

## SOUTHEAST FLORIDA CHAPTER BOARD MEETING MINUTES

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January 14, 2022  
11:30 PM – 12:30 PM EST

I. Call to Order & Roll Call –Christina/Chrissy

2022- 2023 Officers:

Christina Akly – Chair
Laxmana Tallam – Immediate Past Chair
Lee Hoefert – Vice-Chair
Christine (Chrissy) Schaub – Secretary
Chris Spire – Treasurer/Activities Chair
Rhonda Moll – Membership Director
Gordon Brown
Ajaya Satyal
Neshmah Castaneda
Sonia Burkule

\*Yellow Highlights=present

II. Upcoming Events:

a. Treasurer’s update:

- i. Section money has been received and deposited. Balance: \$2916.64 (balance as of end of 2021)
  - 1. We have time to funds to do some activities in 2022. Potentially look at a meeting half way in between Jupiter and Miami.

b. Membership

- i. Rhonda has not received membership list.
  - 1. Kaitlyn is over membership for the FL section.
    - a. Christina will follow up with Kaitlyn to see if she can share this membership lists.
  - 2. Membership drive- suggest make a membership presentation during these presentations.
    - a. Chris has an example presentation and will provide.

c. International and FL Section Updates

- i. AWMA annual international conference is still scheduled for in person in San Francisco for June 2022. Abstracts were due but may extend to Jan 20.
- ii. Lee will reach out to the newest website director on the FL AWMA section board for publishing the page. Goal is to be published before our Feb webinar.

d. Webinars

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- i. PFAS in leachate and air from waste webinar- Rhonda can set up as a Teams call.
    - 1. Rhonda will send out dates with options by Monday.
  - e. Meeting Ideas:
    - i. Action Item: try think of some ideas for meeting in person.
    - ii. Event at recycling/waste center- located by cogen operation for a presentation (West Palm Beach). Chris is still following up about this potential event.
    - iii. Tour of hurricane preparedness with FPL/Nextera. Not pursuing this one for this year.
    - iv. Craig Ash- MSW out on sample road- potential meeting there.
      - 1. Recycling and hazardous waste in person- Hazardous waste collection system- Chris will reach out to Bob Madden and Willie Puz to see if possible to set it up in person event.
    - v. FAU in person meeting where engineering students presented on projects- Chris to reach out to professor (Dan) to see if interested.
      - 1. In the past AWMA hosted a Green building workshop at FAU- really good attendance.
    - vi. For the Feb. meeting will send out the announcement and then follow up with the meeting Teams invite
  - f. New business
    - i. Chris has compiled a spreadsheet with past meetings and details.
- III. Adjourn