# MISSISSIPPI MUNICIPAL CLERKS AND COLLECTORS' ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE MEETING APRIL 26, 2023

BE IT REMEMBERED that a Regular Meeting of the Executive Members of the Mississippi Municipal Clerks and Collectors Association was begun and held on Wednesday April

# 26, 2023, at 2:00 P. M.

There were then and there present:

Katie Harbin Suzette Davis Paula Tierce Lauren Stewart	President 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President Treasurer	Present Present Present Present
Leslie Thompson Russell Wall	Secretary Immediate Past President	Present
Arianne "AJ" Linville	Northern District Trustee	Absent Present
Mary Roberts	Northern District Trustee	Present
Jamie Morgan Penny Spears	Northern District Trustee Central District Trustee	Present Present
Jean White	Central District Trustee	Present
Michelle Arbuckle	Central District Trustee	Present
Breyon Magee	Southern District Trustee	Present
Rosezea Scott	Southern District Trustee	Present
Catherine Kemp	Southern District Trustee	Present
Dr. Jason Camp Angela Richburg Mary Ann Hess	Extension Specialist IIMC Regional Director IIMC President Elect	Present Present Absent

The President, Katie Harbin called the meeting to order and declared a quorum present.

# AUTHORIZE THE RETIREMENT COMMITTEE TO PURCHASE RETIREMENT AWARDS

There next came on for consideration the matter of the Mississippi Municipal Clerks and Collectors Association (MMCCA) purchasing retirement awards for the 2023 retirees. The Board found that pursuant to the MMCCA bylaws and the Retiree Recognition Policy, a retiree with at least ten years of service as Municipal Clerk or Municipal Deputy Clerk shall receive an award of recognition at one of the MMCCA Business Meetings. After discussion of the matter the MMCCA Executive Board authorized the Retirement Committee to purchase an award for the 2023 retirees not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Dollars and Zero Cents (\$150.00) for each award.

ORDERED this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023, upon a motion by President Katie Harbin, seconded by Northern District Trustee, Arianne "AJ" Linville, With all Executive Members present voting "AYE".

#### ORDER TO FILL VACANT POSITION AS NOMINATING COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

There next came for consideration the matter of the filling the vacant position as the Chairman of the Nominating Committee. The Board found that the last two past Presidents were retiring this month. The Board next found that pursuant to the MMCCA By laws, that the committee shall be chaired by the immediate past President. The Board next heard a recommendation from the President, Katie Harbin to appoint Jo Ann Robbins as Committee Chair and Angela Richburg as a past President member. After Discussion of the matter the Board Approved Jo Ann Robbins as the Chairman of the Nominating Committee.

ORDERED this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023, upon a motion by the Central District Trustee, Penny Spears, seconded by Northern District Trustee, Arianne "AJ" Linville, with all Executive Members present voting "AYE".

#### JO ANN ROBBINS ENTERED THE MEETING

### ORDER TO APPOINT KRISTAL JONES TO FILL THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT POSITION ON THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

There next came for consideration the matter of the filling the Southern District position on the nominating Committee. The Board heard a recommendation from 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President, Suzette Davis to nominate Kristal Jones as the Southern District Nominating Committee member. After Discussion of the matter the Board Approved Kristal Jones as the Southern District member of the Nominating Committee.

ORDERED this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023, upon a motion by President, Katie Harbin, seconded by Treasurer, Lauren Stewart, with all Executive Members present voting "AYE".

#### **ORDER TO APPROVE FINAL BUDGET**

There next came for consideration the matter of approving the final proposed Budget. After review and discussion, the Board approved the proposed Budget.

ORDERED this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023, upon a motion by Past President, Jo Ann Robbins, seconded by Central District Trustee, Penny Spears, with all Executive Members present voting "AYE".

# ORDER TO APPOINT COMMITTEE FOR THE PLANNING OF THE MISSISSIPPI MUNICIPAL CLERKS AND COLLECTORS' ASSOCIATION FIFTIETH (50<sup>th</sup>) ANNIVERSARY EVENT

There next came for discussion the matter of having a committee to plan the MMCCA 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. The Board heard a recommendation from President, Katie Harbin for Paula Tierce, Arianne "AJ" Linville, Angela Hester, Suzette Davis, Angela Richburg, Rosezea Scott, Jason Camp and Katie Harbin to make up the committee. After Discussion of the matter the Board approved Katie Harbin, Paula Tierce, Arianne "AJ" Linville, Angela Hester, Suzette Davis, Angela Richburg, Rosezea Scott and Jason Camp to make up the MMCCA Fiftieth Anniversary Planning Committee.

ORDERED this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023, upon a motion made by Past President, Jo Ann Robbins, seconded by Secretary, Leslie Thompson, with all Executive Members present voting "AYE".

### <u>APPOINT REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF</u> ARCHIVES AND HISTORY LOCAL GOVERNMENT RECORDS COMMITTEE

There next came on for discussion the matter of appointing a representative to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History Local Record Committee following the retirement of Cathy Clark. The Board found that Cathy Clark had retired and there needed to be a replacement. The Board found that Penny Spears was interested in being on the committee. After discussion of the matter the Board appointed Penny Spears to the Mississippi Department of Archives and History Local Record Committee.

ORDERED this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023, upon a motion made by 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President, Paula Tierce, seconded by Southwest District Trustee, Rosezea Scott, with all Executive Members present voting "AYE".

#### ORDER FOR MISSISSIPPI STATE HOST THE MISSISSIPPI CLERKS AND COLLECTORS' ASSOCIATION SPRING CLERK CONFERENCE

There next came for discussion the matter of having Mississippi State to host our MMCCA Spring Clerk Conference. The Board found The University of Mississippi hosted the conference. The Board next found that it would be in the best interest for the Mississippi Clerks to have Mississippi State host the Spring Conference due to The University of Mississippi points not transferring to the International Institute of Municipal Clerks certification requirements.

ORDERED this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023, upon a motion made by President, Katie Harbin, seconded by Secretary, Leslie Thompson, with all Executive Members present voting "AYE".

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

KATIE HARBIN, PRESIDENT

LESLIE THOMPSON, SECRETARY