

### Wisconsin Indian Education Association ~ N5448 Broder Road ~ Shawano ~ WI 54166

### ANNUAL MEETING April 26, 2019 Wisconsin Rapids Hotel Mead

#### **DRAFT MINUTES**

Call to Order: 5:14 by President Brian Jackson

Welcome Brian Jackson

Roll Call:

Region	Board Member: Term Expires 2019	Board Member: Term Expires 2020
Northwest	✓ Katrina Werchouski	✓ Brian Jackson, President
Southeast	✓ Celeste Clark	✓ Rebecca Comfort
Central	✓ Jolene Bowman	✓ Gladys Walker
Northeast	☐ Susan Crazy Thunder, Vice-President	✓ Doreen Wawronowicz
West	✓ Maggie Jensen	☐ Brittany LaMere
South	☐ Kelsey Harker	✓ Rachel Byington
East	✓ Shannon Chapman, Secretary	☐ Virginia Nuske, Treasurer

Region	Alternate Board Members: Term Expires 2019	
Northwest	<ul><li>□ William White</li><li>□ Jerry Moore</li><li>✓ Cassie Brown</li></ul>	
Southeast	✓ Sommer Drake	
Central	<ul> <li>✓ Barb Munson</li> <li>□ Chris Munson</li> <li>□ Roberta Moede-Carrington</li> <li>□ Kameo Yakoweyani'yo Fehrenbach</li> </ul>	
Northeast	□ Ashley Maki □ Melinda Young □ Brooks Big John □ Norman Crazy Thunder □ Crystal King □ Victoria Long	
West	□ Nehomah Thundercloud	
South	✓ Tim Fish □ Tara Tindall	
East	☐ Crystal Lepscier ✓ Julie Schultz	

### **Roll Call continued:**

Excused: Susan Crazy Thunder, Brittany LeMere, Virginia Nuske

**Guests:** 



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Appr	oval of Agenda
Motior	n to approve the Agenda: Katrina Werchouski
2nd: D	oreen Wawronowicz
Discus	ssion:
✓	Pass
	Fail
	Abstentions:
Appr	oval of Meeting Minutes from 2018 Annual Meeting
Tabled	
Discus	ssion:
	Pass
	Fail
	Abstentions:
<u>Presi</u>	dent's Report
•	New Leadership in the state: Mentioned Governor Evers' work in his new role as Governor and Carolyn Stanford
	Taylor, as she attended the Legislative Breakfast.
•	DPI License for Tribal Liaisons: Lac du Flambeau's Tribal Council resolution to support their tribal members in
	this; Family Circles curriculum going strong
•	WIEA Membership: Brian has served on WIEA since 2005
•	State-Tribal Relations: passed committee on 3/6/19, proposals moving to next phase in the approval process
•	Act 31 Celebration: Oneida hosted in 2018. Lac du Flambeau will host in 2019. Will tell the story of Act 31, how
	it all began, sharing previously untold stories about what happened during that period.
•	<u>Legislative Breakfast</u> : WIEA hosted a breakfast for state legislators in Madison on February 20, 2019.
•	DPI & David O'Connor: Continue to engage in a number of efforts with WIEA.
	n to approve the President's report: Doreen Wawronowicz
	atrina Werchouski
Discus	
	Pass
<del></del>	Fail
u	Abstentions:
Treas	surer's Report
•	Distributed copies to membership
•	Treasurer's report presented by Julie Schultz
Motior	n to approve the Treasurer's Report: Doreen Wawronowicz
2nd: K	atrina Werchouski
✓	Pass
	Fail
	Abstentions: Julie Schultz

### **Elections**

Regional caucuses were held to nominate and vote in regional representatives and alternates for 2019-2020:



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Northwest	Representative: Katrina Werchouski Alternate: William White Alternate: Cassie Brown Alternate: Anna DeMers	
Southeast	Representative: Celeste Clark Alternate: Sommer Drake Alternate: Audra Williams Alternate: James Flores	
Central	Representative: Dr. Jolene Bowman Alternate: Barb Munson Alternate: Roberta Moede-Carrington Alternate: Dr. Nicole Bowman Alternate: Lucille Burr Alternate: Iris Carufel	
Northeast	Representative: Susan Crazy Thunder Alternate: Pat Takamine Alternate: Donald Keeble	
West	Representative: Deana Mitch Alternate: Karie Decorah Alternate: Savannah Shegonee	
South	Representative: Verna Comfort Alternate: Tim Fish	
East	Representative: Shannon Chapman Alternate: Julie Schultz Alternate: Crystal Tourtillott-Lepscier	

President: Brian Jackson

Vice President: Rebecca Comfort Secretary: Shannon Chapman Treasurer: Virginia Nuske

# <u>Adjourn</u>

Motion to adjourn: Julie Schultz 2nd: Doreen Wawronowicz

Discussion:

✓ Pass

□ Fail

■ Abstentions: