

MTPPA – June 2013 Meeting Minutes

Davita Taylor opened the meeting at 12:00 PM.

The following visitors were introduced: Melinda Nelson and Steven Moss

The minutes from the May meeting were presented and approved by Brian Wilcox and with a second approval from Crystal Lysinger.

Members sang Happy Birthday to Brian Wilcox.

It was announced that Davita Taylor is a finalist for the NELA Award (*Nashville Emerging Leader Award*).

Davita Taylor discussed the upcoming Metro Nashville International Airport tour in August.

The July 18th tour of the Music City Convention Center was discussed. Roxianne Bethune told the membership what they could expect to see during the tour.

Davita Taylor informed the membership that the chapter received a 10% rebate check for \$511 from NIGP for the class held in April. Davita reminded everyone that several people have not paid their membership dues. Currently there are 32 paid members. Davita welcomed our newest member, Terri Troup from Metro Finance Procurement Division.

Fundraising was discussed. It was discussed whether the chapter would have another fish fry. It was mentioned, that if the chapter had another fish fry, Bryan Gleason would need RELIABLE help this year.

The holidays were discussed. Jay Thompson and Tiffany Caruthers will check with the cafeteria staff at NES about Thanksgiving lunch.

Sheila Simpson told the membership that Shay Oliphant, Interim Deputy Chief Procurement Officer, would like MTPPA to come to the State Tower for a meeting to discuss legislation.

Some members stated they would like to receive meeting announcements a week in advance.

Meeting adjourned 12:55 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Jay Thompson