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### Notes

# APA County Planning Division

# November 17, 2022

## 10:00 AM PST / 11:00 AM MST / 12:00 PM CST / 1:00 PM EST

### Welcome and Call to Order

- 1. Roll Call
  - Robert Hill, Michelle Fuson, Stephanie Donahue, Adam Bradford, Chris O'Keefe, Alan Calder, Andrew Devereux, Jonathan Buono, A'ndrea Paxton, and Jacqui Kamp
- 2. Introduction of new member
  - Stephanie Donahue
- 3. Approval of minutes: September 29, 2022 Annual Business Meeting
  - <u>Robert Hill made a motion, Adam Bradford seconded. All were in favor. Minutes</u> were approved.
- 4. Chair Report
  - a. General Comments:
    - All CPD positions are full.
  - b. Division Council Updates:
    - APA approved the general work plan for the Divisions Council. Equity is current focus. If CPD members want to be involved check in with Michelle.
- 5. Finance Report Robert Hill, Treasurer
  - CPD has plenty of funds typically use money for Chair travel and SWAG for conference
  - NACP needs more discussion regarding shutting down account and the amounts in them. Executive team should discuss at next meeting.

### ACTION ITEM:

- Discussion of NACP budget during NACP meeting.
- Annual Work Plan review, input and final approval Michelle reviewed the work plan and the team discussed.
  ACTION ITEMS:
  - Start preparation for 2023 Awards and communication/outreach for application period.
  - Michelle to put out a doodle poll on when to schedule reoccurring Leadership team meetings for every other month. We may schedule more frequent meetings with the Executive Committee, as needed.
  - Up the membership retention budget to \$500
  - Allan Calder will outreach to California County Directors to assist with CPD goal to expand collaborations with divisions and chapters for new partnership opportunities
  - Focus on educational opportunity goals in 2023 implement the

mentorship program (Adam Bradford has experience with National mentorship program and is interested in assisting with effort)

• Robert Hill to check in with Tim Brown regarding the Ohio chapter webinar series – budget for line item will be updated as needed.

Robert Hill made a motion to approve, Chris O'Keefe seconded. All were in favor.

- 7. Other Business including any updates from leadership team
  - a. Newsletter Jonathan Buono/Stephanie Donahue:
    - New to role and looking for feedback from team on history of newsletter.
    - Stephanie suggested topics such as emergency management and aging populations.
    - Is there an option to pay a stipend for articles? Need to check with APA.
    - A'ndrea Paxton briefed the group on the educational opportunity she is working on regarding emergency assistance/management. She informed the group that she is communicating with counties on a virtual conference to share concepts to develop an APA emergency rule and/or blueprint. Next step is APA marketing the event. It was suggested to reach out to the <u>Hazard Mitigation and Disaster Recovery Planning</u> division. Adam suggested also the topic of septic systems and reaching out to Health and Human Services regarding the equity approach. Reach out to A'ndrea with any other feedback.

#### ACTION ITEMS: Jacqui Kamp and Robert Hill will provide Jonathan info from their stints as Newsletter editors

- b. Webinars Tim Brown None
- c. Awards Tim Brown None
- 8. NACP meeting
  - a. Open for business
  - b. Finance Report
  - c. Update from NACo representative Jennifer Kuiper and Robert Hill
  - d. Approval of Mike Kayes as an Emeritus member nominated by Michelle Fuson
  - e. Approval of Mike Harper as an Emeritus member nominated by Robert Hill
  - f. Other Business