Suzuki Association of the Americas

Board of Directors Meeting May 12, 2021

Board Members	Staff	Guests
Present	Present:	
Beth Cantrell, Chair	Pam Brasch, CEO, ex officio	
Winifred Crock		
Trina Carey Hodgson		
MaryLou Roberts		
Bruce Walker		
Daniel De Lima		
Ellen Kogut, Chair-elect		
Kerri Williams		
Mary Halverson Waldo		
Michelle Diggs		
Absent: Esther Fellows, former Secretary – resigned May 5, 2021		

	ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTIONS TAKEN	ACTIONS TO BE TAKEN
1	Call to Order/Attendance (4.8.1)	The meeting was called to order at 1:19 P.M. EDT on May 12, 2021 by Chair Beth Cantrell.		
2	Approval of Agenda (4.5)			
3	Secretary Position Vacancy		Motion: Winifred Crock: Nominate Trina Hodgson as Board Secretary. 2 nd : Kerri Williams Motion Passed.	
4	Nominations	Discussion of new Policy 4.9[sic].3		Members are to submit recommendations of skills to Board for discussion and charge Policy 4.9[sic].3
5	Park Bench Sessions	Discussion of format, dates, and process.		Daniel will schedule the first trial meetings for Aug- Sep

6	Meeting with the 35+wg	Discussed Meeting logistics for May 16		
		meeting		
		8:00 p.m. EDT		
		Purpose: Communication		
7	Annual Meeting		Proposed Date: July 25, 2021 9:00	
			p.m. EDT	
8	Consultant Update	Nwandi Lawson – 1 year contract		
9	Meeting adjourned at			
	3:10 P.M. EDT			

Respectfully submitted, Trina Carey Hodgson Secretary

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Board of Directors Meeting May 26, 2021

Board Members	Staff	Guests
Present:	Present: Pam Brasch, ED, ex officio	
Beth Cantrell, Chair		
Winifred Crock		
Trina Carey Hodgson, Secretary		
MaryLou Roberts		
Bruce Walker		
Daniel De Lima		
Ellen Kogut, Chair-elect		
Kerri Williams		
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	Pre-Meeting Actions [BL 3.6]	DISCUSSION	Mary: Moved that the Board posts on the SAA website the proposed statement on this anniversary of the death of George Floyd. Seconded: Daniel Motion carried	Statement was posted on SAA Website.
			unanimously via email [ByLaws 3.6] .	
1	Executive Session			

Respectfully submitted, Trina Carey Hodgson, Secretary

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