

CTx Education Committee Aqua Turf

May 19, 2022

Attendance – In person: Alan Wilensky, Lisa Madden, Kathy Larkins, Cory Gumbrewicz, Christine Silansky, Anne Marie Burr, Teresa Babon, Peter Juszczynski, Sarah Bruso, Kimberly Bratz, Jo-Anne Rusczek, Michele Wyatt, Lisa Biagiarelli, John Rainaldi, Iris Laurenza, David Kluczowski, Patricia Moisio, Corinne Aldinger, Kristin Battistoni, Paula Popalowski, Rebecca Juchert Derungs and Launa Goslee.

Education Meeting called to order by Kathy Larkins at 1:56 p.m.

Review of Minutes from November 18, 2021: Motion to dispense with reading of minutes and accept the minutes as amended made by Lisa Biagiarelli and seconded by Pat Moisio. **Motion carried.**

Old Business:

Discussion of March 2022 conference – recap – Lisa Madden: Reviewed attendance numbers, income and expense statement from March 2020, 2021 and 2022 Seminars and handouts with survey results. Overall conference topics were well received and attendees liked the idea of the banquet theme. Sign in/out process for sessions will be revisited.

New Business:

Kathy Larkins stated the contracts are in place for Water's Edge March 22-24, 2023 and March 20-22, 2024. Kathy will explore new topics before next meeting. The refund for the no-show DJ has not been received. Reviewed Aqua Turf attendance for today and noted the positive feedback from today's presentations.

Motion was made by John Rainaldi to increase the online version (virtual option) for future Aqua Turf meetings due to last minute price increases from Aqua Turf for audio visual equipment use during the meeting from \$10 to \$25. Discussion ensued. Motion was seconded by Michele Wyatt. Launa Goslee and Jo-Anne Rusczek opposed the motion. **Motion carried.**

Motion was made by Pat Moisio to increase all Aqua Turf meals by \$5 beginning with the November 2022 meeting due to last minute increases from Aqua Turf for food pricing. Launa Goslee and Jo-Anne Rusczek opposed the motion. **Motion carried.**

Topics for the November 10, 2022 Aqua Turf meeting are being considered.

Discussion regarding two options to deal with the credits from 2020 – either refund the municipality/vendor or continue to rollover. Motion was made by Alan Wilensky that the CTx Treasurer send a letter to the Tax Collector of each municipality with a credit balance, stating that the credit must be used, inclusive of, the May 2023 Aqua Turf meeting or credit will be refunded to payee. Seconded by Pat Moisio. **Motion carried.**

Cory Gumbrewicz is in the process of moving the CTx treasury history to Quick Books. They will expedite obtaining data for income and expenses.

Launa Goslee suggested a password notebook as next year's conference gift.

Motion to adjourn at 2:56 p.m. made by Pat Moio and seconded by Lisa Madden. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPROVED AS AMENDED ON AUGUST 18, 2022