Legislative Administrator Committee Meeting Minutes

2019 ASLCS Professional Development Seminar
Seattle, Wash.
Thursday, Sept. 26, 2019

Call to Order
The meeting of the Legislative Administrator committee was called to order by Ann Marie Walp (Tenn.), chair.

Attendance
The following members of the committee were present: Nanette Mitchell (Tenn.), vice chair; Heshani Wijemanne (Calif.), vice chair; Sarah Schaben (Mo.), G. Paul Nardo (Va.), Mandi McGowan (Ore.), Donna Holiday (Ky.), Bernadette McNulty (Calif.), Felisha Brown (Miss.), Julieanna McManus (Nev.), Steven Tilley (La.) and Sarah Curry (Ore.).

Also in attendance: Lisa M. Ortiz McCutcheon (N.M.), Xris Hess (W.Va.), Megan Selin Allen (Utah), Jamie Oswalt (Ala.), Blair Hill (Ala.), and Jon Bellamy (Fla.).

Approval of Minutes
Upon motion by Bernadette McNulty (Calif.), seconded by Lisa M. Ortiz McCutcheon (N.M.), the minutes from the meeting held on August 5, 2019, at the NCSL Legislative Summit in Nashville, Tennessee were approved.

Old Business
Chair Ann Marie Walp (Tenn.), discussed the success of the last two issues and the new look of the publication, which has been well received. She mentioned that we will likely switch to another type of printing paper with the next issue.

New Business
The committee discussed the layout of the next issue. The chair asked if there were any committee members that would be interested in laying out the next issue. Sarah Curry (Ore.) volunteered to work on the layout for the next issue of the Legislative Administrator.

The committee then discussed the process of obtaining pictures for the publication. Steven Tilley (La.) said he is working on getting an official Amazon photo-sharing group set up for ASLCS and suggested that people feel free to join. The committee agreed that this photo-sharing group would be a great resource for the Legislative Administrator. Steven Tilley (La.) also suggested a photo contest for the Legislative Administrator.

President-Elect Paul Smith (N.H.) stopped by the committee meeting to thank the members for their effort. He also encouraged the committee to “throw open the books” as we move forward into the next year.
Chair Ann Marie Walp (Tenn.), is anticipating the next issue to be out by January 2020. There was some discussion about potential articles in upcoming issues, including bringing back Ask Mr. Mason. The chair encouraged all that were interested in writing a piece to send their work her way.

**Adjournment**
Upon a motion by Bernadette McNulty (Calif.), seconded by Steven Tilley (La.), the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Heshani Wijemanne (Calif.), vice chair