

# NAMI REGULAR BOARD MEETING

## MAY 12, 2015

The meeting was called to order by President Mick Fiocchi at 6:04 p.m.

Those in attendance were: Mick Fiocchi, Pam Morton, Jim Skubal, Dan Rondello, Sue Bambrough, Jeanne Pederson and Mary Wright.

Pederson made a motion to accept the minutes. The motion was seconded by Morton, and the minutes were approved.

Wright received a card thanking her for speaking at Nativity Catholic Church.

The need to have a new Treasurer was discussed. Bev Henkel's name was mentioned. Wright will speak to Henkel.

Bob Mangles arrived at 6:14 p.m.

July 18<sup>th</sup> was set as a tentative date for our annual picnic. Skubal will try to reserve a pavilion. We are looking at 11a.m. to 1p.m. for the time.

The Three Lakes presentation was discussed.

Pederson spoke to Phillip Chard. Chard indicated that June 25<sup>th</sup> would work, but he inquired about expenses. We still need to know what the topic would be. Bambrough offered to make a flier for the event.

Ministry Medical of Rhineland stated after receiving our letter supporting a sidewalk, that they will have sidewalks put in.

Fiocchi indicated that we are making good progress on our NAMI re-affiliation.

Fiocchi will write a letter to Bethesda inquiring as to how they plan to proceed with possible plans for our moving into the old South Park School building, and will state that we are looking at other places.

Fiocchi stated that he looked at a place on Ocala Street that he feels is too small. Fiocchi was impressed with a location on Dorr Avenue for our drop-in center.

Rondello stated that the website has updates on upcoming programs and a page on Mental Health Awareness month.

Fiocchi felt the state conference was worthwhile. He passed out a thing on a bingo activity they had. He said there were good presentations and that he met some interesting people.

The Eagle River Family-to-Family meeting has been postponed.

The minister of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church in Eagle River, would like to form a partnership with us.

Mangles gave the treasury report. We have \$1,046.39 in checking and \$11,843 in savings.

Upcoming programs will be Police Chief Mike Steffes in May, Natalie Rasmussen in June; and in July we will have our annual picnic.

The next meeting will be June 9<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m.

Wright stated that the minister of First United Methodist Church (where we meet.) will be leaving on June 1<sup>st</sup>. It was mentioned giving her a gift for her generosity and hospitality. The gift would not exceed \$50.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:38 p.m.