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Michigan Association of Beauty Professionals Inaugural Board Meeting - February 8, 2021 - 4:30pm

Present: Kristan Sayers, Tari Krupinski, Don Romain, Francis Meram, Jena Keller, Pate Bakeman, Mike Sarafa, and Sandi Jones (consultant).

Adoption of By-laws: Mike Sarafa led a review of the by-laws. After a brief discussion, the by-laws were adopted 7-0.

Election of Board Members and Officers: Kristan Sayers (President), Don Romain (Vice President), Francis Meram (Secretary), Tari Krupinski (Treasurer), Jena Keller, Pate Bakeman, and Mike Sarafa. The goal is to have nine Board Members which leaves two vacancies. The Advocacy, Communication and Membership Director positions will be decided at the next meeting.

Each Board member agreed to join and be Founding Members; to attend meetings; to recruit members, to spread the word, and to perform the duties related to Board service. Membership Drive Update: Kristan, with the support of her husband, are in the final stages of creating a membership page and link for payment on the website. This should be done in a couple of weeks.

Founding Members Program: Jenna and Tari agreed to work on a program for Founding Members to create a pricing and benefit program and to present the plan at the next meeting.

Contract for Association Management: Mike will work with Sandi to negotiate the initial contract and present it at the next meeting for Board approval.

Next meeting: The next meeting was not set but the larger group meeting is set for Feb. 22. The Board should meet again prior to that. (Could I propose Feb. 15? At 4:30 pm)