

PDRC Business Meeting Report – March 2022

Fall training was held November 17, 2021 in collaboration with the SFRC committee. Much thanks to Diana and her team. The following were the presentations and presenters.

9 am - Session 1. Presented by Mary Sommers/Ritchie Morrow/SFRC committee "The Nebraska Unicameral and Advocacy"

10 am - NeASFAA Coffee break, Sponsored by Shiela Cain with Professional Choice Recovery

10:30 am - Session 2, Presented by Jo Tederman/Christopher Simpson "Policies and Procedures – Definition, Development and Dissemination"

Additionally, I want to thank the presenters Mary Sommers, Ritchie Morrow, Jo Tederman and Christopher Simpson for the excellent training. I also thank Shiela Cain and her staff that joined the call during the Coffee Break time.

Fall training was a success. We had over 90 persons on the Zoom session. The exact count was difficult to monitor based on login count and people coming and going in the log, but it was a very successful training event and well received.

PDRC has been working on Spring Conference, "Family Reunion", as its primary focus. Everything appears to be in place as much as it can be as of the writing of this report. There are a few last minute details to complete that will need to be manage as necessary and the committee is working on these. Divots Conference Center staff and facilities has been good to work with. They have been responsive to what I have questioned and our needs.

We have 73 persons scheduled to attend the conference. This is an excellent response from the membership and what is perhaps average or slightly higher than average attendance for an in person conference as of late. There were no concerns or cancellations from folks concerned about the Covid policy change made by the Board

Programming is all in place and I am very pleased with the sessions and topics we have planned. The program is listed online if you want to review it. Special thanks to all of our speakers who agreed to present at the conference.

- Shelby Hills
- Anita Olivencia
- Becca Dobry
- Gina Moulas
- Brenda Hicks
- Sarah Standley
- Jeff Lackey
- Anna Plank
- Kristie Artz
- Doug Henely
- Laramie Sproles
- Delany Funkhouser

The Business on the table as of the writing of this report is regarding the choice of the 2024 conference site location. The locations being considered are Divots Conference Center and Comfort Inn Grover location, Omaha, NE. This is set to be decided at our Wednesday board meeting. Based on this vote, we will contact the hotel to set up a contract.

I want to thank my wonderful slate of committee members. Each one has made excellent contributions to the work completed by the committee. As anyone who has worked on a PDRC like committee knows, you really do lean on the members of the committee and I really felt I could count on every one of the folks on my PDRC committee. Committee members are:

Chair	Matthew Johnson, UNK
Vice-Chair	Kristie Artz, UNK
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Committee Member	Richelle Saalfeld, UNL
Committee Member	Nicole Casey, UNO
Committee Member	Dawne Price, NICC
Committee Member	Andrew Landrum, UNO
Committee Member	Melissa Troyer, SECC
Committee Member	Laramie Sproles, BU
Ex Officio (President-Elect)	Kimberly Vanosdall, NECC

Respectfully Submitted,
Matt Johnson
PDRC Chair