



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.

Connor Barz, Brian Atwood, Andrew O'Connor, Andrew Jurkiewicz, Thomas Cramer, Timothy Cramer, and Andrea Menousek were accepted into membership upon motion of Krasley and Middlecamp.

The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted upon motion of Krasley and Danner. Bills in the amount of \$3,042.55 were ordered paid upon motion of Krasley and Williams. The treasurer's report was approved upon motion of Danner and Richmond.

There was no Business Agent report.

Michelle Richmond updated us on the progress the orientation committee has made, the committee is almost ready to present their final report.

Johanna Reisteter and Debra Heiney gave an update of the scholarship committee. Deb said there are now 79 High Schools within our jurisdictional area. The applications will be due by May 2, 2022.

Carol Yale updated the group on the progress made by the by-laws committee.

Attorney Taglioli then swore in the newly elected officers and board members.

Upon motion of Cascioli and Middlecamp, the position of Web Master was created with a monthly salary of \$75.00 effective Feb 6 2022. Deb Heiney was then appointed as our Web Master

Cascioli is working on a meeting with the Mayor of Allentown and we will again attempt to set up a meeting with the Mayor of Bethlehem.

Jean Rohal reported a possible snag in the funding of the concerts in Bethlehem involving the American Legion Band, The Dave Neith Orchestra and the Bethlehem Municipal Band. She is working with Jodie Evans, Recreation Director, to resolve everything

Cascioli asked a question of the Allentown Bands regarding the future of the Festival of Bands. They were asked to poll their band members as to their willingness to continue with the Festival. He also announced the festival committee is hoping this year's concert will be held on Sunday September 25 at a venue to be determined.

Cascioli also mentioned the Eastern Conference will hold a Zoom meeting the weekend of June 18.

The resignation of Robin Kani was accepted upon motion of Krasley and Heiney, The meeting adjourned at 10:25 AM upon motion of Krasley and Danner.

Respectfully Submitted
Matthew Cascioli, Secretary