Minutes

SSCA

06.13.2022| Meeting called to order by Daryl Thorne, President at 6:32 PM

# In Attendance

10 SSCA members

5 Guests (Dist. 14 Delegation & Judy Hurtz GO News)

Board members present: Daryl Thorne, Basile Whitaker, Christine Hill-Wilson

Board member(s) absent: Doug Farquhar

Minutes from April meeting were approved and seconded.

# **New Business/Discussion**

Dist. 14 delegation provided an overview of most recent legislation session. Presentation submitted and posted on SSCA website post meeting. Key points covered in presentation were: Public safety, education, transportation, clean energy/solar projects. Additional information was provided on the Freedman’s Howard Homestead and public funding allocated for this project. It was recommended SSCA could request a presentation from park rangers leading this project for additional information.

Paula G. clarified upcoming event schedule for Juneteenth and Heritage Day events. All information regarding these events can be found on the SSCA website. Voter Ad-hoc committee reported MoCo Election Board members will be onsite to register voters in conjunction with these events.

# Committee Reports

**Treasurer Report: (Christine W.)**

* Operating fund-$484.61
* Scholarship-$119.29
* Scholarship Savings-$3.391.89
* Scholarship CD-$2,584.75

3 Scholarships were awarded for $500, $400, $300 each to three students. Two students from Sherwood HS and 1 student from SSFS.

**Transportation Report** (Marie S.)- reported out the damaged (Carolyn Snowden) sign was reported to MCDOT and awaiting a replacement.

**Ad Hoc Voting Committee Report**: **Paula G**.: No new updates.

**Ashton Village Advisory Council: (Kathleen W.):** First meeting held. 10 community members comprise of the Advisory Committee and still coming together. All meetings are governed by the county’s Open Meetings Act and can be viewed virtually. Currently working on electing officers and drafting rules.

# Announcements

* Becky C. reported upcoming Juneteenth event June 17, 6 pm-8 pm.
* Discussion on possible hybrid meetings in the future. No meeting In August and we will resume meeting in September.
* A “call-out” request was made for assistance & volunteers to donate time to civic association.
* 23 paid and current members on the rolls and brief discussion ensued on how to improve recruitment, marketing, and an out-reach in the community to increase our membership.
* A slate of candidates for new officers presented in Nov 2022 and be seated Jan 2023.

# Next Meeting

Date | time, Location

Motion to adjourn was made at 7:55 pm and unanimously accepted.

Next general membership meeting Monday, July 11, 2022, 6:30 pm