

**Interpreters with Deaf Parents
Member Section Meeting Minutes
July 13, 2010 - 8:30pm - 9:10pm EST**

In attendance: Chair: Laurie Nash, Vice-Chair: Holly Miles, Treasurer: Leo Yates, Jr.,
Regional Reps: Region II: Angie Nielson, Region III: Lloyd Stout, Region IV: Janie
Powell

Prior to the IDP Council Meeting, Laurie disseminated copies of the Agenda along with Conference call information.

Council Reports

Chair:

Laurie reported that Trudy Schafer informed her of two individuals who attended NAOBI contacted her regarding assistance with navigating the Alternative Pathways to Certification. She added Cheryl Moose shared with those in attendance at NAOBI that IDP offers this assistance for a small donation. Trudy will follow-up and keep us informed.

Laurie indicated the next IDP conference call will be scheduled for late July/early August in order to provide support for the Region I and region IV Reps as they prepare for their respective conferences.

Treasurer:

Leo reported receiving an update on the finances of IDP from national office and will forward a copy of this statement to Laurie. Presently he reported national RID, Inc. has a balance of \$14,000.00 in the IDP account at RID, Inc. This amount somewhat shocked us.

Regional Reports and Conference Updates:

Region I:

Plans are in place for the IDP event in Albany, NY during the Region I Conference, August 11-13th. The Pre-Conference workshop is filled and Amy is no longer accepting registrations for this event.

On Sunday, August 15th, 8:00am - 10:00, Molly Wilson will be presenting on “Beyond Hearing Status: Native Signers and Audism in the field of Interpreting” for our IDP Members Section. This discussion, presentation will be in ASL and is a ceu opportunity. All are welcomed to this workshop.

Region II:

Angie reported she is working at the Region II conference as a full-time interpreter. Susan Leitson and Angie will be meeting to prepare for the Members Section Meeting to be held on Saturday, July 31st at 1:15pm - 2:15pm. As there will be a Members Section Luncheon immediately thereafter, they will investigate the refreshment options for the meeting. They have received and will be using the Power Point Presentation for this forum.

Region III:

The Region Conference in Minneapolis will host a member section meeting on July 22 at 4:30-6:00pm. Lloyd Stout and Holly Miles will work together to prepare for this IDP Member Section forum. As a 'back up', they will distribute hard copies of the power point presentation of 'Talking Points' if they experience technical difficulty during that time frame. They will meet with Laurie sometime prior to this event so she can lend support.

Region IV:

It was reported Janie Powell will not be attending the regional conference this year as she is expecting to be a grandmother once again. Judy Ingram has not attended the IDP Conference Calls in quite some time. Therefore, Laurie will reach out to her to confirm her interest in serving as a Regional Rep for IDP.

Janie will contact Ann Tomlinson and/or BJ Thrash to ask either/both to facilitate the IDP Member Section forum in her absence. Laurie suggested to Janie to invite Ann and BJ to our next IDP Conference Call. If they wish to do so, they would be most welcomed.

Region V:

Regional Reps were not in attendance during this conference call. However, they presented the "Talking Points" on power point, developed by LaVona Andrew. They will be sharing their updates of the member Section meeting along with a summary of this event from the conference.

Miscellaneous

The next conference call will be in August. Laurie will send out a note to the Council to this date.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Lefebvre, IDP Secretary
July 22, 2010