

LOVE of KDHX
10.15.24 Board and General Membership Meeting Minutes

PRESENT: Andy Coco, Jeff Corbin, Tom Flood, Professor Skank, Kristin Gleich, Matty Dread, Caron House Roy Kasten, Brian Lock, Sunny Boy Mason, Steve Pick, Rich Reese, Ital-K, Drea Stein, bobEE Sweet, Walter Volz, Willa Volz, John Wendland plus four.

Rich Reese called the meeting to order at 7:19PM. A quorum was present.

Ben Askew provided an update on legal strategies and requested that prospective litigants contact his office so he can determine whether they will be part of the group (s) bringing additional legal action against KDHX.

Jeff moved and Kristin seconded that we accept Kate Gumaer as a member of the LOVE of KDHX. Motion passed.

Jeff moved and Caron seconded that we accept the minutes of the 7.16.24 General Membership Meeting as presented. Motion passed.

Jeff moved and Ital-K seconded that we accept the minutes of the 10.1.24 Board and Open Meeting as submitted. Motion passed.

Tom Flood continues to add additional businesses to the statement of support for the LOVE of KDHX. We now have 214 signatories and Tom requests help to gain additional ones. He also said the Mound City Messenger is receptive to presenting articles favorable to the group.

Roy thought we should issue an updated statement with signatures that is more direct and strident in our demands to get rid of Kelly Wells and Gary Pierson. After discussion, Roy agreed to draft the statement to present to the group.

Roy stated there should be some sort of board exit strategy developed to replace those who rubber stamp the actions of the Executive Director and Board President with people who will act to halt the abuses and set a course correction for the station. Roy will work on this.

bobEE reported on a proposed change to the by-laws that eliminates the requirement to wait until the next General Membership meeting to act on applications. The changed

wording will be sent out to the group for action at the January 2025 General Membership meeting.

Rich Reese noted we have a table for the Fanetti Fest on Sunday courtesy of Fred Hessel so we can answer questions about the LOVE of KDHX, what we are doing and why. Rich asked if some folks can volunteer an hour or two for this. It runs from 1-7PM.

Drea's last Chicken Drop event of the year will be October 24th at the VFW in Richmond Heights.

Brian and the fundraising committee will work on securing a band or two for a December event at the South Broadway Athletic Club. A NOLA Christmas theme was suggested and Andy Coco's and Sunny Boy Mason's band were mentioned as possibilities. We will develop a budget for this event as we will do for all fundraising events in the future

Matty Dread noted there will be a Halloween costume party at the VFW on Saturday, October 26th. He also noted that next up for the Schlafly Bottleworks Sundaze spin are Art Dwyer and Hound Dog Brown on Sunday, October 27th.

Jeff noted that our next meeting would be scheduled for November 5th and that is Election Day. The group will try to meet on the following day at the VFW in Richmond Heights. Jeff will send out confirmation of this and other November/December meeting dates.

The meeting adjourned at 9:21PM.

Jeff Corbin, Secretary
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