LCS Board Meeting Minutes



10:00 AM, Tuesday, September 11th, 2023

Members Present:

President - Stephen Irvin Balfour (2nd term to 2024);

Vice President - Yolanda Martínez Llamas (1st term to 2025)

Secretary - George William Radford (3rd term to 2024);

Director - Hunter Lee Johnson III (2nd term to 2025);

Director - Christy Carter Caldwell (3rd term to 2025)

Director - Gregory Kyle Custer (2nd term to 2025).

Director - Gregory DiStefano (2nd term to 2025);

Past President - Carole Jeanne Wolff.

Members absent:

Director - Leigh Ann Manheim (1st term to 2024)

Director - Leon Felipe Muñoz (1st term to 2025)

Treasurer - Andrew Timothy Boardman (2nd term to 2023);

Vacant positions:

Director - (2nd term to 2023);

Director - (1st term till 2024)

Director - 2nd term to 2024

Also Present

Luis Francisco Pacheco Camara, Executive Director

1. Call to Order: Steve Balfour, President, at 10:06 AM.

2. Determination of a Quorum:

There was a determination of a Quorum with seven of ten voting members present.

3. Adoption of Agenda:

Motion: M/S/C Steve Balfour/Christy Caldwell to approve the September 11, 2023 agenda. The Board unanimously approved. Motion carried.

4. President's Report: Steve Balfourprogress and initiatives.

a. Cafe Update

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 Grand Opening Monday October 23rd 4 to 6 PM. Construction is on schedule despite additional work required for sidewalk extension, additional wiring and sewer upgrades.

b. Restrooms Update

- i. 3 sets of 4 restrooms are planned
- ii. All will be wheelchair accessible.
- iii. At least one of the modules will be open by January 2024
- c. Concerts and Events upcoming Mark your calendars
 - i. Sunday Concert Sept 17 Diana Villamonteone
 - ii. Concert Oct 10 Jersey Boys
 - iii. LCS Art Show Oct 13-14
 - iv. Tentative concert Oct 15
 - v. Wine tasting Oct 20
 - vi. Cafe Opening Oct 23

d. Wilkes

- i. Volunteers spent a day cleaning the Wilkes building and grounds
- ii. A proposal to immediately begin a study to rejuvenate the Wilkes center was deferred to next year.

5. Secretary's Report: George Radford, Secretary

 Motion: M/S/C George Radford/Yoly Martinez to approve the minutes of the August 22nd, 2023 Board Meeting. The Board unanimously approved. Motion Carried.

6. Treasurer's report: Tim Boardman, Treasurer

A was not available due to the absence of the Treasurer.

7. Fund Advancement Committee: Greg DiStefano, Chairperson

• No report.

9. Board Development Committee: Hunter Johnson, Chairperson - absent

 The Nominating Committee will report its recommendations at the October Board meeting.

10. Mexican Advisory Council: Yoly Martinez, Chairperson

No report.

12. Executive Director's Report - Luis Francisco Pacheco

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The LCS is applying for trademarks to protect the LCS name and Brand.

Information Systems

- The new LCS Reservation System was implemented successfully in August. Purchases of membership, classes and events are noticeably shifting from the LCS office to online.
- The replacement of LuraryVision, a more functional mass emailing system and redevelopment of the LCS webpage are the next projects for the IT team of staff and volunteers.

• Human Resources

 Claudina Gonzalez Duran Jimenez began work as the new LCS Development Director in mid-August.

• Restorations and Maintenance

- o Urgent maintenance on the trees on Campus was completed
- Damaged ceiling beams in the Administrative Office and front Office were completed..

13. Old Business: None

14. New Business: None

15. Adjournment: M/S/C Stveve Balfour/Hunter Johnson to adjourn the meeting. The Board unanimously approved adjournment at 12:09 P.M..

The next board meeting date will be Tuesday October 10th, 2023 at 10:00 A.M..

	Date of Approval: October 10th, 2023
George William Radford, Secreta	ry
Stephen Irvin Balfour, President	