



Minutes
Southeast Athletic Trainers' Association
Executive Board Conference Call
November 16, 2006
President MaryBeth Horodyski, Presiding



Roll Call:

MaryBeth Horodyski, EdD, ATC – President
R.T. Floyd, EdD, ATC – District Director
Marisa Brunett, MS, ATC – Vice President
Lori Groover, MS, ATC – Secretary
Jim Mackie, Med, ATC – Treasurer
Brad Montgomery, MAT, ATC – **AL President**
Stephanie Lennon, MS, ATC – **FL President**
Paul Higgs, Med, ATC, - **GA President**
Greg Rose, MS, ATC – **KY President – NOT AVAILABLE**
Gary Lewis, LAT – **LA President – NOT AVAILABLE**
Gerard White, Med, ATC – **LA Representative**
Donna Wesley, MS ATC – **MS President**
Joe Erdeljac, MS, ATC – **TN President**
Heloise Jones, ATC – **Incoming AL President**

Call to order:

President MaryBeth Horodyski called the meeting to order at 9:05 EST.

Minutes:

Voted: To approve September Conference Call Minutes with changes mentioned (last names inserted).

(FL, MS) Passed 6-0-0-1 (Missing KY)

Voted: To approve October Conference Call Minutes with changes mentioned (typo errors).

(LA, FL) Passed 6-0-0-1 (Missing KY)
Greg Rose, KY, joins call.

District Director Report: R.T. Floyd

Reports from the November 9, 2006 NATA BOD Minutes

- Board went into closed discussions regarding CMS and information will be forthcoming.

- NATA presented a proposal to Motrin to use some of its airtime on the Lifetime Channel to promote NATA and athletic training.
- Board approved the October 2006 conference call minutes and amended the educational multimedia committee's purpose statement.
- NATA is recommending the appointment of Doug Casa, PhD, ATC, FASCM to the President's Council on Physical Fitness & Sports Science Board.
- NATA was informed of athletic trainers in the DC school district have not received a pay raise since 1993, President Kimmel instructed NATA staff to proceed with plans to consult and offer assistance and support.

Vice President's Report: Marisa Brunett

- Working closely with hotel in Franklin, on rooms for lectures and meeting our needs.
- Starting search for Presidential Speaker, input from Joe Erdeljac and David Green (since they live in the area), as well as with MaryBeth Horodyski so far. Welcoming any ideas from the board.

President's Report: MaryBeth Horodyski

- NATA BOD members meeting reception is Dec. 2 in Orlando, members are welcome to attend.
- Reminder to everyone the advantage of monthly conference calls is getting items on the agenda, however if it gets left off, or time doesn't permit, items can be moved to next month, UNLESS CRITICAL.
- In regards to the Election Procedures Update, Donna Wesley, MS, has gotten a few updates from the board. Concern that Policies & Procedures say one thing, By-laws state another, would like to appoint a committee to revisit the documents.
Committee will consist of Marisa Brunett, Donna Wesley (MS), Joe Erdeljac (TN), Greg Rose (KY), - and Nick Pappas (Parliamentarian will be available).
- Would like to go down each committee and get Board's approval.

Voted: To approve the committees as listed by MaryBeth (Horodyski).

(KY, FL) Approved 7-0-0

- Would like Board to come in a day early to address the Strategic Planning Committee. Information was sent to Board members from the committee.
- Regarding Capitol Hill Day, information was sent to Board members regarding the suggestions put forward. Ask that each state president begin thinking of names to put forward to the Board for next conference call. Board agrees it is important to get as members there.

Voted: To approve paying for airfare, hotel, food, and transportation to and from airport, for the selected state reps that will be selected, and any flight over \$500.00 would require approval by SEATA President.

(KY, FL) Approved 7-0-0

Stephanie Lennon, FL, leaves conference call.

- Gerard White reports that all funds were dispersed regarding the Athletic Training Relief Program.
- Regarding the proposal put forth by Arnold Gamber, concerning future SEATA meetings being held in conjunction with Alabama's state meeting, it is suggested that MaryBeth Horodyski will put forth names for a committee to address the future of SEATA meetings.

Greg Rose, KY, leaves the conference call.

- Everyone agrees the SEATA conference calls need to continue.
- Next conference call is Dec. 14, 9:00 a.m., email availability for future calls to MaryBeth Horodyski.

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 10:43 a.m. EST.