



MINUTES, REGULAR MEETING

BOARD OF DIRECTORS, MARIA REINER CENTER OF HOBART

Maria Reiner Center – Thursday, January 29, 2026 at 8:45am

Call to Order: Meeting called to order by MRC Board President, Trey Gilliana at 9:02am

Roll Call: Present: Trey Gilliana, Carol Heikema, Dee Bedella, Brian Snedecor, Pam Ridings, Lynn Kostbade. Absent: Kelsey Perry, Leni Vinzant, Carrie Adelman.
Executive Director: Aimee Schallenkamp

Approval of Minutes: Motion Ms. Bedella, seconded by Ms. Kostbade to accept minutes of December 4, 2025 with amendment error. All aye, motion carried (6-0)

Approval of Agenda: Motion by Ms. Heikema seconded by Mr. Snedecor to approve agenda. All aye, motion carried (6-0)

Elect New Officers for 2026: Motion by Mr. Snedecor to retain same officers as in 2025 if in agreement, seconded by Ms. Ridings. All aye, motion carried (6-0)

Trey Gilliana, President
Pam Ridings, Vice-President
Dee Bedella, Secretary

Executive Director's Report:

- Upcoming Events: Valentine's Day Party on Feb. 14 in the gym asking members to bring desserts or appetizers. Miller's Assisted Living will set up Karaoke. St. Patrick's Day party on March 17. Catered meal luncheon and party. Drury Lane trip in the MRC bus will be March 11.
- Grant Update: We received a Legacy Grant for 2026 in the amount of \$33,111.60.
- New ideas for 2026: Ms. Ridings offered to have a pop up smartphone class, idea for fundraiser is "Taste of Hobart" along with all Hobart downtown restaurants as a way to possibly get new sponsors for our weekly meals, Ad for HomePage will not be renewed next year as we do not see return on investment, possible a Refer a friend voucher for a Free Meal, "Welcome Wagon" when someone new moves in, Door hangers in subdivisions, Ms. Heikema suggested to add membership fees on newsletter header, take brochures/flyers to dr offices, IUN classes include first class on March 5, class regarding other scams such as gift card scams maybe ask Police Dept. for a program/class, Aimee

will partner with the City on upcoming Chamber events such as Business Expo again this year.

Approval of Claims: As of 1/29/26 vouchers were submitted totaling \$2,977.07. Motion by Ms. Kostbade to accept, seconded by Ms. Heikema. All aye, motion carried. (6-0)

Financial Report: Financial Report total cash and investments submitted for November 2025 totaling \$142,621.71 and December 2025 totaling \$145,210.22. Motion made by Ms. Bedella, seconded by Ms. Ridings to approve both November and December 2026. All aye, motion carried. (6-0)

Announcements: meetings are held on the last Thursday of each month at 8:45am

Next meeting is February 26th, 2026 at 8:45am.

Adjournment: There being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 10:07am. Motion made by Ms. Kostbade, seconded by Ms. Bedella. All aye, motion carried. (6-0)



Recording Secretary – Dee Bedella



President, Trey Gilliana

Aimee Schallenkamp took minutes