

History Committee Meeting Minutes March 23, 2023

Committee Chair: Justin Klabo

Committee Members: Mika Kinney, Tom Thompson, Paul Kauppi, Ross Bittner, Phil Elkin, Greg Anderson,

Jeff Pearson, Andrew Scipioni

Executive Committee Liaison: Chris Petree

Attendees: Chris Petree, Greg Anderson, Ross Bittner, Justin Klabo

- 1. Delegate Update [Chris]
 - a. Spring Conference
 - i. Registration went out Tuesday
 - ii. Encourage attendance by the group
 - iii. National President will be in attendance as well as Regional Director
 - b. Education & Training
 - i. Transitioning to in-house training by the Mn Chapter
 - c. Budget Requests
 - i. Notice ahead of next Exec. Committee Meeting [April 27th]
- 2. Goals for 2023
 - a. Where Are They Now Interviews
 - i. Complete three (3) interviews with past APWA Members.
 - 1. Brian Lokkesomoe (Justin)
 - 2. Brian Wagstrom
 - 3. Bud Osmundson
 - 4. Tom Colbert
 - a. Russ stays in contact, Chris would interview
 - b. Chris will get contact information
 - 5. Tom Platt
 - 6. Tom Montgomery
 - a. Nick stays in contact with him, Chris would interview
 - b. Chris will get contact information
 - 7. Jean Keely (Greg)
 - 8. Mike Eastling
 - 9. Tom Mathison
 - 10. Steve Gatlin [still attends summer golf outing]
 - 11. Jim Grube (Justin to reach out)
 - ii. Ross would be happy to assist with interview question development, etc. as needed.
 - b. Articles
 - i. Complete two (2) articles highlighting historical projects or achievements.
 - 1. Rochester Brick Street Project (Jeff)
 - 2. 1980's drought conditions
 - 3. Chalk Line Publications
 - a. Andrew and Mika review publications for potential article ideas as well as factoid development
 - 4. YP History (Ross)

- a. Share something by Sept meeting.
- 5. Other ideas?
- c. Site Tour
 - i. Complete one (1) tour of a historical site.
 - 1. Hyland/Ford Plant [Jeff]
 - a. Justin will follow-up with Jeff on status
- 3. Other Items
 - a. Factoids
 - i. Identify factoids while reviewing Chalk Line publications [Andrew & Mika]
 - b. Photo Archiving
 - i. Lydia out until end of April/early May
 - 1. Jim G. executive committee liaison. See who is helping with the group while Lydia is out.
- 4. 2023 Meetings
 - a. Quarterly Meetings
 - i. March 23rd Teams
 - ii. April 27th In Person, City of Edina PW
 - iii. July 20th Teams
 - iv. September 21st Teams