



Central Iowa NWA

March 8, 2017

Agronomy Hall, Iowa State University
Ames, IA



Minutes

Old Business

- Update to Radar Workshop wireless network
 - Willard has configured equipment
 - Ready for trial run
 - Possibly next week
- Poster Session Materials
 - Mindy has been looking into the different stands
 - Found some possible ones, but they each have a few drawbacks
 - Currently looking into a different option
 - Might have to buy cheap posterboard and use old stands so we can have a more relaxed approach to picking new stands
 - Dave suggests using existing tripods for this year and borrow 6 pieces of insulation for this year
- New Business
 - Registration Team
 - 82 people registered
 - Includes cabinet, invited speakers
 - ISU students will sign up soon
 - Need new photos for cover photo
 - Plans to be at hotel early Thursday for conference prep
 - Need a few volunteers to help set up registration and radar workshop
 - Try to get there between 9-10am
 - Agenda Team
 - Agenda is finalized
 - Haven't gotten a title or abstract yet
 - Looking for a few final session chairs
 - 6 posters
 - Travel Team
 - All flights and room reservations have been made
 - Estimates are around \$5800
 - May go over budget, but we are getting aid from GMC
 - For GMC help, GMC will have to be the ones to pay and we reimburse them
 - Working on transportation/hotel shuttle
 - Promotions/Vendor

- Two ads – one is full page black/white and an all color ad
 - 2/3 vendors
 - Slowly promoting more announcements
 - Electronics
 - Full steam ahead
 - Wireless is ready for radar workshop
 - Emailing speakers to gather presentations and info
 - Contacting hotel soon to get electronics lined up
 - Scholarship/Awards
 - Going through scholarship apps
 - Will make an announcement shortly
 - Radar Workshop
 - Data has been given to Daryl
 - Expected to go well
 - Hotel
 - Basic things lined up for banquet, breaks, dessert
 - Distinguished Member Inductions
 - Frames bought for awards
 - Mention at the beginning of the banquet
- By-Laws Amendment for Cabinet Member Requirements
 - Starting drafting amendment to have cabinet members at 50% of meetings
 - Look into after conference
- Treasurer's Report
 - No major updates
 - No updated balance
 - \$107.84 for 200 lanyards, name tags

NEXT MEETING: April 10-13 somewhere in the DSM area

Attendance

Chris Maiers, Bill Gallus, Willard Sharp, Henry Gronlund, Garrett Starr, Justin Covert, Kyle Hugeback, Dylan Johnson, Chris Tracy, Jon Thielen, Scott Feldman, Caleb Wood, Brian Squiteri, Zane Satre, Sean Spratley, Hannah Johnson, Lindsay Matthews, Dave Flory, Kristy Carter, Mike Cox, Kelsey Angle, Frank Boksa