

Ames Contractor Council

Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, April 2, 2025

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM Building N227, Room 304 and Virtual

- NASA Ames Center Management & Operations Updates: Thomas Paine
 - o Partnership Event will be held on May 8th, details will be sent out for the site
- Small Business Office Updates: Christine Munroe
 - Small Business Day, May 8th putting together for both centers Kari/Diana (Armstrong) will be talking to a few people about industry. More details to follow
 - o Reminder and update your info on the ACC website
- 35 Showcase: RMV Technology Group LLC, Bob Vermillion and Renee Mitchell
 - o RMV will report next month
- David King presenting the Safety Survey results
 - O Safety culture survey results Kari will see if he can send out the slides
 - 5 components of a Healthy Safety Culture
 - Report Culture
 - 35 Just Culture
 - Flexible Culture
 - Learning Culture
 - Engaged Culture
 - Received over 2,600 comments
 - 4% dissatisfied/96% satisfied

- Dropped in each direction since the last survey (2 years ago)
- Majority of concerns are regarding infrastructure issues
- 1580 people participated out of 3,000/3,500 total

ACC Business Items:

- o Introduction/Approval of Minutes: Kari Gonter, March 5, 2024
 - Motion by Jinesh, seconded by Linda
- O President's Report: Kari Gonter
 - Golf Tournament, we have not had a lot of participation in helping plan this event. We need to modify the way we get sponsorships. These venues want to charge more money than we have paid in the past. Hot dogs \$8.00 each, they will charge \$7.00 for beer. We will try and get sponsors to pay for different food items or help with gifts. We need more people to help plan and organize the event if we are going to do it.
- O Vice President's Report: Jinesh Jain
 - Nothing to report
- O Secretary Report: Sandra Rasmussen
 - Nothing to report
- O Treasurer's Report: Miriam Rahimi
 - Previous balance: \$17,239.95Ending balance: 17,215.00
- Committee Reports:
 - Ames Calendar: Faten Mansour
 - Not present but reported to Kari.
 - Getting updates on website
 - Table reserve for ACC April 16 for happy hour
 - Calendars will be on sale
 - Marketing Communications: Renee Mitchell
 - Nothing to report
 - Imagination Foundation: **David Cornelius**
 - No new requests for the foundation
 - Cut was check for the Sunnyvale recipient
 - Public Policy: Saba Hussain
 - Not present
 - Safety Outreach: Mike Weiss/Linda McCahon
 - A presentation was via David King

- ACC Golf Tournament: Jinesh, Kari, Renee, Faten, Sandra, Craig.
 - Kari spoke to this during his presentation
 - Linda shared that more mishaps during March with people returning to work.
 - Reminder to pay attention to your surroundings.
- Contractor Excellence Awards: Debbie Kolyer, on hold.
 - A survey will be sent out to see whether people are interested in it
- Ames Exchange Council: Saba Hosein
 - Not present

New Business: None Adjourned: 11:51 am

Next Scheduled Meeting:

May 7, 2025

Virtual Invitation will be sent.

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