

The Ohio State Jural Assembly
Official Weekly Business Meeting
Minutes for Tuesday July 11, 2023
As Recorded by Michele

****7/18/23 see amendments in red font**

7:03 Ross starts recording and opens official meeting of OSJA, where we meet to discuss all business and will motion and vote on all matters.

Robert's Rules of Order will be followed.

Tim says prayer followed by 15 seconds of reflection.

Bivens is read 3 times by Ross; 3 times no.

Roll call: 8 in attendance:

Ross – Summit

Michael – Adams

Cristina - Summit

Michele G – Cuyahoga

Ryan – Franklin

Stephen & Trina - Vinton

Tim and Karla – Fairfield

Kathy – Fairfield

Reminder from Ross we are always looking for Pro-Tem moderator, scribe, and bailiff to back up the men and women who act weekly for OSJA.

Open Old Business – Michael motions, Tim/Cristina seconds.

Old Business:

-Michele reads minutes from 6/27/23; vote to accept minutes as read: 9 yeas, 1 abstain, 0 nays;

-Cristina reads minutes from 6/20/23; vote to accept minutes as read: 5 yeas, 4 abstain, 0 nays;

-Michael - Treasury update: no ledger activity;

-Cristina - Public Affairs update: she and Ross went to Guernsey County Freedom Fest, which seemed to her to be a lot of pro 2A militia people; then they went on to Vinton County, where it felt like a gathering of ministers; good conversations in both places revealed how we're all on the same page;
7 people in this OSJA meeting were also in Vinton County and some shared their feedback, which was positive;

-Ross asks Cristina, as Public Affairs chair, if OSJA was well represented at both events and did being there help grown the assembly?; Cristina says we were transparent and presented a grassroots-style; we represented ourselves as accurate as we can be; it was talked about in Vinton County that people in COS ask why aren't we doing something? to which the state's response is we are not spoon feeding and telling the counties what to do, but rather the state will ask "what we can do to assist you?";

-Ross asks if Kathy has ever invited Joe Healy to Reynoldsburg meetings? Kathy said he did attend a meeting but she was not in attendance; he spoke about COS; Ross explains that Joe Healy is an influencer and a leader in central Ohio; being able to meet face to face with leaders around the state is beneficial to OSJA;

-Reynoldsburg meeting on Thursday 7/6; not an official meeting but Kat posted unofficial meeting minutes to demonstrate how easy it is, how it is done and that this is what we do; Cristina responded to parts of these minutes in Telegram because some of what was stated was inaccurate;
there was a lot of information and it was hard to keep up so it's worth noting that the minutes were not verbatim, they were just general recap of what was discussed; there was lot of questions/answers and good

conversation;

-Kathy reminds all that next Reynoldsburg meeting is Aug 10th;

-Tim suggests the man Bill (Bill Hermanson) in a video that Kathy presented would be a good teacher to invite to meetings;

-Ryan asks if everyone in Reynoldsburg meeting knows how to attend OSJA Zoom meeting; Ross asks that Ryan suggest alternative to Zoom if there is a better/easier tool;

7/18/23 correction: Ryan was asking "can Tuesday OSJA 7pm Zoom meeting invite can be extended to all attendees in Reynoldsburg meeting, even non-papered people?"

Cristina's reply is "no, only papered members can attend that meeting; non-papered people can attend the Tuesday 6/15 call".

Cristina reminds that OSJA Zoom call is for papered members only; she says maybe we can do a better job at getting the meeting invite out to more people;

Kathy sends state meeting invite to many people but will add a notice that the meeting is for papered members only;

-Cristina reminds that meeting invite can be shared with anyone and that it is the job of the bailiff to only admit papered members into the state meeting;

-Ross points out that what is happening in Reynoldsburg is unique in that 2 counties meet in one location; there is a potential for Licking County to have their own in-person meeting; best scenario is an in-person meeting in each county;

-Ryan asks if Marion or Delaware has papered members and has meetings?

Ross says Delaware has papered members; Marion is not settled and has no papered members and they do not meet; Union has papered members but is not settled and they do not meet;

Close Old Business – Michele motions, Tim seconds.

Open New Business – Tim motions, Ryan seconds.

New Business:

-Ross says that Kat has suggested a leadership meeting to decide direction for OSJA;

Cristina adds that this statement comes from many people saying that all COSs should get on same page and work on a single project together;

-Cristina says Ross has a good idea for an easy way for people to get their feet wet that involves the Sunshine Law;

-Ross: Sunshine Law in Ohio states all elected officials need to learn how to respond to records requests; this law states there is to be a class and that all elected officials need to attend this class; each county Board of Election website has a link to a list of every elected official in that county; suggestions is that people in the COS use that list and email/mail those officials and ask if they have taken the class; this falls under the category of a FIOA request;

-Cristina will post a letter template in Telegram **one People DOCUMENTS ONLY Room**

-Ross posted a link to a video from Dave Yost's website of Dave talking about the law;

-Ross reminds that Beverly in Clermont County has many people with testimonies of harm; Beverly has asked OSJA to form a panel for these people to practice giving their testimonies; they'll be ready in August and Beverly will provide the date; most men/women on this call will participate if they are available on the date of the panel;

Close New Business – Michele motions, Tim seconds.

Adjourn – Michele motions, Tim seconds.

8:04 Ross adjourns meeting;

Next meeting is Tuesday July 18, 2023