

Wisconsin Motor Carriers Safety Management Safety Council Meeting Minutes

February 13<sup>th</sup> 2020

Kindly hosted by The Muse by Sentry Stevens Point WI

Attendees: Kim Conradt – WMCA, Ashley Backhaus – Sabretooth Enterprises, Joe Walchevitz – Sabretooth Enterprises, Mark Abrahamson – HNI, Chris Bordeaux – N&M Transfer, Craig Schmidt – Retired, Bill Stannard – Great West Casualty, Tom Bray – JJ Keller, Dale Rakowski – Duplainville Transport, Gillian Taylor – Duplainville Transport

Verifications made that everyone had received a copy of the minutes from the Webinar in January

1700 Jeff Simon went over the seminar details and Clearinghouse news for the council members who were not able to attend.

Meeting called to order by Doug Martyiniuk at 1714

Introductions

Minutes for the January Webinar

Motion made to accept the minutes for the Webinar by Chris Bordeaux seconded by Joe Walchevitz

Treasurers Report January 2020 Summary

Total Income: \$19,023.50

Total Other Expenses: \$5,048.73

Net Income: \$13,974.77

Motioned to accept by Ashley Backhaus and seconded by Karl Pinter

Old Business: No old business to discuss at the time of the meeting.

March Seminar will be held 19MAR2020 at Truck Country in Deforest WI.

Truck Country

5000 Cake Parkway

Deforest, WI 53532

Topic: "TAT" Truckers Against Trafficking

Rob from Fox Valley to speak on the training they are now providing to the students going thru their program on trafficking.

April Seminar will be held 16APR2020 at Fairway Transit in Pewaukee WI.

Fairway Transit

930 Silvernail Rd.

Pewaukee, WI 53072

Topic: Vehicle Maintenance

May Seminar will be held on 14MAY2020 at FVT in Appleton WI.

Fox Valley Technical College

1825 N Bluemound Dr.

Appleton, WI 54912

Topic: Security

PSDC Update: Friday's event at Acuity has been cancelled due to lack of interest

Questions were asked about the possibility of limiting it to two events and also perhaps centralizing them to one area versus having them in different locations each year. A few possible venues were discussed for future events – Blue Harbor in Sheboygan and The Marq in De Pere WI

PSDC Luncheon February 22<sup>nd</sup> will be held at The Sky Supper Club in Plover WI. Event starts at 11am.

PSDC Luncheon March 7<sup>th</sup> will be held at The Osthoff in Elkhart Lake WI. Event kicks off at 11am  
Safety Awards Banquet that night starts at 1730.

A few examples of the new merchandise for the PSDC were passed around. Great choices!

An initiative was suggested to get companies not currently active with the Motor Carriers Association involved in not only the council but the TDC as well. Our members in the Insurance industry will be passing along information to their customers about the Association and TDC. Special thanks to our Insurance Industry members for their help continuing our success as a council.

Motion made to adjourn meeting by Joe Walchevitz and seconded by Craig Schmidt.

Wisconsin Fun Fact:

**Wisconsin is a contributor to cinema history.**

The creator of what many consider the greatest movie ever made, Citizen Kane, did not hail from Hollywood. He was an export of Wisconsin. Orson Welles was born in Kenosha and went on to become an accomplished writer, producer and director. His works have appeared on Broadway, in legendary films and in the production of an infamous radio broadcast.

