



Minutes

The Board of Directors meeting of the Colorado Coroners Association was held on April 15th, 2010 in Loveland, Colorado. A quorum being present, the meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President Bob Bux.

Review of Agenda

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

The treasurer's report was accepted and filed for audit.

Public Comment:

There was no public Comment.

Standing Committee Reports:

Education Committee: Chris Herndon was not present at the meeting. Brenda Bock reported that there would not be an Outreach this fall because of the elections.

Coroner Assist Team: Darrel Brenner reported that they have asked Chris Herndon and Brenda Bock to assist Darrel and Steve with planning. They have been collecting information from all the Coroners. Steve has been attending some mass fatality meetings and has learned that there are mass fatality trailers all over the State that Coroners can use.

Legislative Committee: Bob Bux reported that the Green Burial has passed and is on the Governor's desk for his signature. There was a bill that had been proposed that would change the salaries of elected officials and allow County Commissions to set them. The bill was killed in Committee, all of the elected official associations were opposed to this bill.

Certification Committee: Brenda Bock reported there are currently 110 certified death investigators through CCA. There are many people who are not re-certifying, especially from the larger metro Counties and she's not sure why. After a discussion a motion by Pat Allen, with a 2nd by Mike Graeff was adopted unanimously as follows: "We will allow Brenda to update the certification application as needed."

CCSTB: Brenda Bock reported that she and Darrel Brenner had attended the last CCSTB meeting. It had been agreed that a committee would be formed that was made up of 2 members of the CCSTB and 2 members of the CCA Board to review the CRS language and come to an agreement on the interpretation. It was decided that Brenda and Darrel would be the 2 members from CCA. After the CCSTB committee was formed



they were contacted by Brenda to set up a meeting and they all decided that the matter needed to be discussed at the CCSTB meeting and not in committee. We have agreed to do 2 MLDI classes in 2011 instead of our Outreach Classes, one will be held on the Front Range and one will be held on the Western Slope.

Brenda and her committee will be working on new Certification and Re-Certification applications and requirements to match the CCSTB and present the changes to the Board at the next meeting.

Outside Committees: No new information.

Ike Miller: There has been one person request an Ike Miller Scholarship application.

Marketing: Mike Graeff reported that they are planning and purchasing supplies and clothing for this year. He asked for any suggestions on supplies or clothing. It was agreed that they selection has been so great that the Board has no other recommendation.

PR and Website: Brenda reported that the website has been receiving a lot of daily hits, many people are going there for more information.

Unfinished Business:

Invite to participate in the Colorado Hospitals Mass Fatality Summit: All Coroners had received an invitation to be involved in this. Several Coroners have signed up to attend the conference in May.

New Business:

Legislation for next year: Bob Bux reported that he would like to see some legislation regarding the makeup of the CCSTB Board and how they are doing things.

Steve Stogsdill commended Pat Allen on his staff and what a wonderful job they did in helping with this Outreach, as well as dealing with the tragedy that happened today. Pat Allen said that he will donate his office administrators to help with June Conference.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:12 p.m.

/s/
Sandy Graeff

The next Board of Directors meeting will be the evening of June 9th, 2010 during June Conference.



Board Members present:

Robert Bux, President
Steve Stogsdill, Treasurer
Mike Graeff
Stephen Lance
Pat Allen

Brenda Bock, Vick-President
Darrel Brenner
Art Nordyke
Sandy Graeff