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ZOOM JSUMAC Chapter Meeting Secretary's Report

Chapter Meeting Date: September 20, 2020

<u>Call to Order</u> – President Deborah Taylor officially called the meeting to order at 3:00 PM.

**Invocation** – David Kennebrew provided the opening prayer.

<u>Parliamentary Procedures</u> – William Buchanan reviewed the parliamentary procedures and provided rules to making a motion. The meeting will follow the newly revised Robert's Rules of Order and will last one hour unless a motion is accepted to extend for 15-minute increments. Committee heads are reminded to be mindful of a 2-minute limit.

<u>Roll Call</u> – President – Deborah Taylor, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President – Debbie Lowe, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President – Keith Adams, Secretary – Renee' Slaughter, Assistant Secretary - Jerome Jones, Treasurer – Sylvester Taylor, Financial Secretary – Dylester Scott, Chaplain – David Kennebrew, Parliamentarian – William Buchanan, Immediate Past President – Kenneth Archer.

<u>Approval of Agenda</u> – The agenda for the meeting was reviewed. The motion was moved by Jerome Jones and seconded by Kenneth Archer to accept the agenda as written. The agenda was approved.

<u>Secretary's September 2020 Report</u> - The minutes from the <u>August 2020</u> meeting minutes were read silently by the members. The recap was done by the Secretary. The reporting was based on Roberts Rules of Order, stating facts and voted on decisions. The motion was made by Renee Slaughter and seconded by Jerome Jones to accept the report as read with no corrections.

<u>September 2020 Treasurer Report</u> – Dylester Scott reported the **August 2020** Opening Bank balance was \$6,938.41. August total income was \$2,453.08. Total expenses for August were \$2,235.15. Net Income for August was \$217.93. The August ending balance as of August 31 was \$7,157.34. The JSUMAC Scholarship fund available balance was \$2,877.14 and the adjusted total balance for the month of August was \$4,280.20. The Treasurer's Report for August was presented for information purposes only and subject to audit.

<u>President's Report</u> – President Deborah Taylor report was brief. She thanked everyone for participating in the JSU Day of Giving. JSUNAA Metro Atlanta Chapter donated almost \$10,000. Members should be on the lookout for information in the mail regarding membership. Also, members were encouraged to stay safe during the pandemic.

<u>1<sup>st</sup> Vice President's Report</u> – Jerome Jones, the fundraiser chair gave a report on a fundraiser that can be done by the chapter. The fundraiser will allow the chapter to sell JSU merchandise

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and a portion of the proceeds from the items sold will go the chapter. The vendor is an approved licensed vendor. Members agreed to proceed with this fundraiser opportunity for the chapter. Amethyst Whitley, the community service chair reported that during the week of 10/12 – 10/17 JSUNAA MAC has scheduled a campaign with the Red Cross to donate blood at your local Red Cross donation center. The goal is for 100 people to donate. Each donation receives a COVID-19 antibody testing.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President's Report

**Attendance** – The attendance total was 28.

Carlos Sample, membership chair reported that he will be sending out certificates to all members. Members were reminded to renew membership and update contact information if needed.

Keith Adams reported that the HBCU Alliance is in process of rapping up the Virtual 5K Race to disperse donations to chapters.

Sylvester Taylor reported he had participated in a virtual student college fair hosted by the ladies of Alpha Kappa Alpha, Inc. Keith Adams reported he had participated in a virtual student recruitment fair hosted by the ladies of Delta Sigma Theta, Inc.

<u>JSU National Report</u> – Kenneth Archer reported JSUNAA Fall Council Meeting is scheduled for October 24, 2020. The meeting will be held virtual. All alums are invited to the meeting. Only financial members will be allowed to vote at the meeting.

JSU Day of Giving held August 27<sup>th</sup> was a success. The goal was to raise \$400,000. The goal was met. Over \$500,000 was raised. An additional game has been added to the Spring 2021 Football Schedule. JSU will play Edward Waters College (Jacksonville, FL) in Jackson, MS on Sunday, February 21, 2021. JSU Head Coach will be announced Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup>. It is rumored that Deion Sanders is the new Head Coach at JSU.

<u>MEAC/SWAC Replay Summary</u> – Kenneth Archer reported that there was a replay of the MEAC/SWAC Challenge 2019 on ESPN September 16<sup>th</sup>.

**50/50** - \$73.00 was collected for 50/50. Amethyst Whitley won half of the total collected (\$36.50).

**Meeting adjourned** @ 4:15 PM and Released by the President The meeting beginning with Secretary's report was recorded \_\_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ (sign after every meeting)

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