



Ames Contractor Council

Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, July 10, 2024

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Building N227, Room 304 and Virtual 11:04

³⁵/₁₇ **NASA Ames Center Management & Operations Updates: Tommy Paine**

- **Operations perspective working on Master Plan workshop #1 in June, working on another one this month. Planning for the next 20-30 years.**
- **Happy Hour is set for August 7th, and they are encouraging everyone to see the Intern posters which will be on display.**
- **October 9th will be our chili cookoff (tentative)**
- **Spring 2025 is looking to have a Gala; details are still in the works.**
- **House budget is looking hopeful for NASA. Everyone is staying positive and hoping AMES will get funding.**

³⁵/₁₇ **Small Business Specialist: Christine Munroe.**

- **Highlights**
 - **She has attended outreach events; some companies would like to meet with us, so she has referred them to the ACC website so please make sure your info is current.**
 - **Remind everyone small business award nominations will be released next month. She will be sending the due date for the forms once that date has been determined.**

Special Guest: None

ACC Business Items:

- **Introduction/Approval of Minutes: Kari Gonter, June 5, 2024**
 - **Minutes approved.**
- **President's Report: Kari Gonter**

- We still have one vacant spot. We need someone to attend the Ames Exchange Council
- Miriam Rahimi has signed up to be Treasurer.
- Space Bar will be having their own happy hour once a month.
- Vice President's Report: **Jinesh Jain**
 - **Nothing to report.**
- Secretary Report: **Sandra Rasmussen**
 - **Nothing to report.**
- Treasurer's Report: **Miriam Rahimi**
 - **Only usual expenses for web fees**
 - **We spent a \$500 deposit for the Golf Tournament**

³⁵/₁₇ Committee Reports:

- Small Business: **Saba Hussain / Miriam Rahimi**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ **Nothing to report.**
- Ames Calendar: **Faten Mansour**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ Kari showed the email from Faten to determine the theme.
 - **Looks like the history of aerospace will be the theme.**
- Marketing Communications: **Renee Mitchell**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ **Released a newsletter last month.**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ **Looking for contributions for the upcoming newsletter**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ **Please submit.**
- Imagination Foundation: **David Cornelius**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ **Nothing to report.**
- Public Policy: **Saba Hussain**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ **Nothing to report since she just took over the role.**
- Safety Outreach: **Mike Weiss/Linda McCahon**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ **We currently have a sizable number of interns on site so take extra care that they are safe with all the machines and busy areas.**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ **They are riding bikes so be aware while driving around.**
- ACC Golf Tournament: **Jinesh Jain, Kari Gonter, Renee Mitchell, Faten, Craig.**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ We will be moving the venue from Moffett to another venue which we are hoping will be cheaper. The location and date will be determined after the committee meets with all the facts.
 - ³⁵/₁₇ The Sunnyvale Golf Course has a buffet for \$40 per person, which is more affordable.
 - ³⁵/₁₇ The committee will meet again once Craig has gathered all the facts.
- Contractor Excellence Awards: **Debbie Kolyer**
 - ³⁵/₁₇ **Nothing to report.**
- Ames Exchange Council: **Vacant Jeff Johnson will connect with Kari to see if this might work for him.**

³⁵/₁₇ New Business:

Next Scheduled Meeting:

August 7, 2024

Virtual Invitation will be sent.

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