

Board of Directors Meeting Minutes
Conference Call
June 29, 2015 ~ 9:00 a.m.

Attendees: Jim Creel, Jr., Helen Benso, Tony Cox, Sabena Dayton, Brooke Doswell, Marilyn Fore, Mike Hill, Billy Huggins, Yvette Jefferson, Bryan Lewis, Ross Martin, Steve Mays, O'Neil McCoy, Bill McGonigal, Wayne Morris, Monty Morrow, Carla Schuessler, Todd Setzer, Julia Singleton, Phil Vassar, Ted Fortemberry

Staff: Brad Dean, Kelly Hobart, Kelly Ward

Call to Order

- Jim Creel, Jr. called the meeting to order at approximately 9:00 a.m.

Board Discussion

Brad Dean discussed the recent tragic events in Charleston and the General Assembly's plan to begin debate on the possible removal of the confederate flag from the statehouse grounds. He also gave a thorough history of the MBACC's position with regard to the confederate flag when the General Assembly voted to place on the statehouse grounds in 2000. In light of the upcoming debate, he asked the board to revisit the issue.

Helen Benso made a motion to affirm that the MBACC supports removal of the confederate flag from the grounds of the S.C. Statehouse. Billy Huggins seconded the motion. The motion was then approved by all board members present on the call.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at approximately 9:20 a.m.

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