

TAMPA BAY FIELD BOOK

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**62ND FSMS ANNUAL CONFERENCE
AND TRADE SHOW**

JULY 19 - 22, 2017

FLORIDA SURVEYING & MAPPING SOCIETY

The banner features the Florida Surveying & Mapping Society logo on the left, which includes a map of Florida. Below the text are three images: a modern hotel building at night with a pool, an indoor atrium with a staircase, and a scenic view of a lake and coastline.

Register Now for the Upcoming Conference!

2016 TO 2017 CHAPTER OFFICERS

UPCOMING EVENTS:

PAC Bowling Fund Raiser:
June 24, 2017
Pinchaser's on
Hillsborough Avenue

President Chris Wild, PSM (407) 619-0343 cwild@drmp.com	Vice President Jared Phillips, PSM (727) 324-3180 jphillips@georgefyoung.com	President Elect Open Position Volunteer Needed	Immediate Past President Justin Ferrans, PSM (727) 461-6113 justin@polaris-survey.com
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NEXT MEETING

May Chapter Meeting

Thursday, May 25th, 2017

6:00 pm Social Hour
7:00 pm Meeting and Dinner

Cost: \$20 per person
Cash, Check or Credit Card
accepted (CC will add
nominal processing fee)

Location:

Lee Roy Selmon's at
4302 W. Boy Scout Road, Tampa, FL 33607

Guest Speaker: Rich Clarendon, AICP, Assistant Executive Director from the Hillsborough County Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO).

Mr. Clarendon coordinates the MPO Citizens Advisory Committee, oversees accomplishment of MPO work program and projects, as well as other tasks delegated by the Executive Director. His presentation will focus on the state of the transportation system and specifically the major issues affecting the transportation network here and now (based on a report issued at the end of 2016).

**SECRETARY'S REPORT**

Florida Surveying & Mapping Society, Tri - Chapter Tuesday, March 21st, 2017 Meeting Minutes

Location: Huntington Hills Golf & Country Club, 2626 Duff Road, Lakeland, FL 33810

Meeting Start: 7:04 PM

Persons in Attendance: 30 members for the Tampa Chapter were in attendance; plus many more from the Central Florida and Ridge chapters.

The meeting was called to order with President Chris Wild reading the anti-trust statement.

Limited notes were taken for this meeting as the Central, Ridge and Tampa Bay Chapters covered various limited topics for their respective chapters. Then officers from the FSMS at the state level gave updates and annual conferences.

"The way to get started is to quit talking and begin doing."
- Walt Disney

SECRETARY'S REPORT (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 2)*Florida Surveying & Mapping Society, Tri - Chapter
Thursday, April 27th, 2017 Meeting Minutes*

Location: Lee Roy Selmon's at 4302 W. Boy Scout Road, Tampa, FL 33607

Meeting Start: 6:32 PM

Person's in Attendance: 32 members and guests were in attendance

The meeting was called to order by President Chris Wild, then followed by the pledge and the reading of the anti-trust statement.

SECRETARY'S & TREASURER'S REPORT

Motion #1 - A **motion** was made by Dianne Collins to accept the Secretary's Minutes and Treasurer's Report (submitted by Treasurer Johnny Beland) for February as published in the Tampa Bay Field Book. As there was no discussion on the motion, it was **seconded** by Ed Wackerman and passed unanimously.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT submitted by DIRECTOR JUSTIN FERRANS:

- As of April 12 we have a new executive director. Tom Steckler former director of division of consumer services for 6 years.
- Website has multiple problems and we are in the process of getting them fixed.
- User data base has problem with current members not showing up as members. Please try to login and see if you show up as a current member. Duplicate profiles imported from old data base.
- We are now an affiliate member with the American Association for Geodetic Surveying, Inc. this allow our members to become members of this organization.
- The strategic planning session was held at Plantation Inn in Crystal River and was a very productive time from all accounts.
- May 19-20 is a directors meeting in Tallahassee.
- Nominations for officers are due May 8.
- Nominations for awards are still open for submittal.
- Florida received praise for our National Surveyor's Week proclamations from NSPS. Tampa Bay chapter was able to receive 8 proclamations.



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our realization of
tomorrow will be
our doubts of
today."
- Franklin D.
Roosevelt**

SECRETARY'S REPORT (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3)**CHAPTER COMMITTEE UPDATES**

- Civic/community events – Johnny Beland – Any more events this year? None at this time.
- Special events – Vice-President Jared Phillips
 - Putt-putt event Not being planned this year.
 - Bowling fundraiser 5/20, 5/21, 6/3, 6/4, 6/24, 6/25, 7/8, 7/9
- Programs – President Chris Wild
 - May 25th meeting – Rich Clarendon with Hillsborough (MPO) Metropolitan Planning for Transportation
 - June 22nd meeting – No speaker (conference donations/officer nominations)
 - July 27th meeting – No speakers planned at this time
- Membership – Secretary Charles Arnett – check your status on www.FSMS.org; there have been issues with member status and is being worked on to be corrected. If an issue persists contact the local chapter at fsms.tampabay.chapter@gmail.com
- Historian/photos – Secretary Charles Arnett – Time to collect pictures for year-end presentation; if pictures are available please send to fsms.tampabay.chapter@gmail.com
- Scholarship – Director Justin Ferrans – Tampa bay golf tournament was held and we raised \$13,572.38 and an increase of \$2,256.12 over last year for the scholarship fund.
- Florida Surveyors Week committee – A special thank you Chris McLaughlin for leading volunteers to a successful series of Surveyor's Week Proclamations! (thus ending the committee)

OLD BUSINESS

- CCNA bill in state house (HB 789) – “We have one more week of Session left. Since there is no Senate companion and this bill didn't make it through the committee process, it looks as though it is done. BUT... we never say a bill is dead until the hanky drops and Session is officially over.” –Samantha Hobbs, QAS (Director of Govt. Affairs and Executive Policy at FES/FICE/ACEC of FL)
- FSMS conference – July 19th-22nd in Naples – Dianne gave a thorough update
- Chapter gift card fundraiser for PAC – drawing at May meeting

NEW BUSINESS

Nominations for Officers and Directors at state level (due by May 8th)

Chapter officer positions – President-Elect nomination?

New business from membership?

Motion #2 - A **motion** was made by Dianne Collins to end the meeting. As there was no discussion on the motion, it was **seconded** by Chris McLaughlin and passed unanimously.



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- Franklin D. Roosevelt

TREASURER'S REPORT

March 2017 Treasurer's Report

Tampa Bay Chapter - Florida Surveying & Mapping Society

Treasurer's Report - MARCH 2017

Submitted by: Johnny Beland

Beginning Balance MARCH 1, 2017	\$2,217.61
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Income:

3/22/2017	TRI-CHAPTER MEETING	\$2,227.64	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3/28/2017	TRI-CHAPTER MEETING	\$675.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Total Income:	\$2,902.64	\$5,120.25
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Expenses:

			Check #
3/22/2017	TRI-CHAPTER MEETING DEPOSIT	\$150.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CARD
3/22/2017	TRI-CHAPTER MEETING	\$3,427.05	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 720
			<input type="checkbox"/>

Total Expenses:	\$3,577.05	\$1,543.20
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Balance as of March 31, 2017	\$1,543.20
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✓ - cleared in Bank Statement

Dedicated Funds:

TKF Fund (2016)	\$477.00
SCHOLARSHIP FUND	\$500.00
GALLONS FOR GI'S	\$450.00
Net Cash:	\$116.20

TREASURER'S REPORT

April 2017 Treasurer's Report

Tampa Bay Chapter - Florida Surveying & Mapping Society
 Treasurer's Report - APRIL 2017
 Submitted by: Johnny Beland

Beginning Balance APRIL 1, 2017	\$1,543.20
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Income:

4/11/2017	TRI-CHAPTER MEETING PAYMENT	\$50.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4/21/2017	TRI-CHAPTER MEETING PAYMENT	\$50.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4/28/2017	MONTHLY CHAPTER MEETING DINNER	\$654.98	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4/28/2017	TKF FUND	\$40.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4/28/2017	TRI-CHAPTER MEETING PAYMENT	\$50.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Total Income:	\$844.98	\$2,388.18
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Expenses:

4/7/2017	SCHOLARSHIP FUND	\$500.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	721
4/28/2017	ACCOUNT MAINTENANCE FEE	\$12.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
			<input type="checkbox"/>	

Total Expenses:	\$512.00	\$1,876.18
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Balance as of March 31, 2017	\$1,876.18
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✓ - cleared in Bank Statement

Dedicated Funds:

TKF Fund (2016)	\$517.00
GALLONS FOR GI'S	\$450.00
APRIL DINNER MEETING	\$680.09
Net Cash:	\$229.09

**FSMS MISSION STATEMENT:**

FSMS IS THE SOURCE OF INSPIRATION, MOTIVATION, EMPOWERMENT AND PRIDE FOR SURVEYING AND MAPPING PROFESSIONALS;

FSMS EMBODIES A SPIRIT OF RESPECT; SYNERGISTIC COOPERATION AND COMMITMENT;

THROUGH PUBLIC POLICY, ADVOCACY, EDUCATION AND OTHER MEANS, FSMS PROMOTES THE PROFESSION AND THE INDIVIDUALS IT SERVES.

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