

## **Board of Directors Meeting**

Thursday, July 20, 2023 11:00am EST, 10:00am CST

Present	Absent	Name	Position
Х		Daniel Armitage	President
Х		Brian Browning	President-Elect
X		Michael Murphy	Vice President
	Х	Donna Morris-Powell	Immediate Past President
	Х	Jack Burgess	Treasurer
X		Carol Agomo	Secretary
	Х	Stephanie Edgett	Conference Coordinator
X		Robin Parker	Professional Development Coordinator
	Х	Andrew Smith	Communications Coordinator
Х		Esmeralda Valdez	South Rep to NACAS National
Х		Alla Jeanae Frank	Membership Coordinator
Х		Lynette Smith	NACAS Home Office
		TBD	Co-Host Committee Chair
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# 1. Call to Order/Welcome

Danny Armitage

- A. Meeting was called to order at 11:00 am CST
- B. Danny welcomed everyone.

#### 2. Updates for National Office

Danny Armitage

- A. National Office is asking the CEO and Chapter Presidents to meet quarterly.
  - i. An invitation was extended to Matt to attend the Orlando session.
  - i. National is reviewing the regional composition and looking at ways to increase engagement within regions.
    - They are considering where to segment regions and the best placement for the Bahamas.
    - There is hope for consideration of regional board leadership input.
  - iii. There is a current focus on the DIAL and Women's Leadership programs.
  - iv. They seek to strengthen organizational finances.

# 3. Goal for Each Board Position

Danny Armitage

- A. Each Board member should select 2-3 goals for the year and send them to Danny and Carol before the mid-year meeting.
- 4. CX24 Host Committee Commitments

Danny Armitage

- A. Send any recommendations for committee members to Danny.
- 5. NACAS South Mid-Year at Swan and Dolphin Mid

Danny Armitage



- A. Day 1 Tour the property
- B. Day 2 Work through bylaws

### 6. Board Reports

All

#### A. President-Elect

**Brian Browning** 

- i. Brian continues to move forward with plans at Dollywood for 2025.
  - Draft agreement in place for rooms and meeting spaces (there is no charge for meeting spaces with the current room block).
  - Exploring event space for opening or closing events.

**B. Vice President** 

Michael Murphy

i. No Report

C. Immediate Past President

Donna Morris-Powell

i. No Report

D. Treasurer

Jack Burgess

i. No Report

E. Secretary

Carol Agomo

- i. Motion to accept minutes from the June 8, 2023, governing board meeting made by Brian, Michael seconded, all in favor.
- ii. Motion carries.

### F. Conference Coordinator

Stephanie Edgett

i. No Report

# G. Professional Development Coordinator

Robin Parker

- i. Indicated that she would like to discuss restructuring the business partner's session and the overall meeting schedule during our mid-year meeting, with hopes of increasing participation at the conference.
- **H.** Communications Coordinator

Andrew Smith

i. No report

## I. Membership Coordinator

Alla Jeanae Frank

- i. There are 181 active institutions; our goal is 200.
  - 126 of these are renewals.
  - Alla Jeanae will share more details in September.
- ii. Alla Jeanae would like to engage members in committee work.

#### J. South Rep to NACAS Board

Esmeralda Valdez

- i. The National Board meeting is currently underway.
- ii. They have extended the CX23 deadline in hopes of attracting approximately 20 more subs, currently at 75.
- iii. There will be a regional challenge for first-time attendees.
- iv. DIAL received 20 applications; they hope to accept 10 participants.
- v. There will be a NACAS staff retreat in August.
- vi. The SOP is currently under review.
- vii. National requests that region send finance information for tax purposes.
  - They plan to host a meeting to discuss regional expectations.



viii. There are plans to relaunch the foundation.

#### K. NACAS Home Office

Lynette Smith

- i. The deadline for the first-timers challenge is October 23; winners will be announced on October 27.
- ii. Women's Leadership Conference is September 12-15 in Paso Robles, CA. Registration link: <a href="https://nacas.org/event/wls/">https://nacas.org/event/wls/</a>
- iii. NACAS CX23 Annual Conference & Expo (55<sup>th</sup> Conference) is November 5-8 in Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Registration link: <a href="https://nacas.org/event/c3x/">https://nacas.org/event/c3x/</a>



NACAS C3X 2023 -Schedule for Regior

v. Future C3X Conference Dates

- iv. Schedule for Region
- C3X 2024 Annual Conference & Expo: October 27-30, 2024 (Orlando, FL)
- C3X 2025 Annual Conference & Expo: Pending (Las Vegas)
- C3X 2026 Annual Conference & Expo: September 26-30, 2026 (Chicago)
- C3X 2027 Annual Conference & Expo: October 31-Nov. 3, 2027 (Washington, DC)
- C3X 2028 Annual Conference & Expo: October 15-18, 2028 (Denver, CO)
- vi. Overall survey for CX is forthcoming.

#### L. Host Committee Co-Chairs

TBD

- i. No report
- 7. Other Business/Next Steps
  - A. Next meeting: Thursday, August 17, 2023, at 12:00 pm EST/ 11:00 am CST
- 8. Adjourn
  - A. Meeting adjourned at 12:00 pm EST/ 11:00 am CST