

**Western Maryland Area Health Education Center  
Washington County Social Work Caucus  
Minutes  
September 8, 2014**

The meeting was called to order by Sandra Weaver at approximately 11:30 a.m. The following members were present:

Ellen Anderson	Jessica Barraca	Judith Brown
Tammie Campher	Jesse Dews	Tonja Dews
Mary Ann Ford	M. Ann Freysz	Jamie Harrison
Kay Higgins	Fredric Hirsch	Keith Hoffman
Christina Horst	Rebecca Kennedy	John Kenney
Beth Layman	Kamala Hall	Anne Orndorff
Todd Roberson	Randee Sanders	Abel Seteqn
Nikki Snyder	Joy Taylor	Ligia Teodorovici
Sandra Weaver	Kelsey Wilkes	

The minutes from the July 14, 2014 meeting were approved as written.

**Treasurer's Report**

Kelsey Wilkes announced that as of July 31, 2014 there is a balance of \$2,770.91 in the WC/SW Caucus account.

**Committee Updates:**

**Continuing Education:**

It was discussed that WC/SW may want to consider partnering with Brooklane because they have a RAD that will be scheduled for March 11, 2015. There was also a brief discussion in reference to next year's Social Work Conference where it was decided that we ask Dr. Tilly Gurman to present a "Cultural Competency" CE. Joy will follow up with Tilly regarding this idea.

**Legislative Network**

No report.

**NASW-MD**

No report.

**Social Work Month**

Planning committee was established. Kelsey Wilkes, Fred Hirsch, Tammy Campher, Kamala Hall and Sandy Weaver all volunteered to serve on the social work month planning committee again. Kelsey reported that the social work month committee appears to have overspent its budget with last year's programming. Kelsey will go back and reinvestigate this because this may be inaccurate.

**REPORTS:**

**Board of Directors**

No report.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Joy Taylor sent around the contact list for updates and collected caucus meeting announcements.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

There was discussion in reference to exploring other locations for caucus meetings. Members agreed that DSS is the ideal location for caucus meetings and should continue to be held at the Washington County Social Services.

**PRESENTATION:**

The business meeting was adjourned at 12:00 p.m. and Randee Sanders and Todd Robertson presented the "Providing Quality Care to People with MS".

Next Caucus Meeting will be Monday, November 10, 2014, 11:30-1:30pm @ DSS

Respectfully Submitted by Kamala Lyn