**Semi-Annual Meeting Minutes**

**October 1, 2023**

**The Road Church, Grain Valley**

The Business Session of the Semi-Annual Meeting was called to order by Moderator, Larry Thomas. Greg Washington, as Moderator-Elect, will moderate this meeting.

Wayne Geiger, member of the Credentials Committee, presented the Credentials recommendations. After meeting with and interviewing Alan Findley and leadership from Overflow Church, the Credentials committee presented Overflow Church for full membership into the association. Approved.

Bob Springate, member of the Nominating Committee, presented the Nominating Committee recommendations. The following individuals were recommended to serve in 2024:

Moderator Pastor Greg Washington, **Abiding Faith**

Moderator-Elect Rev. Jim Vest

Clerk Amy Cox, **BR-KC Baptist Association**

Treasurer Kim Rice

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| Administrative Committee | Finance Committee |
| Bill Bowers, Norfleet | Greg Guthrie, Heart of Life |
| Anthony Harwell, Belvidere Heights | Jon Melvin, Grace Family Fellowship |
| Luis Sanchez, Northland en Espanol | Becca Soulis, South Haven |
| Brian Stone, Connection Point | Greg Vincent, Grace Family Fellowship |
| Dennis Rittenhouse, Peculiar First | Nicolas Wilson, Peculiar First |
| Travis Yeargans, River’s Edge | Sandy Woodside, Independence First |
| Credentials Committee | Personnel Committee |
| Stephen Conley, Raintree Community | Adam Claxton, Antioch Southern |
| Wayne Geiger, Grain Valley First | Linda Graham, Connection Point |
| Gary Jones, South Kansas City | Mike Roy, Pathway |
| Randy Messer, Oak Grove First | Keith Sisney, Norfleet |
| Ray Stewart, Grace & Truth | Jerry Tharp, Lone Jack |
| Roger Smith, Grace Family Fellowship | Doug Schildknecht, Buckner First |

All committee nominations were approved.

Greg Guthrie, chairman of the Finance Committee, gave the financial report. A copy of that report accompanies these minutes. This year, the committee approved a budget to be more in line with our ministry goals, as well as the revenue we expect to receive. The 2024 budget was approved.

Gary Jones, Vice Chairman of the Executive Director Search Committee, presented the process the Search Committee went through to select our next director. The committee presents Gregg Boll as our next Director of Missions. By way of anonymous pen and paper ballots, the messengers voted 55 yes, zero no’s, to elect Gregg Boll as our next Director of Missions.

Doug Schildknect, Chairman of the Personnel Committee, explained the process of hiring a temporary office assistant to help while Amy is on maternity leave. In 2024, the Personnel Committee will work with Gregg to hire the next Associate Director of Missions.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Amy Cox, Clerk













