Colorado Family Church

Meeting Date and Time	10/15/2017 - 9:00 AM	Meeting Location	Church Office
Meeting Organizer	Council	Meeting Chair	David Stein
Minutes Drafted Date	10/17/2017	Meeting Title	Council Meeting

	Attendees
David Stein	Roger Wise
Jerry Tamayo	Michael Hentrich
David Heppell	
David Mahardy	

Brief Description / Agenda

- 1. Suggestion to send Pastors to the Marriage Seminar in the poconos
- 2. Exterior Renovation Committee
- 3. Changes to Local Charter
- 4. Social Media Rep
- 5. Change of secretary

Summary of the discussion	
No	Items Discussed
1	A few congregants suggested sending the Pastors to the Marriage Seminar, we discussed the internal value of this idea, the cost of it and the value it would bring not just to the Pastors our community as well.

2	Our community has been talking a lot about the exterior renovation of our church building. Mira Fleisher has volunteered to head up the project. which is a long term plan for the exterior of the property, branding, landscaping etc we discussed this in depth.
3	We have been discussing changes to the council, its qualifications, and when, who and how members are voted in.
4	Tami has shown her ability to edit photos and articles on our media sites and so we discussed a small financial plan for her as she has a strong desire to create beautiful and inspiring media content for promoting our community and our faith via social and website media. This will include content sent to Headquarters.
5	Roger wise expressed gratitude for having been able to fill the secretary shoes and asked to step down due to health issues. Jerry Tamayo was asked if she was willing to step into those shoes and a discussion followed

No	Action Item
1	We voted and the consensus was to provide a total of up to \$2,000 dollars for the Pastors to attend the Blessed Marriage Retreat in the Poconos. Thank you to the Howells, Linda and Jim for offering childcare while our pastors are away on this retreat
2	We approved Mira Fleisher in chairing a volunteer committee to work on the exterior look of the church. She will report her ideas to the council and the follow up and follow through will follow.

3	We discussed the pros and cons of removing terms limits for council members. Council members would still need to be voted in every term. We also discussed the pros and cons of switching to a staggered elections process so that the council will always have members from the previous years council and this will provide the opportunity for continuity of the council. also if anyone who is new to the community would like to be on the council at an election time and they haven't lived in our community for at least a year, it was discussed that those people would attend at least 6 council meetings in order to be qualified to run for the council. These potential changes would involve an amendment to the charter, requiring a vote from the community.
4	Council approved Tami as our media rep and she will receive small amounts for her photos and article editing as well as event photo coverage50cents per post and article, 50.00 for professionals photos per event when she is requested.
5	Roger was acknowledged for his effort and investment and gratitude was expressed for his endeavor to fulfill the position of Secretary for the Council. Jerry was nominated and accepted the nomination and it was a unanimous vote for her to take on the position of Secretary.

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