

IBEW 159 General Membership meeting minutes July 13 2017 Meeting was called to order at 530p.m.

All officers present except Brian Murphy

Swear in new members

First reading Cameron Spinler, Greg Manthe, Tim Braun, Joshua Wanta

MMSA to accept June minutes

MMSA to pay the June bills

Treasures report by Cameron Knudtson

Total income \$	\$ 175,301.95
Expenses	\$ 133,387.84
Net income	\$ 41,914.11
Beginning cash	\$ 2,546,296.97
Ending cash	\$ 2,506,865.16
Difference in Cash \$	\$(39,431.81)
Total assets	\$3,380,946.89

Communications

Betty Johnson thank you letter for human society check

MMSA \$300 firefighter local 311 golf outing \$200 for hole sponsorship and \$100 door prize sponsor

MMSA \$250 4Petes sake

MMSA \$100 to Easter Seals

Executive Board report read by Maggie Freespirit

Business Referral Agent report given by Casey Healy filling in for Kevin

45 on inside book 1, 22 on inside book 2, 1 on vdv book1 and 2 on vdv book 2, 0 on residential books

54 calls filled in June

fantasy in lights around the corner looking for help

Westphal has 4 j/w calls Forward has 1 j/w call and Schultz has 3 j/w calls on the recorder 7-13-17

Organizers report given by Casey Healy

Blitz next week with 240 door knocks, Wisconsin scrub list 120 non union electricians, WRPT big step 15 students came to the union hall 8th to 11th to do a day as a electrical worker, Wisconsin high school counselor convention

Business Agent report given by Mark Hoffman

Mark and John Whitesel discussed the fight to repeal prevailing wage and gave material on how to find your state representatives to contact about repealing

Golf and race outing signup sheets

Business Manager's report given by Casey Healy filing in for Mike

Membership withdrawal for Jeffery Monson

Retirements for Doug Smedema and Peter Smith

Read area book reports and stated various open calls around the state

2 members passed away Melvin Birch and Robert Breiby

Committee reports

Exam board report by Kevin Kleeper

1 vdv exam given to Joshua Wanta who received a 77%

1 residential exam given to Greg Manthe who received a 91%

1 ce2 exam given to Astrid Buzzy who passed 1 part and failed 2 parts of a 3 part exam

2 inside j/w exams give to Cameron Spinler who received a 87%and Tim Braun who received a 77%

Renew committee repot by Cameron Knudston

Chicken shoot had 60 shoots, thanks to all who participated

1 spot open for Tough Mudder

Working on a military job fair

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Unfinished business None

New business

MMSA to send up to 5 active non in the rears members to the woman build nations conference in Chicago from October 13-15 2017.The union shall pay all the usual expenses.

MMS to change bylaw Article XIII Section 11general laws Motion held over to notify members.

Change to: The local union may spend \$75 as a memorial donation to a charity of the family's choice in memory of a member or spouse of a member upon receipt of the person's death certificate.

Good of the union

State wants all school work to go to bid

Talk on repealing Prevailing wage

Brotherhood is alive and well at Portage Power plant job

Safety net insurance program for private unemployment insurance for members

The Suchoman Local 159 raffle raised: \$82

Moment of silence held for Melvin Birch and Robert Breiby

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by;

Randall Schulz

Recording Secretary