Canada West Mission Conference 2023 Mission Conference Business Meeting

hybrid conference (online with Vancouver, Calgary and Regina in person)

Saturday, September 23, 2023

Meeting Chair: Shannon McAdam

Attendees: 39

1. Call to order

Opening prayer Kat Goheen

- 2. Greetings to the Conference Apostle Art Smith
- 3. Voting system test

4. Conference organization

a. Motion to Approve Conference Officers

Resolved.

- i. That Shannon McAdam, Mission Centre co-president, preside over this conference and be authorized to complete the Conference organisation.
- ii. That Lisa Neudorf be Secretary of the Conference.
- iii. That Michael Mitchell be Parliamentarian for the Conference.

Moved: Stephen Thompson (Edmonton). Colleen Sauer (Regina) Carried

5. Approval of Agenda

Resolved, That the Agenda for the Canada West Mission Business Meeting for September 23, 2023, be approved as amended.

Moved: Nancy Panting (Lethbridge), Rosilyn Coulson-Teng (Vancouver). Carried

6. Approval of Minutes from previous meeting, January 21, 2023.

Resolved, That the Minutes of the Canada West Mission Business Meeting of January 21, 2023, be approved as circulated (or, as amended/corrected).

Moved: Rod Downing (Vancouver), Denise Esch (Regina).

No amendments or changes. Carried.

7. Mission Centre Organization

Art Smith assumed chair of the meeting.

a. Mission Centre President Team

Resolved, That Gwyneth J.A. Beer, Katherine Goheen, Rebecca Middleton, and Shannon McAdam be sustained as Co-Presidents of the Canada West Mission Centre, and collectively form the Canada West Mission Centre President Team.

Submitted by First Presidency

Moved: Nancy Panting (Lethbridge). Kathy McAdam (Chilliwack). Carried.

Art offered prayer of setting apart for Becky and the Mission Centre President team.

b. Mission Financial Officer

Resolved, That **Darwood Shepherdson** be sustained as Canada West Mission Centre Financial Officer.

Submitted by First Presidency and Presiding Bishopric.

Moved: Carl Bolger (Victoria), Bryce Richards (Lethbridge). Carried.

Chair returned to Shannon McAdam.

c. Mission Appointments

Resolved.

- i. That **Robert Riley** be sustained as Mission Recorder.
- ii. That **Sandra Rodriguez** be sustained as Privacy Officer.
- iii. That **Stephen Thompson** be sustained as Mission Historian.

Submitted by Mission Centre President Team

Moved: Gloria Stanton (Saskatoon), Gregg Lester (Regina). Carried.

8. Financials and Budget

a. Consideration of audit reports for 2021 and 2022

Resolved: That the audit reports for the years ending December 31, 2021, and December 31, 2022 be approved.

Moved: Sandra Hunter (non-resident), Marian Thompson (Edmonton). Carried.

b. Consideration of 2024 Proposed Budget

Resolved: That the Canada West Mission Centre Budget for 2024 be approved as presented.

Moved: Sandra Hunter (Non-Resident), Rosilyn Coulson-Teng (Vancouver).

Amend year to date from August 31, 2013 to correctly read August 31, 2023.

Motion as amended. Carried.

c. Appointment of Auditor for 2023 financials

Resolved: That Bishop David Snell be appointed as the 2023 auditor for Canada West Mission Centre.

Moved: Linda Klughart (Prince Albert), Shonnet Allen (Chilliwack). Carried

9. Acknowledgement of Reports to the Conference

10. Other Business

a. No other business

Meeting Adjourned