

## QUALITY OF LIFE COMMITTEE

July 19, 2019 Meeting Minutes

Meeting held at Bennett, Hartman, Morris & Kaplan LLP

### Present

Michelle Ryan (Chair)  
Ellen Pitcher (Secretary)  
Tim Johnson (phone)  
Linda Larkin  
Amrit Mann  
James Meiers (phone)  
Ann Milligan (phone)  
Catherine Petrecca (Bar Liaison)\*  
(Emily Fenster?)

### Not Present

Meredith Boyden Good  
Kyra Hazilla  
Phillip Spicerkuhn  
C. Atha Mansoor  
Avalyn Taylor  
Brent Smith  
Kelsey Herman (NLD liaison)\*  
Carilyn Ellis (public member)\*.  
Tanya Hanson (PLF liaison)\*  
Bik-Na Han (BOG contact/liaison)\*

\*non-members (not counted towards quorum)

- I. Welcome new members and start of meeting at 12:05. A quorum was not present. As there was no quorum, the minutes were not put up for approval.
- II. The OLIO retreat was discussed. Committee members were invited to join the Judges Reception on August 10 at Welches Inn at the Mountain. \$50 cost.
- III. The Learning the Ropes Lunch, which will be held on October 31 was discussed. The Committee will not have a table. Members were reminded that Lewis & Clark is having a perhaps improvidently named "Bar Prowl" September 6. The question of the committee having brochures to hand out was brought up, and led to a discussion which was not on the Agenda, concerning design of a brochure, formatting, etc. Ann volunteered to be involved in the writing. People seemed excited about the use of Emojis in the design.
- IV. Review of BOG recommendations to QOL committee from the OSB Wellness Summit – details to be added.

- V. Committee members discussed various organizations and firms which could be contacted to see if they have Wellness programs, best practices or plans:

Linda Larkin: volunteered to reach out to major firms

Ellen Pitcher: will contact criminal defense organizations and firms, Judge  
Anna Brown

Michelle Ryan: will contact Legal Aid, Stoel Rives and Stoll Berne

Tim Johnson: will contact Perkins Coie

James Meiers: will contact Miller Nash

- VI. Point of Order: Amrit Mann, who was attending on the telephone, asked that speakers identify themselves before speaking.

- VII. A discussion of the basically non-existent QOL website ensued. Key questions were what should be on the website, who would design it and how it would be maintained. It was decided that further discussion of the website should be tabled until the August meeting.

- VIII. The affinity bar groups discussion was also tabled, in hopes of a quorum next month.

- IX. The meeting was adjourned at 1:12 p.m.