. This will allow the agenda for the meeting before CSC to be less full. Round robin discussion Work in small groups between F2F meetings; meet a couple times by phone or web Maybe a F2F meeting with a few people if needed (example – web work group) Ask Conni about options for doing this (she is already doing this)	Florence

TELECONFERENCE FOR CHAIRS PER PRE-CSC MEETING 2013

DISCUSSION	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Having a mid-year teleconference with chairs and Board members; should we do it? Round robin discussion Could be a large, unmanageable call; could break into smaller groups	Florence

Board Chair + 3 volunteers could join a chairs forum meeting for some of	
their time (30 minutes?) to keep scheduling more manageable	

MOTION

MOTION: MOVE TO HAVE A TELECONFERENCE BETWEEN THE CODA BOARD AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS; DATE TO BE DETERMINED.	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
	First - David
	Second - Hal
	Vote results
	Unanimous

ACTION ITEM

ACTION ITEM	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	ACTION REQUIRED
	Lisa Lorraine Chris	Will work together to facilitate making the teleconference between Board and Chairs.

ACTION ITEM

ACTION ITEM	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	ACTION REQUIRED
	Hal	Will bring up the teleconference idea at the next Chairs forum meeting.

CORE CONTRACT

DISCUSSION	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Hal & Chris will attend a meeting of the CoRe Board as CoDA Board liaisons on Sunday Dec 8, 2013. They will discuss resuming 2 x 2 contract meetings in January 2014.	Hal

WEBSITE WORKGROUP REPORT

Postponed interviews for a month due to unsatisfactory responses to the Request for Proposal (RFP). Added explanations to the RFP as an addendum went out on Monday Dec 2, 2013 to all persons who sent proposals, and to additional people who have developed other 12 Step websites. There is a conference call scheduled for next week with Conni (our Account Executive [AE]) and Dominic (the Association Management Company's [AMC's] project leader)	DISCUSSION	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Any questions for the interview team, please send to the Charles & Evie	Request for Proposal (RFP). Added explanations to the RFP as an addendum went out on Monday Dec 2, 2013 to all persons who sent proposals, and to additional people who have developed other 12 Step websites. There is a conference call scheduled for next week with Conni (our Account Executive [AE]) and Dominic (the Association Management	Evie/Charles

ACTION ITEM

ACTION ITEM	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	ACTION REQUIRED
	Lisa	Send process for interviewing webmaster to the interview team.

ARCHIVING PROJECT REPORT

DISCUSSION	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Spent 3 days going through the archives. We looked at everything at least once. Number of legal suits, and people who had their own folders – we kept it all together. Evie sent a list to the Board with a general list of contents of each box. Next step – we need to go through it all in detail. Focused on things to keep in the official archives vs. history to make use of in the future.	Evie/Lisa

MOTION

MOTION: MOVE TO DEVELOP AN OFFICIAL ARCHIVE [PHYSICAL AND DIGITAL] AND A VISUAL DISPLAY FOR CSC/ICC.	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
	First - Lisa
	Second - Evie
	Vote results
	Unanimous

ACTION ITEM

ACTION ITEM	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	ACTION REQUIRED
	Lisa, Evie, Hal	Will develop a plan for the archive project

AMC REPORT

DISCUSSION	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
Policies & Procedure (P & P) project – Florence & Lisa working closely with Conni; looking at potential changes to the bylaws, Fellowship Service Manual changes, cross referencing, and a policy for changing the policy manual. All committee manuals should be included in it, too. Will develop a template that they will follow so that there is continuity in format.	Florence
Email Voting: Nothing in the law that specifically speaks to email voting.	

There is something called written consensus. There is a law covering this. Every member must have a chance to respond. Conni will research this for us, and provide information; we may need a change to our bylaws. Suggest establishing something for now until officially developed.

MOTION

MOTION: MOVE TO EXTEND MEETING BY 15 MINUTES	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
	First -Hal
	Second -David
	Vote results
	Unanimous

MOTION

MOTION: MOVE TO HAVE A 7 DAY WAITING PERIOD FOR EMAIL GROUP	PERSON
CONSCIENCE DECISIONS UNLESS ALL TRUSTEES HAVE VOTED.	RESPONSIBLE
	First - Chris Second - Barbara Vote results Unanimous

ACTION ITEM

ACTION ITEM	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	ACTION REQUIRED
	Florence	To complete the second motion regarding email voting by email.

MOTION

MOTION: MOVE TO ADJOURN	PERSON RESPONSIBLE
	First -David
Adjourned at 10:47 am pacific time	Second -Evie
Aujourned at 10.47 am pacific time	Vote results
	Unanimous

ITEMS NOT COVERED

 UPDATE MEETING STATUS

 Move to January 2014 agenda

 VE LIAISON AND ALTERNATE TRUSTEE DESCRIPTION

 Include action to occur

 New Board Member Orientation

Include action to occur

Absentee Voting and elections process (Florence & Chris)

Include action to occur

VE Signing agreements (Lorraine, Lisa & Evie)

Include action to occur

FUTURE BOARD MEETINGS

Sunday, January 12, 2014; 8:30AM Pacific Time Face to Face meeting February 1-3, 8:30AM Pacific Time