

# **City of Madison**

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# Meeting Minutes - Amended MONONA TERRACE BOOKING EVENT ASSISTANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Wednesday, December 7, 2016

2:00 PM

Greater Madison Convention & Visitors Bureau 22 East Mifflin Street, Suite 200

# **CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL**

Minute Taker: Stephanie O'Neal, GMCVB

Present: 3 - Bill Zeinemann; M. Alice O'Connor and Deb Archer

Absent: 1 - Thomas J. Ziarnik

Excused: 1 - Steve King

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

September 13, 2016: http://madison.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx

A motion was made by Zeinemann, seconded by O'Connor, to Approve the Minutes. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

# **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

#### **DISCLOSURES AND RECUSALS**

No disclosures or recusals were made by committee members at this time.

#### **REVIEW FUND ACTIVITY**

1. 45329 Fund Availability

Archer reviewed the Fund Activity Memo, including re-appropriations and noting available funds of \$19,551 to consider and appropriate at this meeting.

# **REVIEW FUTURE FUND REQUESTS**

2. 45330 Uniform Law Commission - 2020 Annual

BEA Request: \$27,000 for facility rental.

A motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Zeinemann, to Approve. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

3.	<u>45331</u>	American Association of Physics Teachers - 2020 Summer Conference
		BEA Request: \$21,000 for facility rental.
		A motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Zeinemann, to Approve. The motion passed by voice vote/other.
4.	<u>45332</u>	American Ornithologists' Union - North American Ornithological Conference 2021
		BEA Request: \$21,000 for facility rental.
		A motion was made by Zeinemann, seconded by O'Connor, to Approve. The motion passed by voice vote/other.
5.	<u>45333</u>	Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Masons - National Supreme Council National Convention 2021
		BEA Request: \$21,465 for facility rental.
		A motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Zeinemann, to Approve. The motion passed by voice vote/other.
6.	<u>45334</u>	Welsh North American Association - 2019 North American Festival of Wales
		BEA Request: \$14,400 for facility rental.
		A motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Zeinemann, to Approve. The motion passed by voice vote/other.
7.	<u>45335</u>	Association of Public Health Laboratories - 2019 Annual Meeting
		BEA Request: \$19,500 for facility rental.
		A motion was made by Zeinemann, seconded by O'Connor, to Approve. The motion passed by voice vote/other.
8.	<u>45336</u>	General Dynamics Information Technology - 2018 NSMMS & CRASTE
		BEA Request: \$15,600 for facility rental.
		A motion was made by Zeinemann, seconded by O'Connor, to Approve. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

9. 45337 World Triathlon Corporation - 2018 Ironman

BEA Request: \$30,000 for facility rental. Archer noted that this is the last year of the current contract, and renegotiation with a review of room blocks will begin soon.

A motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Zeinemann, to Approve. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

 45338 International Business Innovation Association - 2019 International Conference on Business Incubation

BEA Request: \$24,000 for facility rental.

A motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Zeinemann, to Approve. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

#### **SPECIAL REQUEST**

11. <u>45340</u>

Environmental Design Research Association - 2017 Annual Conference Update. GMCVB staff proposed two hotels and the grant was approved on this basis: 150 rooms at Hilton and 75 at the Park Hotel. After they selected Madison, Hilton agreed to increase their block for EDRA to 185 peak rooms. The client requests an exception to the MTBEA grant requirement that they must contract at least 50 rooms at a second hotel. See File ID 41018.

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The Committee discussed the exception and various options, including a potential reduction in the grant. The Committee determined that this is a unique situation and supports approval of the exception request.

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#### REMINDER OF STATEMENT OF INTERESTS

Archer reminded Committee members to complete and submit the City of Madison Statement of Interests form, noting that this can now be done online.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Zeinemann, to Adjourn. The motion passed by voice vote/other.