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EBC Elder Board – Meeting Minutes

01/04/2022

Attendees: Elders Randy Hutzler, Scott Brunett, Dave Spear, and Frank Mele.

Opening Prayer: Brunett opened us in prayer

New Business:

- The Finance Ministry Team was discussed; it was decided that this team (consisting of the Treasurer and a few qualified volunteers) shall be overseen by a Deacon representative, and also an Elder representative until the team is better established.
- It was decided that all Ministry Teams (which are different than the church's "ministries") shall have proper deacon and/or elder oversight. For the three existing Ministry Teams (1. Finance, 2. Technology, and 3. Facilities), it was decided that the scope of work associated with each team falls under "church operations" and thus shall be primarily overseen by the Deacons. Subsequently, each of the three stated ministry teams shall have at least one Deacon representative on the team.
- It was decided to take photographs of all board members at the Jan 16th "meet and greet" which will be displayed in the church and on the church website.
- Elders unanimously approved the nominees for chair-persons of Deacon and Deaconess boards. Nominees to be approached by Elder board Chair for those chairman positions.
- Hutzler pointed out that the Care Team and Welcome Team share several commonalities in terms of how they connect with and care for our attendees--and thus may benefit from oversight and support similar to our other Ministry Teams
- Possible serving opportunities were discussed for the Deaconess board.

Closing prayer: Spear closed our meeting in prayer

Next Meeting: Tues, Jan 18th @ 6:30pm