



**Chapter Meeting Minutes
March 7, 2020
Ascension St. Mary's Hospital**

Attendees– Sorors, Barkley, Brown, Collins, Dawkins, Farrell–Butler, S. Floyd, Gibbs Bond, Harge, Johnson, Moses–Johnson, Jones, Lawrence–Webster, McAfee, Peters, L. Robinson, Scott–Mason, Tatum, Thomas, Vasquez, B. Vinson, R. Vinson, Deb. Williams, Del. Williams,

Call to order– Seargeant At Arms, Soror Harge

Ritualistic Opening– President Lawrence–Webster

Chaplain– Soror S. Floyd– Proverbs 12:18 If you don't have anything nice to say please be quiet

Agenda Adoption– It was moved by Soror B. Vinson to adopt the agenda and 2nd by Soror R. Brown. Agenda Adopted.

Meeting Minutes – It was moved by Soror Moses Johnson and 2nd by Soror B Vinson to adopt the meeting minutes of February 1, 2020. Minutes adopted.

President Report; National– June 11 calling all Sorors to the Regional convention.

State– Delta Day at the Piston game, let's paint the game in red and white.

Local– **Chapter table** cloth to be purchased for events and functions.

It was moved by Soror S. Floyd and 2nd by Soror B. Vinson that we purchase a chapter table cloth at the cost of \$300.00. Motion carried (3 opposed).

Miss Delta 2019 advertisement announcement /picture. It was moved by Soror S. Floyd and 2nd by Soror D. Williams that the chapter purchase a 1/2 page ad in Word Up for \$250. Motion is carried. (10 yes 3 abst , 7 no)

Saginaw Sorority Sisters, Census 2020 April 1, 2020 day party, asking that each sorority purchase an ad. It was moved by Soror Harge and 2nd by Soror Peters that we purchase an \$100 ad for the Census 2020 day party. Motion carried.

Southfield Alumnae is asking that we purchase an ad for their Cotillion. It was moved by Soror Floyd and 2nd by Soror B. Vinson that we purchase a 1/2 page ad for \$100.00 for Southfield Alumnae Cotillion. 13 yes 7 no Motion carried.

Dr Betty Shabazz manual–It was moved by a Soror Tatum and 2nd by Soror R. Brown that the Betty Shabazz Manual be approved. Motion carried.

Reading program– It was moved by Soror R. Brown and 2nd by Soror B. Vinson to approve the READING manual. Motion carried.

Financial Handbook– It was moved by Soror R. Brown and 2nd by Soror S. Floyd that the financial handbook be approved. Motion carried.

Derrick Harge is asking for participation for the Reading program (subsequent notice was sent – funds are being requested).

Treasurer Report– submitted for file and Audit

Book balances, General fund –\$8278.28, Delta Gems –3389.17, Scholarship– \$70.32, DREF– \$43.57 grant, PayPal– \$50.00.

Chapter dues deadline is 3/15/2020. After the 3/15/2020 remittance by March 30, 2020, you must add late of \$10.00. Please make checks out to Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc.

Finance Committee Report– 66 financial members, two reclaimed for next fiscal year – Soror Nash & Soror Crosby Robinson

Correspondence Report– Soror Ruth Jones who was the speaker at the SVSU Black History Program sent us a big Thank you.

March 14th Ann Arbor Founders Day. Many Sorors have purchased tickets to attend. Let's go crazy for Sisterhood! month of March from our Regional Director.

Sisterhood Committee– Soror Farrell–Butler explain the sisterhood calendar and it's located on the sister portal. Keep Soror Westbrook in prayers.

Political & Social Action– Soror Peters attended Delta days at the Capitol in Washington DC. March 10th is the primary election, Monday April 1st is named Census day, April 3–6 poor people campaign. See full report on website.

WAYS AND MEANS

Crimson and Creme Cotillion – we have 11 dolls and 9 pearls

Thelma Poston Golf Scholarship Classic– \$150.00 a hole, flyers are available for golfers, please distribute.

CHAPTER INTERNAL MANAGEMENT

Program & Planning– Aligning May planning month with April elections, committee sign-up sheets will be available. Two webinars coming, Awards–3–25 & Q&A on awards, 4/22/2020. Full report on website.

Nominating Committee

Due to the fact that the chapter called for nominations at the February chapter meeting and sorors on the Nominating Committee had removed their name from the slate, properly, the Nominating Committee's responsibilities terminated at that time.

Nominations from the floor – called by President Lawrence–Webster (Soror Regional Director was in attendance);

President – Georgia Barkley
1st Vice President–Gina Osborne
2nd Vice President–Lisa Ingram
Corresponding Secretary– Andrea Gibbs Bond
Assistant Financial Secretary–Deborah Williams
Assistant Treasurer– Gwen White Bowman
Nominating Committee Chair–Felicia Peters
Recording Secretary– Roshawnda Brown
Financial Secretary– Melleretha Moses–Johnson
Treasurer – NO ONE SLATED
Audit, Chair–Kujuanna Ray
Nominating Committee–Beverly Harge

Nominations from the floor were opened and closed at the May 7, 2020 Chapter Meeting

Ritualistic Closing– President Lawrence–Webster

Recording Secretary– Soror Tatum
Chapter President– Soror Lawrence–Webster