

Illinois Township Association of Senior Citizens Services Committee

I.T.A.S.C.S.C. Meeting Minutes

February 24, 2012

1. Meeting called to order at 10:15 AM. Present at the meeting Jay Madalon, Wheatland Twp; Desiree Scully-Simpkins, Oak Park Township; Karen Cohen, Maine Township; Barbara Kurth Schuldt, Hanover Township; Tracey Colagrossi, Hanover Township; Mary Swanson, Maine Township; John Ulrey, Maine Township; Peggy Miller, DuPage Township; Jodi Gallagher Dilling, Frankfort Township.
2. Jim from Liturgical Publications presented information on subsidizing the cost of producing a newsletter for organizations. The organization works with Liturgical to gather advertisers to be placed in the newsletter in order to offset the cost of producing it.
3. Meeting minutes: Motioned by Peggy Miller, Second by Mary Swanson
4. Financial Report reported by Peggy Miller. Motioned by Mary Swanson, second by John Ulrey
5. Old Business: review of the ideas from the Township of Illinois Conference. We would like to have a township map at the booth for a conversation starter, hold a raffle to engage more people, have Bozo Buckets for game night. Hanover has a set they could bring.
6. New Business: updating the mission statement and reviewing organizational goals were discussed. The mission statement has been missing from newer documents. Desiree Scully-Simpkins will locate and send email to Tracey Colagrossi to review at the next meeting. Trying to engage new members and downstate members into ITASCSC proves to be a challenge. Possibly trying to do webinars, YouTube postings to upload to website might help those connect with ITASCSC. Have monthly meetings were suggested, but members expressed with their workloads it is tougher to get away. A evening out was suggested to do something fun as a group. Telephone webinars or meetings were also suggested. The possibility of having regional meetings was suggested. If we are on overwhelming mode, the question was asked if others used interns. A suggestion to have the Board has a proclamation for ITASCSC to raise awareness for the organization. Tracey Colagrossi will investigate these possibilities to report back at the next meeting.
7. Meeting adjourned at 12: 30 PM. Motioned by John Ulrey, second by Barbara Kurth Schuldt

Respectfully Submitted by:
Tracey Colagrossi
ITASCSC President