

Business Networking Group Minutes

Date October 5, 2007

Attendees

Triona Guidry, President
Gordon Nishimoto, Secretary
Joel Nelson, Past President

General Opening Comments by President

- Thank you for attending

New Board:

President	Triona Guidry
Vice President	Holly Monger
Treasurer	Raymon Alperstein
Secretary	Gordon Nishimoto

Membership committee Michael Goins/ Ronald Campbell

Need to put together list of former Presidents

Key Discussions and decisions

- Dues
 - \$35 due October 1st.
- BNG Brochure
 - Updates to the brochure need to be done by November 1st.
- Budget
 - Current balance \$2,133
- Membership
 - What can we do to increase membership?
 - Advertising
 - Connecting with Chambers
 - ½ page bulletin/flyer
 - Put on window at Granny V's (George gave permission)
 - Place in other public areas/businesses etc
 - Look for open date to discuss at Friday meeting
 - Surveys- Linked in- Social bookmarks
 - Need to see if this is a tool we can use to get the BNG name out
- Member Spot Light
 - When speaking at our group, put on website, member spotlight, information about the member
- "New Format"- is now THE format for our meetings
- December 1st is the date for our holiday party
 - Need to setup committee and budget
- When to hold next board meeting?
 - Friday November 2nd possible date

Meeting adjourned.