## **South Dakota Music Education Association**

Unapproved Meeting Minutes
October 28th, 2017
Sioux Falls Convention Center, Sioux Falls, SD
7:15 AM

**Board Members Present:** Rogene Brown, Mike Bossman, Char Cade, Jaime Kessler, Wendy van Gent, Kim Bruguier, Bethany Amundson, Kari Owens, Jon Bakken, Todd Carr, Spencer Wahl, Angela Larson, Erin McFarland, Paul Schilf, Vicki Hyder, Beth Neitzert, Kim Bogard, Kristen Dunlap

Board Members Absent: Andrea Harstad, Laura Schenk, Colby Schuck, Deb Rohrer

President Bruguier brought the meeting to order at 7:19 am.

## **State Music Conference 2017 - Discussion**

Bruguier presented on the success of this year's conference. We are still hoping to get more directors and teachers to attend.

Schilf brought up the point that many universities in South Dakota are not bringing collegiate members to the State Music Conference. Discussion was held on the success of NSU's collegiate attendance and what can be done to encourage other universities to send students.

There were still a few scheduling issues involving coordination of our conference schedule and the scheduling of student rehearsals happening in conjunction with the State Music Conference.

Bossman reported that this year had the largest exhibit hall vendor presence they have ever had at the State Music Conference.

Next year the board will decide on the conference registration procedure for board member. Discussion will continue on this matter at the January board meeting.

Schilf mentioned that the Dallas Brass and Dr. Tim are booked for the 2018 State Music Conference.

McFarland would like to discuss the All-State Chorus T-shirt procedure at the January Board Meeting.

## Motion by Cade, second by Bossman to adjourn. Motion carries. Meeting adjourned at 7:39 am.

Next meeting: January 2018; Date/Time/Location: TBD

Submitted by Kessler, October 28th, 2017