

## Mission Statement:

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## Business Meeting Ela Township - Via Zoom May 26, 2022 10:00AM - 12:00PM

I. Call to order at 10:05 am.

**Roll Call:** Members in attendance Terri Ransom (DuPage Township), Heather Mlynek (The Bridge), Richard Lyon (Maine Township), Allison Kowieski (WAYS- Wayne/Winfield Townships), Sara Marx (Ela Township), and Adam Krieger (Warren Township).

- A. Approval of Minutes from the February 22, 2022 Business Meeting
  - 1. Sara Marx moved to approve and Rich Lyon seconded. Motion approved.
- B. Additions to the agenda
  - 1. None
- **II.** Officers' reports:
  - A. President: Tina
    - 1. Absent
  - **B.** Vice President: Sara
    - 1. See committee reports
  - C. Secretary: Allison
    - 1. None
  - D. Treasurer: Richard
    - 1. Proviso and DuPage Townships joined since last meeting
- **III.** Committee Reports:
  - A. Membership: Tina
    - 1. Reaching out to different youth programs about joining and area townships
  - B. CEUs: Sara
    - 1. Event today
    - 2. Next one is in August, will be done by Oak Park, topic is self-care
  - C. Audit: Dawn
    - 1. Absent
  - D. Program: Tina
    - 1. Absent
  - E. Website: Richard
    - 1. None
  - F. Awards: Megan
    - 1. Undergrad: Deadline was last week, only one completed one to review at June meeting
    - 2. Graduate scholarships are due in the Fall
  - **G.** Perspectives: Tina
    - 1. Tina turned in article for that



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- H. TOI: Tina
  - 1. Absent
- I. Olympics: Sara
  - 1. Postponed until next year
- IV. Old Business
  - A. None
- V. New Business
  - A. August 2022 Business Meeting/Workshops discussion
    - 1. Oak Park Township, on topic of self-care
  - **B.** Membership Drive
    - 1. See committee report
  - C. Plan to increase membership
    - 1. See committee report
  - D. Flver
    - 1. None
  - E. Updates
    - 1. None
  - F. Undergraduate Scholarship marketing/deadline May 20, 2022
    - 1. See awards report
- VI. Township Program Highlights and Announcements
  - A. The Bridge
    - 1. Got approval for Medicaid approved provider
    - 2. Revamping mentoring program
  - **B.** Maine Township
    - 1. New yoga program, PRIDE program, upcoming wellness fair, and summer camp
  - C. WAYS
    - 1. Looking for full time therapist
  - D. Ela Township
    - 1. Looking for full time therapist
- VII. Adjournment

Moved to adjourn at 10:49 am. Motion by Sara Marx and seconded by Heather Mlynek. Motion approved.

Minutes submitted by: Allison Kowieski, Secretary