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### **Meeting Summary:**

Meeting: Monthly Board of Directors (DOB) meeting.

Date: February 11, 2018

Location: 4501 Ethel Street Harrisburg, PA 17109

### **Action 01: Meeting Opening and Financial Update**

The meeting opens up with the financial updates. Mrs. Saraswati Ghimirey, the lead treasurer of OHRC, presented the financial details of January 2018 to the meeting. Per Mrs. Ghimirey the monthly balance till January 2018 is \$7,317.56 and the monthly expenditure is \$2,040.97; therefore, the current balance in General Account is \$5,276.59. On the other end, the total balance in Temple Account is 2044.9.21. As of January 2018, the loan balance is \$87500.

### **Action 02: Endorsement of Education Director Nomination**

OHRC board of directorates nominated Mr. Mahindra Adhikari as the Education Director (ED) of Nepali Education Program (NEP). Effective February 11, 2018, OHRC authorize Mr. Adhikari to take all reasonable steps to carry out the work related to NEP. To ensures that the functioning of education director is well aligned with the organizational mission and value which in turn stays complying with all federal and state laws, BOD meeting discussed the right and limitation on the working capacity of ED and agree upon running administrative task based on the right and responsibilities proposed by former OHRC board (DOB:2015/2016).

### **Action 03: Update strategy and plan for Nepali Education Program (NEP) 2018**

Former Education director and curriculum writer Mr. Abhi Neupane update the progress and academic readiness for NEP session 2018. Mr. Neupane raised the urgency of curriculum implementation training to new and existing educators. Education team will finalize the date, time, and venue of the training (detail of the training is awaited). Further, Mr. Neupane briefly explained NEP timeline for the academic year 2018: new admission and orientation on 31st March 2018 followed by pretest on 8th April 2018 and the instructional session will begin from

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third Sunday of April 2018. Per OHRC Education team, the detail of the program will be discussing on 31st March 2018.

### **Action 04: Appointment of area leader**

Focusing on effective communication between OHRC personals and the community members, vice chairman of OHRC, Mr. Dhanapati Siwakoti table the proposal to appoint OHRC area leader. Area leader has overall responsibility to pass the message about the program and event launch by OHRC. Area leader is responsible for a number of family in an allocated area. There was a healthy discussion to selecting the right person for OHRC area leaders. BOD meeting received numerous suggestion to choose the appropriate person for area leader. Due to insufficient time, the meeting was not able to make the final conclusion on the selection criteria of area leader; therefore, DOB decided to keep this topic open for the discussion.

### **Final Remarks and Next Meeting:**

The meeting concluded by acknowledging the significant input of the NEP curriculum writing. OHRC chairman, Mr. Tula Ram Neopaney stated that the contribution of Mr. Abhi Narayan Neupane and Nabin Bhattarai in designing curriculum for the upcoming NEP session is highly instrumental and praiseworthy task. Conclusively, Mr. Neopaney acknowledges the significance of the well-wishers, donors, volunteers and board members to continue doing good work and make valuable progress in the community. Neopaney concluded the meeting by thanking everyone for the kind support and making OHRC responsible. Next meeting will be on the first Sunday of March 2018 (unless otherwise notified).

Endorsees (Board of Directorates):

Mr. Tula R Neopaney (Chairman)

Mr. Dhanapati Siwakoti (Vice Chairman)

Mr. Sri N Dhital (Secretary)

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