

## **SLAD Minutes**

March 21, 2023 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

- Call to Order / Welcome Casey Copp welcomed the group and called the meeting to order at 6:04 pm.
- **New member introductions** there were no new members at the meeting.
- Speaker Jim Nash, Oakland County Water Resources
  Commissioner, spoke to the group and answered questions
- **Elections** Jen Barshaw held the elections and as there were no contested positions, she asked for a motion to elect the slate as presented. Motion was passed unanimously.
  - Newly elected officers are as follows:
    - Chairperson (Lisa Dilg)
    - First Vice Chair (Lisa Purvis)
    - Second Vice Chair (Kelley Haynes)
    - Treasurer (Valerie Whalen)
    - Secretary (Shawn Perttunen)
    - Member at Large (2) (Cindy Goene, Allison Ranusch)
- **Thank you** Lisa Dilg took over as chair of the meeting and thanked Casey for his service as Chairperson.
- Treasurer's Report Val Whalen
  - Current Balances / needs Val gave the treasurer's report and reminded everyone to pay dues.
  - Scholarship Lisa Purvis let everyone know that we have four applications for our scholarship and it is open until April 30.



- Trivia Event/Fundraiser Val Whalen
  - Val announced that the next fundraiser was another trivia event that would take place on May 16.
- 2023 Club Goals Updates / Event Reminders Lisa reminded everyone of the club goals and asked for updates on the following:
  - Community Service projects:
    - Adopt-a-Road dates Lisa Purvis reminded everyone of the dates of the next clean up events – April 29 & September 23.
    - Blessings in the backpack collaboration Michelle
       O'Donnell gave an overview of the organization and
       discussed the need for donations, driver's and gold
       sponsorship.
      - Val Whalen made a motion to be a hole sponsor at the \$150 level. Sandy Stewart asked if we could do the \$250 scholarship. Val amended her motion which was unanimously approved.
    - Lisa reminded the group that we need point person to address issues in our community such as book banning, gun control, diversity issues, etc
    - Allison gave quick recap from Drag Queen book reading rally.
    - Commissions / Committees / Elected Office Lisa Dilg reminded everyone that we need members to get on boards and committees as well as elected office.



- Youth Involvement
  - Lisa reminded everyone that we are still looking for youth liaison to executive board

- SLAD Book club March 22 Lisa Dilg is hosting book club at her home at 6:30 pm.
- Meeting was adjourned at 6:54 pm