

KANSAS MUNICIPAL JUDGES ASSOCIATION

2022 ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

APRIL 26, 2022

The meeting was called to order in person and via videoconference by President Scott Wright.

The first item for consideration was the approval of the minutes from the 2021 KMJA annual meeting. Judge Jason Maxwell moved to approve the minutes. Judge Brenda Stoss seconded. The motion passed.

Treasurer Greg Nickel presented the treasurer's report. He noted that the KMJA had a strong balance in its bank account and low expenses due to the lack of an in-person KMJA conference the two previous years. He stated that financial reports and other important documents are available for inspection by members on a Google drive. He stressed the importance of each court having an official court email registered with the KMJA and suggested that auto-forwarding options could be used to route important emails from the court address to the emails of individual judges. He further noted that the KMJA listserv would be tested immediately following the meeting. Judge John Knoll moved to approve the report. Judge Dan Love seconded. The motion carried.

The next item for consideration was the KMJA Board of Directors proposed slate of officers and directors. President Wright reviewed the current slate of officers. The Board nominated Judge Jennifer Jones as President, Judge Scott Miller as President Elect, Judge Andrea Bekemeyer as Secretary, Judge Keith Drill as Northeast Director, and Judge Randy Pankratz as Southcentral Director. President Wright opened the matter to additional nominations from the floor. There were no additional nominations offered. Judge Steve Backus moved to elect the KMJA Board of Directors proposed officer slate. Judge Bonnie Leidig seconded. The motion passed.

President Wright then presented the Michael Barbara Award to Judge Karen Torline. President Wright noted that there were no nominations for the Fred Benson Award this year.

President Wright opened the meeting to discussion of old business from the floor. There was no old business.

President Wright then opened the meeting to discussion of new business from the floor. There was no new business.

Incoming President Jennifer Jones then thanked President Wright for his service and presented him with a plaque commemorating his service.

President Wright then entertained a motion to adjourn the meeting. Judge Jason Maxwell made the motion, and it was seconded by Judge Daniel Love. After vote, the meeting was adjourned.