THRESHOLD CHOIR BOARD MINUTES

MARCH 20, 2024

PRESENT: BRIDGET BAKER, GLENDA GUINN-GILLES, JAN BOOTH, C.J. ROBINSON, SUDIE POLLOCK

ABSENT: NATASHA PHILLIPS, CAITIE DERANEK STEWART

STAFF PRESENT: LEEANN ENRIGHT

- 1. Song: Trees Grow Slow by Laurence Cole, sung by Sudie
- 2. Approval of Feb Minutes will need to be done by email after minor edits by Sudie
- 3. Financial Report: Bridget \$15,000 more than last year in membership/donations
- 4 Leeann
 - a) Carrie is doing a great job, meeting people and learning a lot, asking good questions.
 - b) ED search –77 resumes received already
 - c) FPLG (For Purpose Law Group) had a phone conversation
 - d) Accountability: work plans from Bd Meetings are being written
 - e) Annual Report: will be sent to members next week in lieu of newsletter
 - f) Charity Navigator: rather than try to get our data to them by April 8, we will shoot for July. Donations have gone up even without their endorsement.
 - g) Last Ecstatic Life: video will be shown again with 10% going to TC. Will expand invitation list to 500 on Zoom. Encourage chapters to watch together. Touching End Of Life story.
- 5. Fundraising Leeanne:
 - a) hard to locate data on prior donors
 - b) much is on hold until new ED is hired
 - c) Leeann will contact Cherry Tinker to ask about prior major donors
- 6. Website Bridget recent 90 chapters reported, 12,000 sings/ month
- 7. Liason Guidelines written by Glenda and Bridget Well done!
- 8. Sounding Bd Glenda
 - a) Glenda will be replacing Jan.
 - b) will develop a list of regional representatives and will introduce Carrie
- 9. Coaches Sudie attended one meeting to introduce herself
- 10. Education/Training/Curric Leeann
 - a) Carrie attended Deborah Carrithers' Training.

- b) Leeann will ask Leaders about taking over that once a month
- c) Should Bd make Training Required, Recommended, or Optional?
- 11. Repertoire Sudie
 - a) attended one meeting to introduce herself
- 12. DEI Bridget

a) Committee held a Singing in Hebrew Zoom.

- 13. Personnel Bridget, C.J.
 - a) they will go over what policies exist, particularly travel policies
- 14. Outreach On Hold For ED
- 15. Bd Recruitment Glenda On hold
- 16. Gatherings task force On hold
 - a) gathering in June in Grand Rapids, Michigan, soon in Mass.
- 17. Open Items not at this time.

May harmony prevail, Sudie

ACTION ITEMS FROM MARCH 20, 2024 BD. MEETING

- 1. SUDIE a) send copy of song to Bridget--done
 - b) correct Feb minutes, get Bd approval, mail to Cathy Baird done
 - c) include last names at the top of Minutes ---done
- 2. LEEANN a) contact Cherry Tinker about data on major donorsb) contact Directors to ask about past monthly singing data---is that for Directors who do not already turn in

monthly reports?

c) ask First Friday Leaders Meeting about taking over for Deborah Carrithers; Training. Will Board decide

Training is Required, Recommended, or Optional?

- 3. JAN a) Link Last Ecstatic Life to TC Zoom base for 500 seats
 - 4. BRIDGET AND C.J. a) review current personnel policies; check on travel

Sorry about the misalignments—I'm having trouble with Word.