Healthcare Facilities Management Society of New Jersey, Inc. Serving Healthcare Since 1949



General Membership Meeting

Minutes to the Meeting on **Thursday**, **9/15/22**

President W. Kelly called the meeting to order on Thursday, <u>9/15/22</u>, at <u>6:00</u>p.m. and led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

ATTENDEES:

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EDUCATIONAL SESSION TOPIC

"Why Isolated Power Systems Are Utilized in Healthcare Facilities"

DINNER BREAK.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

- Facilitated the meeting
- People from RWJRahway coming via the move up program
- Elections & Bylaws are coming up in the October meeting

PRESIDENT ELECT'S REPORT / EDUCATION REPORT:

- Looking for sponsors for October
- Education is booked until the end of the year
- Looking to offer an additional educational program

TREASURERS REPORT:

Solvent and using the website will streamline things for Cindi

SECRETARYS REPORT:

- N/A

MEMBERSHIP:

- We have __ONE__ new member:

Mark Ligon, Director of Engineering Blythedale Children's Hospital

SOCIAL JUSTICE:

- Collecting warm weather items, specifically mens clothing
- Doing Toys for Tots at the Holiday party: unwrapped toys bring to this event

ADVOCACY / ASHE LIAISON:

- Tom Tufaro brought up to Tricia about how nuanced PO's and various AIA contracts can be. Maybe tap A/E groups about presenting this information

NEWSLETTER:

SENERGY TO CARE:

- Hospitals have a lot of money for these programs, you need to get your facilities in this program
- If you have any questions or need more information, reach out to Jim Toner
- Repayment is now over 5 years, interest free
- Free engineering and auditing services, your project goes out to bid and you get qualified bides already

AWARDS AND NOMINATIONS:

AD JOURNAL:

- There are a few copies printed this year
- Moving forward, they will be on the website to download for members only

HOLIDAY PARTY:

- Will give out multiple awards
- December 2, 2022 (first Friday of the month)
- Time- 7:00-11:00 PM
- Live band, photo booth, seated dinner
- Complimentary alcohol as gifts
- Sponsorships available

GOLF OUTING:

- See executive minutes

WEBSITE:

- Launched our new website: spoke about all the details and features including
 - o A link to register for meetings
 - o A link to add the meetings to your calendar
 - Members and Non-members need to sign up for every meeting on the website

MISC:

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:45 PM