



Today on Tuesday October 8 2024, we hold Impact N.O.W. official meeting at 4 Seasons Chaat House at 7:23pm

Presence: Kamal Ghamal, Vishwa Mohan, Emily Kajioaka, Digamber Suwal

1. Review last Board Meeting's minutes
2. Impact N.O.W. Monthly Financial statements
 - Bank account is almost \$0
3. Website
 - Website is running; summer intern Caleb did a good job
 - Unable to access email
 - #Action item: Get email up and running**
4. Grants
 - Applied for \$25,000 senior grant
 - Will apply for summer intern grant in December
 - Summer internship went well but we haven't received back taxes yet
 - Digamber will send a link for several grants
5. CRA status
 - Still pending
 - Once we have CRA status we can apply for several grants and keep 15% of donations for operational costs
 - #Action item: Vishwa will apply for CRA status**
6. INF
 - Kamal is going to Nepal in November for a convention. INF Canada is doing three projects: community development with income generation in rural areas, medical charity, empowerment of females
 - Have received grants and donations from several people
 - Richmond Baptist Church will go on a mission trip to Nepal next October
7. Projects for next year
 - Start immigration and settlement services (pre-arrival/post-arrival) next year
 - There are lots of online resources but personal service makes a big difference

Meeting Adjournment: 7:53pm

Next Board Meeting: Monday January 20 2025