

# Representative Minutes March 12, 2019,10 a.m. City Hall 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Conference Room

#### **TSA Active Members**

Mary Fowler, President
Donna Sullivan, Vice-President
Michelle Fedor, Secretary
Bruce Smith, Treasurer
Cathy Hollow, Trustee
Kristi Griffin
Ken Halloran
Lauren Hyre

Cody Lowe Kelly Rafferty Wendy Springborn Tom Wilhite

Guest Kathryn Baillie, Napier, Coury & Baillie, P.C.

**1.** Call to order – Mary Fowler called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m.

# 2. Approval of the March meeting minutes

Bruce moved to approve the minutes; Cathy seconded the motion. The motion carried 4 to 0

Ayes: Mary, Michelle, Bruce and Cathy

Navs: None

Alicia Jerger Bobbi Jones

Absent: Donna Sullivan-Hancock

### 3. Legal Presentation - Kathryn Baillie, TSA Attorney

- Kathryn provided information on the Supreme Court's ruling on Janus v. AFSCME
  - Non-members, aka free riders, do not have to pay for representation.
  - If a member or non-member requires assistance preparing a Part II, we do not do the work for them.
  - If you are representing a non-member, you can be a silent witness
  - Non-members do not have access to Kathryn.
  - We do not need to change our by-laws due to Janus. We are fair and meet the standard.
  - If someone joined because they got in trouble, assistance is not retroactive. It works like insurance.
- Document everything when dealing with UAEA covered employees.
- Give constructive criticism in a professional manner.
- Don't be a bully and don't get bullied.
- You can have your own witness if you think the employee is going to twist what you say.
- TSA can assist when you provide discipline for an employee.

#### 4. Elections

- VP and Treasurer
- Nominations are in for both.
- Board going to put together an election committee required by By-laws. Not board members.
- We want to be open and keep everyone updated.
- If a candidate feels they're not being treated fairly they should contact the election committee or Kathryn.
- TSA is a corporation, so elections must be done a certain way.
- We must follow ASRS Chapter 10.
- We are keeping board out of the process to prevent any allegations of mishandling.

# 5. Committee Reports

- **Diversity** No report
- Deferred Compensation
  - RFP to consolidate funds under one record keeper
  - Board voted to drop a fund if invested will get letter from Nationwide
  - Schwab account hasn't been reviewed or updated. Consultant will review.

#### Wellness

- Haven't met.
- New walking challenge.
- No new replacements have been received for new trackers contact Tammy.

### Health Committee

- Meeting next week about OPEB.
- Actuary looked at costs.
- Six-sided Partnership
- Labor Management
  - Negotiations they want to bring up some items in six-sided partnership because management wants to implement city wide.
  - Some items are not MOU specific. They told us we're not allowed to negotiate per the charter.

### 6. Financial update

We are doing well.

## 7. Member Announcements/Future Agenda Items

No announcements.

#### 8. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 10:52 a.m.

The next meeting is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on April 9, 2019, at the City Council Chambers.

Submitted by: Michelle Fedor Reviewed by: Mary Fowler

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