

LOWER COLUMBIA HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION

Minutes of Chapter Meeting

August 1, 2007

I. Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 12:00 p.m. by Linda Zillinger, President. Lori Bell, Communications Director and Genevieve Butenshon, Secretary, were also present. Linda Zillinger welcomed those in attendance and everyone briefly introduced themselves.

II. President's Report:

Linda reminded those present that registration for the NHRMA Annual Conference, scheduled for October 3-5, 2007 in Bellevue, Washington, was available on the NHRMA website. She asked those present to contact her if they could offer a donation for the conference's silent auction that benefits the SHRM Foundation; suggesting local items such as gift certificates, wine, etc. She reported on a SHRM legislative alert that was e-mailed the previous day asking for members to write their elected officials to make Section 127 of the Internal Revenue Code permanent. Linda briefly reviewed the section and proposed legislation and encouraged SHRM members to respond. She noted that information regarding SHRM was available on the registration table. Genevieve also noted that information regarding the upcoming Clatsop Leadership Forum was also available.

III. Treasurer's Report:

In Linda Ray's absence, Linda Zillinger reported that, as of July 30, 2007, the checking account had a balance of \$2,083.05 and as of June 6, 2007 the savings account had a balance of \$2,434.46.

IV. Other:

Linda Zillinger reported that the LCHRMA Board will be meeting later in August to complete development of scholarship criteria/application for PSU HR students. (She noted that LCHRMA had previously partnered with the Astoria-Warrenton Chamber of Commerce in awarding a local scholarship, but the Chamber had declined to participate this year.) She encouraged any members to contact her if they were interested in participating on the Scholarship Committee.

V. Presentation:

Linda Zillinger introduced John Compere, Ph.D. as the guest speaker. Mr. Compere gave an entertaining, heartwarming and informative presentation entitled "Take This Job and Love It".

VI. Adjournment:

Linda Zillinger closed by thanking Mr. Compere and noting the upcoming two and one half-hour meeting in September and a half day employment law seminar to be held November 14, 2007.

There being no further business to bring before the Association, the meeting was adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

Next Meeting:

The next regular meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 5, 2007 at Baked Alaska, with a presentation entitled Coaching for Improved Performance by Marge Cieri. Cost is \$20 for this expanded presentation and reservations must be received by August 29, 2007.