

#### Mission of Women's Council of Realtors ®

We are a network of successful REALTORS®, advancing women as business leaders in

the industry and in the communities we serve.

January 11, 2021

Call to Order

Roll Call:

Approval of Minutes:

Review and approve the minutes from December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2021

## **Presidents Report: Michele Brown**

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# **President Elect Report: Jen Valente**

- Ideas on how to foster relationship with GKAR.
  - Become a sponsor.
    - How much to have a table at each event.
    - Have 5 mins to introduce WCR in new member orientation.
    - Have a meet with Robin.
- Reach out to strategic partners to thank them for joining. In so ask to do a short promo video
  we can put on FB page and ask how we can best serve them in the coming year.
  - o Ideas to build the value of membership and relationship with them.
- Reach out to current members to thank them for their continued support.
  - Encourage them to bring a friend to the next event. Introduce themselves on video for FB.

- Facebook slide show with all current members and strategic partners.
- Add 2022 dates to remember to FB page from our cliff notes book:

### January

- 1.1\_2022 Dues are to be paid. (Membership)
- 1.7\_New Year Kickoff (Virtual)
- 1.26\_State Meeting/Award Ceremony/Installation and Celebration
  - Detroit All Day Event: (\$85-95) Registration

## February

- 2.3-2.4\_Elevate Summit (Virtual)
- 2.15\_Deadline to sign Affiliation Agreement (SP/Membership Committee)

#### March

3.31\_Membership renewal grace period ends. Unpaid members are dropped.
 (Membership)

## April

4.15\_State & Local Network Taxes Submitted (Treasurer)

#### May

- 5.3-5.6 Women's Council Midyear Meetings
  - Capital Hilton, Washington, D.C.
- 5.25 State Meeting/Strategic Partner Appreciation Event/Elections
  - Mackinac Island

#### June

- o 6.1-6.30 Application period open for Leadership Institute 2023
- 6.1 Appoint State Liaison
- o 6.15 Leadership Identification & Development Names Due to National

### July

- o 7.27-7.29\_Network 360 Leadership Conference
  - Sheraton Grand, Chicago, IL

### August

8.1\_Application Period Opens for Network Certification Program

### September

- 9.6\_Consent to serve forms due for 2024 national office Applications
- 9.20\_State Meeting
  - Grand Rapids
- 9.30 Local Network Elections Deadline

#### October

- 10.1\_Network Certification applications due for recognition at National Conference
- 10.10\_Local and state network dues changes due to National for 2023 billing.

#### November

- o 11.1 Dues renewals distributed.
- 11.9-11.13 Women's Council/Realtors® National Conference & Expo
  - Hilton Orlando, Orlando, FL

#### December

- 12.31\_2022 Dues Expire
- Set up subcommittee to help with Facebook page posts
- Discuss, should Zoom always be an option for each event?

# First Vice President Report: Danielle Pojar

- Board Meeting Calendar for 2022
- Monthly Agenda Due Dates 2022
- G-mail Calendar for 2022 Shared calendar with the board. Import into their own calendar App.
  - To Include the following:
  - o Board Meeting Dates with Zoom link.
  - o Local, State, national events and reminders, links etc.
  - o GKAR 2022 Schedule
- Event Flyers and Pre-Planned FB Post in Canva for 2022
- Discuss depending on FB\_E-mail with add to calendar feature (Check into), Instagram, Twitter
- Website.

## **Treasurers Report: Maggie Harma**

- Final Net loss/Gain 2021 -\$2,478.81
  - No sponsorship income came in 2021 to retain strategic partnerships during Covid years:
     2020-2021.
- Account Balances as of 12/31/2021

- o Total: \$13,645.23
- o Checking:
- Savings:
- Budget 2022\_Finalized\_Review:
- Event Income goals
  - January 2022\_Event Budgets:
- Sponsor Ship Income Goals
- Confirmed Sponsorship Income for 2022: \$3,500.00
- Minimum Goal for 2022: \$6,250.00 56% to MIN. GOAL

St	rategic Partners Annual			
Br	onze/Single Network SP \$250	\$ 1,250.00	\$ 500.00	Horizon Bank, Gauranteed Rate
: Si	lver SP \$500	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,000.00	Nations Title, Kalsee CU
G	old SP \$1,000	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	Jamie Flees, Consumers CU
ΡI	atinum SP \$1,500	\$ 1,500.00		
To	otal Annual Sponsorships Income	\$ 6,250.00	\$ 3,500.00	

- Upcoming tasks to complete:
  - o Reach out to the audit committee to meet and audit the books for the second half of 2021.
  - 4.15\_State & Local Network Taxes Submitted (Treasurer)

# **Membership Report: Jennifer Lane:**

- Membership dues were due on by January 1st.
- Grace Period is March 31st. After that they are dropped.
- List of a Paid/unpaid current members?
  - o Total Number of Members 2022
- List of paid/unpaid strategic partners (SP)?

Paid/Renewed Sponsors 2022	Point(S) of Contact (POC)	Level	
Horizon Bank	Mercedes Befus	Bronze/Single Lvl	
Guaranteed Rate	Titus Davis	Bronze/Single Lvl	
Nationals Title Agency	Marci Hoffman, Chris Van Winkle	Silver	
Kalsee CU	Kathi Vlachos	Silver	
Farm Bureau (Jamie Flees) Agency	Jamie Flees	Gold	
Consumers Credit Union	Heidi Bish, Renee Ziska, Holly Madrill	Gold	
National Members:			
Independent Bank	Maggie Harma	NM	
Devon Title	Dawn Bradley	NM	
Southwestern Michigan Board	Alan Jeffries	NM	
2021 Past Sponsorship Review:			
Honor CU	Kim O'Donoghue		
Derek Lietzau Insurance Group	Derek Lietzau, Denis Walker		
Arbor Financial	Holly Babb, Kyle Townsend,		
	Ryan Maneke		
Prime Lending	Wendi Traxler, Scott Burkett,		
	Jason Stiver		

Next Door Photos	Kelly Patterson	
Timberland Home Inspections	Tim Williams	
<b>Business Partners</b>		
Home Builders Association WM		

- o Total Number of SP 2022
  - Six as of 1.6.2022
- 2022 Growth Goals
  - Prospective Members
  - Prospective Strategic Partners
- February Action Items:

## **Program Director Report: Tammy Dykema:**

- 2022 Tentative Event Schedule:
  - o 1.6 Moved to 1.13 Installation of NEW 2022 BOARD 4-6PM Location TBD
  - o 1.12\_Event #1\_2022 Membership Kickoff Breakfast:
    - Cost to attend: \$25-35
    - Time: 8:30-11AM
    - Location: Cellar 328 W Milham Ave, Portage, MI 49024-2700
    - Non-Profit Supporting: Loaves and Fishes
    - Event Sponsor:
    - Speaker Deb Timmerman
    - Tools for Pandemic Fatigue and Stress in the Workplace
    - Lunchbox Breakfast
  - o 2.10\_Date Night -Axe Throwing Rev & Roll 25 Maximum Attendees
    - Cost to attend:
    - Time:
    - Location:
    - Non-Profit Support:
    - Event Sponsor:
    - Forecasted Expense/Breakeven:
    - Action Items:
  - 2.26\_SIGN UP DATE? Kalamazoo Walk to End Homelessness WCRSW
    - Supports HRI\_Housing Resources, Inc. March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022:
    - #Stepouttoendhomelessness!
    - Cost to attend:
    - Time:
    - Location:
    - Non-profit Support: HRI
  - 3.7-3.11\_Mebership Madness Month Weekly Events:
    - Action Items:
  - o 3.19\_HRI\_Walk to End Homelessness
    - Time:

- Meet up Location:
- 4.13\_Event 3\_Mission Focus
  - Lunch & Learn, Panel, "Let's Talk HGTV" (Colors, Trends, Spruce up for the Spring Market)
  - Cost to attend:
  - Time:
  - Location: Girls Scouts Conference Room
  - Non-Profit Support:
- 4.19\_Event: Membership Orientation, Light Breakfast
  - Cost to attend:
  - Time: 8:30-10 AM
  - Location: HBA (Home Builders Association) Conference Room
- 5.19\_Board Team Building:
  - Location: Gun Lake
  - Time: 11 AM-2 PM
- 6.23\_4.01 Annual Roadhouse Gathering
  - Cost to attend:
  - Time: 4.01-~6PM
  - Location: University Roadhouse @ 1332 W Michigan Ave, Kalamazoo MI 49006
- 7\_Event #3\_National Speaker
  - TBD
- 8.2\_Members ONLY event: Wine & Canvas night:
  - Cost to attend:
  - Location: Warner's Winery
  - Time:
- 8.11\_Detroit Tigers Bus Trip
  - Cost to attend:
  - Time: 8AM 9PM
  - Location: Stadium Park and Ride
  - Non-Profit Support: TBD
- o 9 Event 9 Con Ed: TBD Time: AM:
- o 11\_Community focused: Holiday Raffle Baskets Event
- o 11\_Community focused: Belling Ringing with Salvation Army
- o 12.8\_Annual Chicago Bus Trip Fundraiser
  - Cost to Attend:
  - Time: 8AM 11PM
  - Location: Multiple Pickup/Drop-off
  - Non-profit Sponsor: Families from Catholic Charities of Kalamazoo:
- 2022\_Event Action Items:

## **Events Committee Member: Dawn Bradley**

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## Miscellaneous:

**Next Meeting:** 

**Meeting Adjourned:**