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	John Frazer & Mary Brown & Bigelow; Judd Walls Constant Water; Laurie Bersack & Joe IBDJ; Lisa Berkema
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	Musser; Alec Burnett
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Date:	Tuesday, December 17, 2024 11:50:31 AM

## Meeting Start (00:00 - 09:00)

- Time: Around 8 o'clock
- Dennis Donovan not present yet, expected soon
- Packed agenda and food available

# **Treasury Update**

- Account balance: \$1804.96
- No early payments received
  - A check received for this year
- Previous balance at the beginning of the year: approximately \$2300
  - Difference of about \$606 to \$700 due to events and sponsorships

### **Secretary's Report**

- Minutes from last week mailed and emailed to everyone
  Some members may need to check spam for emails
- Discussion on updating email list for better communication

### Elections

- Positions discussed: Treasurer, Secretary, Vice President, President
- Stephanie moves from Vice President to Secretary
  - "All in favor of Stephanie retaining or moving to the position of secretary? Say resounding."
- Becky nominated for Vice President
  - Responsibilities include scheduling presenters
- Paul remains as President for another year
- Noah continues as Treasurer for one more year

### Lead Chair Meeting

- Recent meeting with Alex and Benjamin regarding Lead Chair
  Attendees included Stephanie, Judson, Laura
- Focus on the relationship between Lead Chair and the Chamber
  - Discussion on growth and effectiveness of current strategies

#### Lead Generation Overview (09:00 - 19:00)

- Number of leads from the web portal:
  - Eight leads total.
  - Zero leads on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.
  - Seven leads on another unspecified day.
- Acknowledgment of being number one in lead generation by Benjamin.

#### **Concerns About the Web Portal**

- The web platform is not effectively capturing leads.
- Discussion on whether to:
  - Emphasize paper leads.
  - Retrain on using the web portal.
  - Explore alternative methods for lead tracking.

### **Lead Sharing Process**

- Issues with confidentiality and privacy in lead sharing.
- Importance of capturing client information for follow-up.
- Online system does not facilitate lead sharing effectively.

#### **Group Dynamics and Lead Sharing**

- Some members are in multiple lead share groups.
- Discussion on loyalty and lead allocation among different groups.
- Importance of capturing leads during meetings for accountability.

### **Proposed Solutions**

- Use of lead share sheets during meetings:
  - Sheets can be passed around for members to record leads.
  - Facilitates one-on-one conversations about leads.
- Consideration of financial incentives for lead sharing:

- Previous contests for passing leads were mentioned.
- Importance of tracking leads for group performance.

#### **Administrative Roles**

- Discussion on the role of the secretary in lead recording.
- Suggestion to print more lead share sheets for meetings.
- Dennis Donovan volunteered for a role related to lead tracking.

# Lead Tracking (19:00 - 29:00)

- Dennis will be responsible for tracking leads.
  - He will vet unqualified or insufficient leads.
- When sending a lead, mention if it's urgent.
- A designated time will be set for lead tracking.

### **Meetings and Holidays**

- Meetings cannot be held on Tuesdays if a holiday falls on a Thursday.
- Other groups have more flexibility regarding holiday meetings.
- The calendar for 2025 will be reviewed to assess which holidays to skip.

### **Meeting Locations**

- Consider having meetings at different locations in 2025.
  Some meetings can be held at local businesses.
- The PATH foundation will remain the home base.

### **New Members Meetings**

- A presence should be maintained at new members meetings.
- New member meetings will occur every other month, totaling six meetings.
- The goal is to increase attendance at these meetings.

### **Newsletter Discussion**

• Discussion on the frequency and content of the newsletter.

Consider a monthly or quarterly newsletter.

• The lead share newsletter will be distributed to all members and the public.

## New Guests and Introductions (29:00 - 39:00)

- New guests include Zach Marsh from FX Payroll.
  - Excited to travel home to upstate New York to see family.
- Caitlyn Atkins owns Spaces Organized and Styled.
  - Introduced her new assistant organizer, Kelsey.
- Dennis Wrights from Golden Rule Builders.
  - Looking forward to having children back in the area for Christmas.
- Stephanie Teague with Beamer.
  - Attending granddaughter's preschool Christmas program.

# **Family and Holiday Plans**

- Judd Walls from Constant Water.
  - Family gathering for Christmas with sons and their fiancées.
- Becky Miller from Piedmont Pine Properties.
  - Busy week with children's social events and looking forward to a beach trip.
- Noah Portugal from JP Accounting.
  - Planning a secluded cabin stay in Shenandoah before tax season.

# **Events and Activities**

- Caitlyn's breath work session scheduled for tomorrow.
  - Last session for 2024.
- Professional development book club planning meeting on the 20th.
  - Attendees encouraged to bring book suggestions for next year.

# **Personal Updates (39:00 - 45:00)**

- Scott Bricker from Orcator Media
  - Excited to see siblings and their kids at mom's house.
  - Family tradition of Italian themed Christmas.
  - Transitioned from spaghetti to various types of pasta, including lasagna and tiramisu.
- Dennis Donovan from Bowie Gaskins Financial Group
  - Achieved weight loss goal and got a new haircut.
  - Family coming from Detroit for the weekend.

# **Business Discussion**

- Next meeting scheduled for January 7th.
- Presentation schedule
  - Noah will present in March due to tax season conflicts.
  - Stephanie and another member will organize the presentation list.

#### **Family and Celebrations**

- Dr. Tom Nick Leiphal, local family chiropractor
  - Excited for daughter and her boyfriend's visit while dog-sitting.
- Discussion about family surprises
  - Ornament gifts for Christmas with fun messages.
  - Mention of future baby announcements and the joy of grandparenting.

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