# Florida Industrial Pretreatment Association Board of Directors Meeting, Agenda Jacksonville June 12, 2007

2:00 p.m. – 5:20 p.m. ET

FIPA Position	Present	Board Member FY06
President	Yes	Dan Parnell
Vice President	No	Mark Mathis
Treasurer	Yes	Kassandra Barnes
Secretary	Yes	Kim Ouellette
Northern Regional Coord.		Vacant
Central Regional Coord.	Yes	Janet DeBiasio
Southern Regional Coord.	No	Anthony Livio
Past President	Yes	Andy Johnson (designee Thea Parslow)

Dan Parnell called meeting to order at 2:00 pm

### 1. Treasurer's Report

- The FIPA has \$17,748.41 in the bank.
- The incorporation records were filed for 2007
- Membership cards will be distributed electronically.
- Janet proposed that the Treasurer's books be audited once per year. The Board agreed and a committee will audit the books in October.

# 2. October workshop and certification classes

- The City of Orlando will host the workshop and certification classes.
- The dates for the classes are October 16, 17 and 18, 2007.
- The date for the workshop is October 19, 2007.
- Three classrooms are available at the Orlando Science Center at a cost of \$2475.00 total for the certification classes. The Board agreed to the location.
- The workshop will be held at Leu Gardens. The meeting room is offered at no charge but the meeting must end by 3:30 pm. The Board agreed to the location.
- The City of Orlando will check with Frito Lay for a possible tour opportunity of the wastewater treatment facilities of the plant on Thursday afternoon.
- Two hotels have been contacted for lodging.
- The Orlando Science Center has a 360 degree movie theater that may be utilized for the social event on Thursday evening.
- The FIPA will place and advertisement in the Fl. Water Resource Journal during the months of August and September for the certification classes and workshop.

#### **3.** Pretreatment Communicator Newsletter

- The next issue will be out in July
- The final issue for 2007 will be completed and distributed in November.

### 4. FIPA administrative position

- Due to the growth and success of the association, the FIPA is considering hiring a contract secretary.
- A draft contract was reviewed by the Board.
- The Board position of secretary would be eliminated in the By-Laws leaving 7 Board positions available.
- Janet made a motion to accept the paid position and Dan seconded. All in favor.

#### 5. Website

• Kim will contact the webmaster to see if it is possible to have a section accessible only to members using a password. In the future presentation materials or certification materials could be made available to members.

# 6. Administrative fees

- A proposal was made to increase the fees for membership, workshops and certification classes as follows:
  - o Membership \$30.00 per year
  - O Workshops \$30.00 per workshop
  - Certification classes \$175.00 for members
- Janet made a motion to accept the new fees and Kim seconded. All in favor.

### 7. Awards

- The FIPA has two awards: the Bob Heilman award (program award) and the John Parnell award (individual award).
- The FIPA Board is working on updated criteria for each award.

#### 8. Elections

- The Board elections will take place in Orlando.
- There will be 6 positions available.
- Janet agreed to head up the nomination committee to ensure a good selection of candidates.

# 9. By-Laws

- The By-laws will have to be amended to include the contract secretary position and the increase in fees.
- The amended By-laws will be available for review and approval at the next general membership meeting.

Dan made a motion to end the meeting at 5:20 pm. Kim seconded. Adjourned.