Galt House Hotel, Louisville, KY

November 4, 2016

9:45 am ET

Business Meeting 2016 State Convention

President Kay Barton called the 2016 State Convention Business Session to order.

Pledge of Allegiance was given to the American Flag.

NASCOE President Wes Daniels gave the invocation.

Scholarship report was given by Chair, Meghan Edwards. She talked of the changes for the awards and scholarship process for 2017. Deadline will be January 1, 2017. Silent auction collections at convention totaled $365, with an additional $15.50 from “Split the Pot”. Jeanie Williams, President of FanKASCOE presented a donation toward scholarship, prior to the business session, for $500. Total convention collections toward scholarship: $880.50.

Emblems report was given by Chair, Micki Crider. She reported $700 in sales for emblems during convention. Items can be ordered online and shipped, lots of items being added all the time, and 8% of sales benefit scholarship.

Awards were given out by President Kay Barton and included: 1500 hours sick leave awards to Jessica Sprowl and Cherry Martin. 1000 hours sick leave awards to Piety Brough, Robin Cecil, and Diane Dunn. 2500 hours sick leave awards to Margaret McCallon and Dennis Campbell.

Membership report was given by Secretary, Dana McKinney. Membership is at 82.6 percent currently. This is pretty awesome since just a few years ago KY was in the 50 percentile. After a jump team effort which fostered education and improvement on reaching out to new employees, we have increased to the 82.6 percent. STO employees are very good to work with us to keep up informed of new persons coming on board. Those folks are sent a new employees packet with information and instructions on how to join. Please continue to encourage membership.

Speakers included SEA Executive, David Curtis, who spoke on educating employees on the importance of the COC System. NASCOE President, Wes Daniels, then spoke on several items which included how the NASCOE team works together for accomplishments for membership, relationships that have been built with Management, BTO, and COF restructuring. He also talked about Hunter Moorehead, NASCOE’s Legislative consultant, and different roles he has played and been key in recent accomplishments.

Coy Higdon, NAFEC Chair, gave a short talk about the importance of NAFEC and encouraged promoting it to members and County Committee.

Dawn Ovesen, addressed the crowd with some comments about the Legislative Leadership Conference in WDC she and Kenni Crane attended on behalf of KASCOE in September. She talked of what an eye opening experience it was and encouraged members to get involved and participate in the future if they are presented the opportunity.

District Director Jason Issac gave a small presentation saying a few words about retired CED Barry Allen, thanking him for his service to FSA and presenting him with a certificate for his service.

President Barton then recognized KASCOE directors and officers present by asking them to stand.

With no further business to conduct, Diane Dunn made the motion, second by Dawn Ovesen to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

Dana McKinney, Secretary