



LEHIGH VALLEY MUSICIANS ASSOCIATION – LOCAL 45
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The regular monthly meeting of local 45 took place on the above date at the DAR House in Bethlehem Pa. All officers and board members were present except for John Gackenbach. Upon motion of Danner and Krasley the following were accepted into membership: Natalie Klobusicky, Leslie Belloso, Bryce Pandolfo, Andrew Moreschi, and Daniel McCarty.

The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted upon motion of Danner and Rohal. Bills in the amount of \$14,054.11 were ordered paid upon motion of Danner and Heiney. The treasurer's report was approved upon motion of Heiney and Danner. The business agent reported work dues collections of \$4,167.52 for March and for the year we are at \$8,829.31. She reminded all to file contracts and to be sure all the pertinent information was included. Approved upon motion of Seifert and Richmond. Johanna Reisteter announced that the scholarship notices have been mailed to the 99 schools within our jurisdiction. We will also announce same in the next newsletter as well as scholarships that are available thru MPTF and the PA AFL-CIO.

President Yale announced our MPTF Allocation for 26-27 will be \$38,835.00. President Yale presented a by-laws change that will give the local permission to establish special bank accounts for our collective bargaining units. Notice will be sent to our members and a vote will be taken at the June meeting. A copy of the proposal is with these minutes. Yale announced that IEB Member Ed Malega as well as International Rep Alice Bish will be attending our May meeting. Yale updated us on the NEP negotiations.

The Bethlehem Municipal Band was given permission to use 13 members of local 45 during the 2026 band season. Motion by Rohal and Krasley. The resignation of Bob Stevens was accepted upon motion of Krasley and Rohal. The meeting adjourned at 10:15 upon motion of Krasley and Reisteter.

Respectfully submitted,
Matthew Cascioli, Secretary