

Tinley Park Sister Cities Commission Meeting Minutes February 15, 2012

Members Present-

Acting Chair: Randal Tietz, Commissioners: Marilyn Bill, Joanne Dykhuizen, Dianne Przybylski, Carol Tietz. Trustee Liaison T.J. Grady.

Members Not Present-

Secretary: Roxane DeVos Tyssen Commissioners: Dobner, Jenczmoinka, Petrovich.

Chairman Randal Tietz called February 15, 2012 Tinley Park Sister Cities Commission meeting to order at 7:30 P.M.

Motion to approve agenda for tonight's meeting with date correction: Commissioner Carol Tietz; Second Commissioner Marilyn Bill.

Minutes of the January 2012 meeting were reviewed. Motion to approve with changes as indicated: Commissioner Joanne Dykhuizen; Second Commissioner Dianne Przybylski. Motion accepted by voice vote.

Liaison Trustee Report

- Next Village budget is being reviewed now
- New train station will open for commuters 22 March
- SC sign reminder was sent by Trustee Grady

Chair Report

- There are still positions open on the commission.
- Student exchange is on track for 2012. Need two host families for visiting teachers. Need chaperones for possible trip(s) to Chicago.
- Chair suggested Village could host "pizza dinner" or something similar for visitors
- Chair suggested arranging visit in Chicago at State of Illinois building to meet elected officials.
- Other possible activities to be discussed with VJA German teachers.

New Business

- Mayor Zabrocki received letter from Nowy Sącz re: support for Poland's inclusion in US visa waiver program

Old Business

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned 8:30

Next Regularly Scheduled Meeting - March 14, 2012

(NOTE: minutes taken by Chair RLT)