

## Triton College Annuitants Association Executive Committee Meeting

January 14, 2020

Present: Mary Jeans, Presiding, Bob Anthony, Tom Bondi, Jens Nielsen, Connie Allekian

### A. Old business:

1. Lengthy discussion concerning declining membership. Discussed reasons why current employees and recent retirees are not inclined to become SUAA/TCAA members. Identified problems related to trying to reach out to current employees and have found that attending workshop days has not been fruitful. Mary shared information and samples of handouts developed by CDAA and HCAA. Committee agreed that this might be an eye-catching way to advertise TCAA. Tom Bondi will work on a prototype for TCAA with the goal of having it ready for the spring luncheon.

### B. New Business:

1. Spring luncheon: Thurs, Apr. 23, 2020. Mary will contact Chef Denise to verify that this date will be workable. If not, she will determine what date can work for the luncheon.

2. Program for spring: Discussed several ideas including possibly having CUB provide a speaker; discussed what kind of program would be of interest to the membership. Committee agreed on an idea of focusing on our natural world. Jens will contact Fred Maier, a Naturalist in Itasca, to see if he would be willing to make a presentation.

C. Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 11, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

Connie Allekian, TCAA Secretary