University of Southern Indiana

Master of Public Administration Society

Meeting Minutes – April 21, 2016

Meeting called to Order: 5:21 p.m.

Approval of Last Meetings Minutes: approved

Present: Tara Riggs, Jennifer Sharp, Ashley Hughes, Traci Welp, Mpho Mashabe, Travis Dickison, Amanda Salomon, Joanna Beck, Dr. Hanka (9)

Exec. Updates:

President: Azzip giveback on the way – watch FB page for more information

Vice President: none

Secretary: none

Treasurer: Budget update - $110 in Old National account, $255 in USI account, total budget $365

Old Business:

Financial Outline to be added to Constitution & Bylaws

- Amendment to financial document: change of fiscal year to August-July, to match the academic year
    - Amendment passes - all in favor, none opposed

Elections for academic year 2016-2017

- President nominees: Travis
    - President will be Travis
- Vice President nominees: Traci
    - Vice President will be Traci
- Treasurer nominees: Joanna
    - Treasurer will be Joanna
- Secretary nominees: Mpho
    - Secretary will be Mpho
    - Due to circumstances beyond control, Traci will serve as interim secretary in the month of July. Mpho will take over in August.
        - Positions will begin August 2016 and serve through July 2016

New Business:

Summer Volunteer opportunities:

- Traci will be working to solicit volunteers for different summer volunteer opportunities – watch Facebook and email for opportunities

Fall Volunteer Opportunities:

- Aurora backpack program in fall
- Other opportunities TBD

Political Science and Public Administration Networking Reception

- April 27th 5:30-7:30pm
- Open house style
- Partners and children welcome
- Food will be provided

Summer meetings:

- Thursday, May 19th at 5:15, LA room TBA
- Saturday, June 11th at 1:00, location TBA
- Thursday meeting in July - date, time, location TBA

Reminders:

Make suggestions!

- If anyone has suggestions for speakers, service opportunities, etc. please let us know!

The meeting was adjourned at 5:53 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Sharp