Executive Board Meeting March, 2012 NFCRTA Thursday, March 22, 2012

The NFCRTA held an Executive Board meeting at Basilico's Restaurant at 12:00p.m. on Thursday, March 22, 2011.

The following officers were present: Membership: June Jones, Treasurer: Libby Kasimer, Legislative:Rick Cassar, Scholarship:Kay Santuro, Newsletter: Rose Paonessa, Webmaster:Joretta Kilcourse and Secretary: Julianne Gallagher. Also in attendance was former President Bob Scalzo.

The following items were discussed:

- 1. A membership/spring luncheon letter was prepared by June Jones and accepted by the Board. Volunteers will prepare the letter for mailing on Monday.
- The spring luncheon will be held at Anthony's Lake Club on Kenosia Ave. The date is Wednesday, May 16 at 11:30a.m. Guest speaker will be Roz Schoonmaker. She will discuss HB 5016, which would raise our insurance premiums if passed.
- 3. Rick Cassar , ARTC PAC, said that a letter is being sent to 10,000 retirees regarding HB5016. Retirees are urged to contact their legislators re. this bill.
- 4. Lobby Day is April 11.
- 5. An article for the ARTC newsletter regarding the activities of our association is going to be prepared by June Jones. The article is due today, March 22.
- 6. Kay Santuro asked if we had By-laws. Later in the day, they were found by the secretary. They were prepared in 1968. A revision is needed but it remains to be seen when this will take place.
- 7. There will be no spring newsletter because of the detailed letter being sent out on Monday.
- 8. Because of the resignation of Bob Scalzo, we are without a president and a vice-president. Rick Cassar will serve as host at the luncheon and an agenda was worked out for him.
- Joretta Kilcourse talked about the website and stressed the importance of getting e-mail addresses from all of our members who have them. Communication is vitally important and so necessary in light of what is happening in the State Legislature.

Respectively submitted, Julianne Gallagher Secretary