

## MPEA March Meeting

Julie called meeting to order at Noon

President' Report - Julie

- Association 101 email went out and would like board members to attend
- Raise went through YEAH!
- Some small questions nothing major all is pretty chill at moment
- Cannot get to mailbox
- MPEA.net has been updated – check it out
- Elections – we will be sending notices next month – 3 weeks to get things in, nominations/profile. May 24<sup>th</sup> will be date of election
- COVID - Vaccines are available and city is working on distribution. Front line employees being contacted and are starting to get them. St. Paul Public Works has all been vaccinated. Tony Hauser Manager of Emergency Preparedness – may be good contact for vaccines. If employee works at home may be considered non-essential, city needs to clarify who essential and who isn't. We would like clear communicated plan of what is going to happen moving forward.

Treasurer Report – Justin

- 2020 - Audit is complete
- No real treasure's report do to inability to get mail
- Financials good otherwise

Detail/Permit – Chip

- No new data

Business Agent Report – Kurt

- Association 101 is offered three times. If members have questions about Association finances, email Justin Carlson.
- How are bargaining units divided within the city. The State takes the lead in this role with classification. Unit clarification is a little different and we are in touch with some other unions to not steal each other's members. Jacob/Julie/Kurt talk.
- Uniform shirts for forensic scientists are being chosen and we will wait for further information. Currently employees get \$250 per calendar year for uniform allowances. New employee packet document to be finished. We will add pictures and complete language. We will then send pics to person completing the work. Animal Control picture is a possibility along with Forensics, Health inspectors??? A waiver will be required for pictures to protect us.

Meeting ended at 12:45pm