

Creating Great Communities for All

# APATXMW Board Meeting Wednesday, February 21, 2024 3:00 pm – Microsoft Teams Meeting

## Clayton Comstock, AICP, CNU-A

Director

# Travis Liska, AICP

Director-Elect

# Rachel Bradford, AICP

Treasurer

# Kelsey Poole, AICP

Secretary

# David Hawkins, AICP

Immediate Past Director

# Jenny Crosby, AICP

Professional Development Officer

#### Julie Anderson

Communications Coordinator

# Brian Campbell EPL

Representative

#### **Brian Campbell**

University of Texas at Arlington Representative

#### 1) Roll Call (3:04 pm)

- Present: Julie Anderson, Rachel Bradford, Brian Campbell, Clayton Comstock, David Hawkins, Kelsey Poole, Travis Liska
- Absent: Jenny Crosby

## 2) Discussion and approval of Meeting Minutes from January 19, 2024

• Brian Campbell motioned to approve the meeting minutes as written. David Hawkins seconded the motion, and the motion was approved with minor edits.

### 3) Past Events/Meetings

## 4) Finance/Budget

- Current budget \$14,268.57.
- No budget changes since last meeting and still working on providing Rachel Bradford account access.

## 5) Action Item Update/Old Business: January 19, 2023, meeting

- Section Awards
  - David Hawkins and Clayton Comstock revised the award criteria.
  - MW Board no longer has access to Survey Monkey and is waiting for the State to create a state-wide survey to announce the award application. State is exploring Joltform as a survey option.
  - Action Item: David Hawkins following up with Chelsea Irby on state-wide platform selection.
  - Action Item: Julie Anderson to draft award application announcement for the newsletter, which should call out "Coming Soon" text and highlight the award application due date of March 29, 2024, at 5:00pm and underscores that the application is not supposed to be complicated.
- UNT/UTA University Talk Series
  - o Prepare for Talk Series launch in Fall 2024 Semester.
  - Action Item: Brian Campbell will coordinate with CAPPA staff/admin and SPA to develop programming for the fall and send a reminder email for the series during the Summer 2024 semester.

#### 6) **2024 Midwest Section Events Calendar**

- 2/23: Lattes & Leadership
  - o Face Book is the only platform that captures RSVPs.
  - o MW Board to promote event to personals networks.
- 3/22: Midwest/North Central Joint Board Meeting
  - Action Item: MW Board will discuss topics on the 3/20/2024 Board Meeting
- 3/27, 4/1 or 4/2: Drone Delivery Session (Clayton)
  - o Kim Drexler will manage CM application.

- Meeting will be hybrid meeting hosted/streamed at NCTCOG. NCTCOG room joins as a person.
- Action Item: Clayton Comstock to create Zoom meeting and share with Travis Liska.
- Action Item: Julie Anderson draft content for newsletter and social platforms.
- 4/26: Mule Alley Tour + Section Awards Happy Hour (Clayton, David, & Travis)
  - Fort Worth Mule Away Tour will take place on April 26, 2024. This will include a one-hour tour focused on the Stock Yards Form Based Code (FBC) and will conclude with a happy hour and award ceremony.
  - MW Board agreed to not charge for the event.
  - Action Item: Travis Liska to reserve space to accommodate large group and order appetizers.
  - Action Item: Jenny Crosby is applying for CM credits.
- NCTCOG will host a Land Use and Transportation Task Force on 3/25.

## 7) Officer Reports

- Director
- EPL
- UTA SPA
  - o SPA held first Spring 2024 semester membership meetings.
  - Action Item: Brian Campbell to share upcoming MW Board event with SPA.
  - Action Item: Clayton Comstock to coordinate with Rich Luke about AICP workshop at UTA.
- Treasurer
  - Carol Barrett updated that the banker stopped responding to bank access request.
- Secretary
  - Clayton Comstock to send agenda 72 in advance for website posting.
  - Kelsey Poole to take responsibility for uploading agendas and minutes to website.
  - Action Item: Kelsey Poole to reach out to Kyle Kigma to request access.
- Communications
  - Due to changes in email authentication to combat spam, newsletter emails can't come from Gmail account because it's a public domain and therefore cannot be authenticated with our email platform.
  - Action Item: MW Board to discuss creating state-wide domain with State APATX.
  - o Action Item: MW Board to determine date for FNT call for sessions.
  - Action Item: Clayton Comstock to coordinate with Chelsey Smith from North Central.
- Professional Development
- Director-Elect
  - Suggestion continue Happy Hours with Great Places theme.

#### 8) Future Agenda Topics

- Great Places Happy Hour Opportunities.
- Discuss joint board topics on the 3/20/2024 Board Meeting
- determine date for FNT call for sessions.

Adjourn: 3:46 pm

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