



AMERICAN SOCIETY OF SAFETY PROFESSIONALS

Great Plains Chapter

Meeting Minutes January 7, 2022 ASSP Great Plains Board Meeting

Attendees- Jim Nelson, Eric Schermerhorn, Kelvin Thurman, Todd Grumley, Jake Mahin, Steve Polich, Monty Hoyle, Samantha O'Kelley

1. Call to order
 - a. Meeting was called to order at 12:02 PM
2. Review/approval of previous meeting minutes
 - a. No minutes from previous meeting presented for review
3. Review/approval of Financial Reports
 - a. September 2021 Treasurer Report reviewed, moved, seconded, and approved. Ending balance of \$6403.84.
 - b. October 2021 Treasurer Report reviewed, moved, seconded, and approved. Ending balance of \$6984.16.
 - c. November 2021 Treasurer Report reviewed, moved, seconded, and approved. Ending balance of \$7106.17.
 - d. We owe for the holiday party. The invoice has been received and is being processed.
4. Meeting planning (See tracker/planner below)
 - a. Eric is working on Fall Protection session. We will push this back to February since it would be face-to-face, and the COVID-19 Omicron variant is rampant right now. We will not have a chapter meeting for the month of January.
 - b. We will plan for Fall Protection in February near the end of the month. Eric may have a location for us to meet. Eric and Monty will work on a flyer when the location is determined.
 - c. Heat stress is planned for March. Monty has not spoken to anybody about this yet. We will plan for a Thursday or Friday.
5. New Business
 - a. ROC will take place in WI. It is still planned for face-to-face the last Thursday and Friday of April.
 - b. Beth will send a notice for SPY and nomination of officers soon.
 - c. We will need an area director for some regional voting that comes up soon. This is a 3-year term.
6. House of Delegates
 - a. There will now be a 45-day window for voting.
 - b. There is a House of Delegates meeting February 1, 2022.

- c. There is a real estate transaction for some Illinois property that the delegates will decide on.
 - d. There may be changes to voting changing from live voting. Eric hasn't heard about any of the changes yet.
7. Student Chapter – have not heard anything. They will probably be idle until spring or next fall.
 8. Call to Adjourn
 - a. Meeting adjourned at 12:21 pm.

Minutes taken by Samantha O'Kelley, Secretary ASSP Great Plains Chapter.

CHAPTER MEETING SCHEDULE AND TOPIC PLANNER 2021-2022

MONTH	DATE	TIME	TOPIC	FACILITATOR/SPEAKER
SEPTEMBER 2021	DATE	DATE		
OCTOBER 2021	10/15/2021	NOON – 1:00 PM	ASSP ACTIVITIES AND STANDARDS	TIM FISHER
NOVEMBER 2021	11/12/2021	NOON – 1:00 PM	OSHA COVID ETS	DOUG FLETCHER
DECEMBER 2021	12/3/2021	3:30 – 6:00 PM	MEETING AND HOLIDAY SOCIAL GATHERING	
JANUARY 2022			FALL PROTECTION NO CHAPTER MEETING DUE TO RISE IN OMICRON VARIANT	
FEBRUARY 2022			COMBUSTIBLE DUST FALL PROTECTION	
MARCH 2022			HEAT STRESS OSHA NATIONAL EMPHESIS	
APRIL 2022			COMBUSTIBLE DUST	
MAY 2022			ELECTIONS, PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE IN IOWA	
JUNE 2022			AWARDS BANQUET	
JULY 2022				
AUGUST 2022				