

**MINUTES OF THE NORTHAMPTON COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION
QUARTERLY MEETING
May 19, 2011**

The Quarterly Meeting, held at the Best Western, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, was called to order by President Kerry Scott Freidl at 12:10 p.m.

I. Quorum: A Quorum was established. The following officers were present:

Officers:

- X Kerry Scott Freidl, President
- X Victor E. Scomillio, President Elect
- Stanley J. Margle, III, Vice President
- X Christopher M. Reid, Treasurer
- Abraham P. Kassis, Secretary
- X Jacqueline M. Taschner, Past President

Executive Director:

- X Mary Beth Leeson

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

A Motion was made by Alyssa Lopiano Reilly and Seconded by William Murphy to approve the minutes from the March 10, 2011 Quarterly Meeting. Motion passed unanimously.

III. INTRODUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS:

The following new Members were introduced:

1. Brandon M. Benner, sponsored by Dennis Benner and Kerry Scott Freidl
2. Wendy R.S. O'Connor, sponsored by Candy Barr Heimbach and Michelle L. Wilson
3. Kristina Petronko, sponsored by Victoria A. Coyle and Leah M. Finlayson
4. Maraleen D. Shields sponsored by Donald E. Wieand, Jr. and R. Michael Carr
5. Loren L. Speziale, sponsored by Andrew H. Ralston, Jr. and Ewalde M. Cook

Motion was made by Jacqueline Taschner and Seconded by William Murphy. The new members were unanimously approved.

IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Announcements made referenced to by Kerry Scott Freidl, specifically the calendar of events for the months of May, June and July, including the summer outing, photo directory, YLD Walk for a Healthy Community and Phillies v. Mets game.

V. PRESIDENT'S REPORT/CORRESPONDENCE:

No correspondence to report on.

VI. TREASURER'S REPORT:

The Treasurer's Report was presented by Christopher Reid. The report is on permanent record at the Bar Association Office.

Upon motion of Richard Kovacs and a Second by Jacqueline Taschner, the Treasurer's Report was approved by unanimous vote.

VII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

1. Sam Geld reported a lunch lecture scheduled on June 22, 2011 on the labor and employment law update.

VIII. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Jon Acklen reported on a proposed resolution in regards to support of Senate Bill 500 in opposition to Senate Bill 2. Motion was made by Jon Acklen for the Northampton County Bar Association to support Senate Bill 500 and in opposite Senate Bill 2, the Motion was seconded by Joel Scheer. There were 48 members in favor the proposed resolution, 7 members in opposition to the proposed resolution and 8 members abstaining. Prior to passage for the proposed resolution Candy Heimbach, Esquire offered comments in opposition of the resolution and Steve Margolis, Esquire offered comments in support of the resolution.

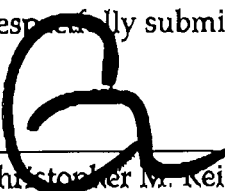
IX. NEW BUSINESS:

No new business discussed at the meeting.

IX. ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned by President Freidl at 12:30 PM upon Motion of William Murphy which was seconded by Rob Jacobs.

Respectfully submitted,



Christopher M. Reid