

## **PROPOSED MINUTES**

### **LOUISIANA CLERKS OF COURT ASSOCIATION 73<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE OPENING SESSION THURSDAY, MAY 10, 2018 LAFAYETTE, LA 9:00 A.M.**

The Opening Session of the 73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Louisiana Clerks of Court Conference was held on the above date in Lafayette and called to order by President Rick Arceneaux. Clerk Becky Patin gave the invocation. The National Anthem was sung by Johnny Luquette.

Presentation of Colors: Clerk Randy Deshotel and Clerk Randy Briggs

Steve Andrews, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Host Clerk Diane Meaux Broussard gave welcoming remarks and President Rick Arceneaux introduced the head table and dignitaries.

Governor John Bel Edwards and Treasurer John M. Schroder addressed the members.

Secretary Robin Hooter called the roll and the following were present: Hon. Bridget Hanna, Hon. Brian Lestage, Hon. Mike Spence, Hon. Cherie Cox, Hon. Susan Racca, Hon. Clyde Ray Webber, Jr., Hon. Doug Welborn, Hon. Beatrice Carter, Hon. David Dart, Hon. Randy Deshotel, Hon. Randy Briggs, Hon. Michael Thibodeaux, Hon. Amy Patin, Hon. Laura Culpepper, Hon. Rick Arceneaux, Hon. Annette Fontana, Hon. Steve Andrews, Hon. Kim Turlich-Vaughan, Hon. Robin Hooter, Hon. Tammy Foster, Hon. Shane LeBlanc, Hon. Melissa Henry, Hon. Dodi Eubanks, Hon. Diane Meaux Broussard, Hon. Jeff Skidmore, Hon. Johnny Crain, Jr., Hon. Holli Vining, and Hon. Felicia Ann Hendl.

Also present: Debbie Hudnall.

Steve Andrews, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President recognized retired Clerks that were present.

Brian Lestage, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President recognized Past Presidents of the Clerks Association that were present.

Bridget Hanna, 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President asked for a moment of silence for the deceased Clerks.

Due to the absence of Cliff Dressel, By-Laws Committee Chairman, Rick Arceneaux presented to the membership a proposed amendment for a change of district for St. Landry Parish from District 8 to District 3. He announced that this amendment would be voted on at the Final Session on Friday.

The Nominating Committee Chairman, Steve Andrews reported that the Nominating Committee met on Wednesday, May 9, 2018 and submitted the following list of persons to serve on the respective boards for the year 2018-2019:

**Association Board of Directors**

President - Steve Andrews  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President - Bridget Hanna  
3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President - Robin Hooter  
Secretary - Annette Fontana  
Treasurer - Randy Deshotel  
Historian - Kim Tulich-Vaughan  
Parliamentarian - Cliff Dressel

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President - Brian Lestage  
1<sup>st</sup> District Member - Johnny Crain, Jr.  
2<sup>nd</sup> District Member - Theresa Robichaux  
3<sup>rd</sup> District Member - Louis Perret  
5<sup>th</sup> District Member - Marion Hopkins  
7<sup>th</sup> District Member - Jeff Skidmore  
9<sup>th</sup> District Member - Rodd Naquin

**Retirement Board of Trustees**

President - Steve Andrews  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice President - Brian Lestage  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President - Bridget Hanna  
Treasurer - Randy Deshotel  
Past President - Rick Arceneaux

**Insurance Trust Board of Trustees**

1<sup>st</sup> District Member - Darlene Landry  
3<sup>rd</sup> District Member - Susan Racca  
5<sup>th</sup> District Member - Laura Culpepper  
7<sup>th</sup> District Member - Randy Briggs  
Retired Clerk Member - Dot Lundin

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Clerk Member - Tom Sullivan  
Clerk Member - Mark Graffeo  
Clerk Member - H. Lynn Jones  
Clerk Member - Rick Arceneaux  
Clerk Member - Melissa Henry

Motion made by Holli Vining to accept the recommendations of the Nominating Committee as presented, seconded by Tammy Foster. Motion passed without opposition.

The Harris Family Band entertained the crowd with Cajun music.

Other Business: None

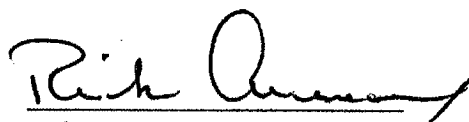
Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted:



Robin Hooter, Secretary

Approved:



Rick Arceneaux, President