Okanagan Area Council Meeting June 16, 2017

In Attendance:

Darrell-Lee McKenzie AGR Melanie Walker AGR Linda Woods UNE Michelle Sibson UNE Susan Yaciw UTE

Regrets:

Maria-Luiza Romano AGR Carolyn McGillivray ClU Joanne Hay UPC Annette Hale USGE Nadia Buckley UTE

Guests: Kelly Megyesi, Colleen Girard, Paul Croes, Jamey Mills.

Call to Order at 7:30 am

Adoption of Agenda - m/s/c

Approval of previous minutes: minutes from April 22, 2017 - m/s/c

Meetings with Candidates for BC REVP – speeches then questions and answers with each candidate.

Treasurer's Report: report unavailable as Treasurer out of the country.

Action: Maria-Luiza to contact the Agriculture Union to request the \$100 grant for Area Councils.

Action: Remove Susan Yaciw as a signing officer on the bank account after her retirement in June.

Labour Day Event In Kelowna – Michelle, Maria-Luiza and Susan to host a table by PSAC. Anyone available to help out please contact Michelle: <u>msibson@shaw.ca</u>.

Motion: To donate \$100 to support the Kelowna Labour Day event. *m/s/c*.

MP Lobbying: Harold, Colleen and Darrell-Lee to meet with their NDP MP in Penticton. Linda to meet with Kelowna Liberal MP, Stephen Fuhr, other Kelowna Area Council members welcome. Nadia and Susan to meet with their Conservative MP in West Kelowna. Potential topics: Phoenix, pensions, performance pay for managers, electoral reform, P3's.

Action: For PSAC Area Council members to meet with their respective MP's by September.

PSAC Triennial Convention: Deadline for Resolutions is September 1st, 2017.

October 21st Event: Okanagan Human Rights Committee putting on an event in October.

Motion: To support the October 1st event to a maximum of \$350. m/s/c.

Meeting Adjourned

Next Meeting:

Saturday, September 23rd, 2017, 9:30 a.m.

First United Church, 721 Bernard Ave, Kelowna