

## Minutes

## **BOARD MEETING – July 7, 2020**

Charlie Pilzer called the meeting to order at 8:00 PM at the online Zoom meeting. Quorum (greater than 8) was established.

## **Attendees Present:**

Charlie Pilzer, President April Blum, Vice President Will Strang, Treasurer Amanda Muir, Secretary Ben Sela, Dance Charlie Baum, Programs Jim McRea, Publications Jerry Blum, At-Large Renee Brachfeld, At-Large Jim Gillard, At-Large

## Absent:

Guests: Bill Rucker Timothy Foley Mike Livingston Mia Gardner

## **Approval of Minutes:**

- MOTION: To approve Minutes from June 2<sup>nd</sup> Board Meeting
  - Vote: William Strang moved, Renee Brachfeld seconded
  - Resolved: The minutes of the June 2, 2020 meeting is approved as corrected and entered into the Society records.

# **President's Report:**

- Two work sessions: Social inequality and Committees, Jobs, Volunteers
- It is extremely unlikely FSGW will have any in person events this year due to resurgence of coronavirus
- FSGW must be receptive but not proactive to partnership and support offers from people of color organizations moving forward to avoid being oppressive
  - Discussion of how to progress with social issues
    - Renee- we should look towards inviting more performers from POC to make our programming more diverse
    - Mike- we should help fund arts programs at schools with a possible "Puppet Slam"

#### **Treasurer's Report:**

- We are \$2,000 up for the year
- Paid Wild Apricot \$6,000 for 2 years of unified systems which includes a weekly news blast that we may want to consider
- June Vanguard and Fidelity accounts are up again
- A new Programs budget spreadsheet has been created to be easier to read and calculate

## **Grapevine Zoom Report:**

- June Grapevine had over 100 people attend and took in \$1,016
- Around 100 people are signed up for the July 8<sup>th</sup> grapevine event

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

Issue 1: FSGW MeetUp account has been very successful in advertising to a new audience and is a cheap way to advertise; we should continue this venture

Issue 2: Grapevine Proposed Payment FY21

- MOTION: To accept a budget for the Grapevine for the rest of FY2020 and for FY2021 as \$450 for each of two tellers, adding direct expenses and dividing the remainder of the income into thirds as a third for each teller and a third for FSGW
  - Vote: Renee moved, Jim McRea seconded
  - Resolved: motion carries

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

Issue 1: Obtain an FSGW storage locker to consolidate items

- MOTION: To approve an ongoing expenditure of up to \$250 a month for FSGW's condition of a storage locker
  - Vote: Will Strang moved, Charlie Baum seconded
  - Unresolved: Issue has been moved to next month

Issue 2: claim that there is a lack of proper announcement prior board meetings as evidenced by a prior event (proposed by Bill Rucker)

- Discussion: there are different requirements for announcing board meetings versus membership meetings. We should look to using WildApricot's news blasting system to better advertise board meetings
- Unresolved: Issue has been moved to next month

## Meeting Adjourned at 10:46 pm.

• Vote: Ben Sela moved, Charlie Baum seconded

## Appendix I: FSGW Treasurers report of assets – July 6, 2020

Date or Month end Wells Fargo Vanguard Fidelity Total Invest drop % Inv drop 07/06/2020, 22,502.41 114,073.75 104,161.83 240,737.99 +220.35 +0.1%after payment to Wild Apricot of \$5,916 for next 2 years of service. 114,073.75 104,161.83 246,653.99 +220.35 07/06/2020 28,418.41 +0.1%06/02/2020 29,503.20 111,511.23 101,300.54 242,314.97 -5203.46 -2.4%05/05/2020 30,650.56 106,193.26 95,963.14 232,806.96 -15,858.83 -7.3% 226,356.25 -26,140.25 04/06/2020 34,481.27 100,919.09 90,955.89 -12.0% 03/25/2020 33,581.81 96,000.54 87,688.84 217,271.19 -34,325.85 -15.7% 108,885.54 99,980.64 03/03/2020 36,344.38 245,210.56 -9,149.05 -4.4% end of Feb 107,614.57 99,102.66 -11,229.00 -5.2% pre-drop hi 112,766.67 105,248.56 (total 218,015.23) 0% 1/21/2020 28,619.19 114,403.43 103,821.83 246,844.45 (218,225.26) 23,224.46 112,184.47 102,230.49 237,639.42 12/2019 110,191.15 100,202.95 228,255.72 11/2019 17,861.62 107,789.58 98,445.01 19,176.85 225,411.44 10/2019

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Vanguard total withdrawn: \$179,000		Fidelity total withdrawn:		
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9/17/2019	\$6,000	5/28/2019	\$5,000	
4/25/2019	\$5,000	4/16/2019	\$3,000	
10/9/2018	\$20,000	9/20/2018	\$8,000	
7/25/2018	\$10,000	7/11/2018	\$10,000	
3/12/2018	\$5,000	12/26/2017	\$8,000	
11/14/2017	\$5,000	10/6/2017	\$10,000	
7/28/2017	\$10,000	6/6-7/2017	\$20,000	
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