

## Minnesota Law Enforcement Explorer Association

### Board Meeting Minutes June 10, 2009

#### Present:

Allen Schmidt (Mankato PD), Alex Schmidt (Mankato PD), Melissa Myers (Mankato PD), Steve Heinz (Maplewood PD), Heather Robinson (Champlin PD), Rachel Burns (Stearns Co), Jenny Onken (Northern Star), Marcus Bruning (St. Louis Co), Jeanne Lawrie (Northern Star), Brandon Brugger (Minneapolis PD), Cheri Dexter (Washington CO), Pete Underthuu (Crystal PD).

Motion to approve minutes from 4/25/08 meeting (Mankato/Maplewood)

#### **Committee Reports:**

**Treasurers Report**: Reviewed and approved (Washington Co/Mankato)

**Scholarship**: Ted Berg beginning process – paperwork involving scholarship and operating budgets.

**Rochester Conference**: Remember to call it the "State Conference" Update on housing and contracts. Gary considering additional times for competitions.

**Nationals:** Gary will re-check airfare. Group will continue to push for future National Conference at new Rochester site...

Group decided to endorse Garrett Kissner for National Youth Rep. Board provided budget to assist. Cheri Dexter will coordinate. (Minneapolis/Mankato)

**Website:** Up and running. Please send photos and videos to Dewey. Reminder to send Dewey info to update honor role.

**Old Business:** Breezy Evaluations discussed.

**New Business:** Dewey will be posting information about the Duluth Conference on the Web Site.

RNC training event information provided with contact information.

Jeanne Lawrie is assisting in developing a ride along policy that is acceptable. Plymouth PD was also denied through the National Office. Chief Mike Goldstein, Plymouth PD, is working with the National Board to develop a model policy.

The board will develop a letter through Dan Myer, St. Louis Park, (Range Master) to have guns supplied for State Conference.



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Northern Star Council (or your local council) will handle Nationals Background check issue if required.

#### **Next Meeting**

The next meeting will be held in Rochester September 10, 2008 at 1130.

Marcus will invite Rochester PD Chief and Olmsted County Sheriff to attend.

The meeting will include a tour of the Rochester facilities including the shooting range.

Meeting was adjourned (Washington Co, Maplewood)