

Call to order: 5:32pm.

Present: Ed Falls, Megan Wolfgang, Karen Lopez, Brandon Jerashen, Matt Van Ham, Mike Gozzard, Phil Baker, Jason Lowe, Diane McDonald, Kim Gordon, Cathy Kintner, Jeanie Henning, Charles Bullard

Secretary Report:

Move: Diane McDonald

Second: Karen Lopez

Treasurers Report:

Motion to accept: Cathy Kintner

Move: Jason

Second: Karen

B&O: Oscoda is willing to start festival at noon for District B&O Festival

Move: Megan Wolfgang

Second: Cathy Kintner

S&E: Matt Van Ham is taking over S&E for Bryan and he is pumped!!!

MS Site: Beaverton

HS Site: Tawas

Fee increase:

Move: Karen

Second: Cathy

Adjudicator Report: No changes, all set for all judges for S&E and B&O

Tom Golden

Ralph Schweigert

Roger Stevens

Pat Dewitt

Move: Megan Wolfgang

Second: Diane McDonald

President's Report:

Registration Deadline is Sept. 20th

Adjudicator Workshop info

Reminder: make sure you read festival rules and check deadlines, be prepared!

Online Registration: credit card option is not available but the State Office is looking into that option, possibly for State Events. 3% Service fee.

Call Ed if you need him!! 😊

Move: Karen Lopez

Second: Megan Wolfgang

// Grand Pause: Karen left room to find waitress who thinks we are a boosters group... found a dishwasher, but the waitress brought in FRESH BAKED BREAD, so all was forgiven!!!!

Committee Report:

A) All Star/All State: Kim Gordon

All State: audition music online on MSBOA website

All Star: Roger Weyersburg MS Band, Marty Marks HS Band

Reminder 9th grade can audition for either or both bands.

B) Emeritus: None

C) FIC: Jason Lowe

Great meeting!!! Conversations at that meeting about taking about marching band portion of the yearbook and restructuring. Discussed counting students with IEP's. Stated not to count those students, starting next year, they are to be counted. See your admin and get your numbers. Festival transfers: contradiction in handbook is getting fixed. Prioritizing percussion parts in sight-reading.

"It was a fruitful meeting!!" stated by Jason Lowe 😊...side note, Jason seems passionate about this stuff and we should give him more jobs to take on!!! "Somethings about B's and Bonnets...!"

D) Music Ed: Eric Vinciguerra....he forgot about our meeting....oops...way to go

Eric 😊 Welcome to District 9!!

Ed Falls mentioned they discussed: IEP's and 504 plans. New section in handbook: Disability and accommodations pg. 16 in handbook. What steps does MSBOA have to take for performance setting?

Re-vamping "newsletter" into an email once a month on topics about what is going on at that time. Ex. First one is a timeline.

E) Music Tech: Paul Shimmons....hmmm he forgot as well...Come on boys! We missed you!

Ed will remind Paul to post All Star audition Music on website.

Old Business: NADA

New Business:

A) VP S&E: Karen Lopez in her best official voice Nominated, motioned and seconded Matt Van Ham for this position.

B) HS S&E Site...again Karen moved to have HS S&E in Tawas, Second by Jason.
Brandon was nice enough to agree to host even though we basically pressure him
into it 😊

Announcements:

Congrat's to Kim Gordon whose band will be performing at the MMC! Yay Kim!!

Jason Lowe: If anyone is interested in a District 9 Marching Band Exhibition event let
him know, he is willing to head it up.

Cathy Kintner: Discussed documenting accommodations for the students with IEP's and
how important it is for us to do this.

Megan Wolfgang has a full set of marching drumline equipment for sale: make an offer!!

Cathy mentioned possibly donating old uniforms etc to bands in areas affected by the
terrible weather.

Phil moved to adjourn

"Alpena"...aka Mike Gozzard seconded Phil's movement!!!