

**INVER GROVE HEIGHTS SOCCER ASSOCIATION  
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

**January 26, 2020**  
9716 Benjamin Trail, IGH

| NAME                                       | Attended | NAME                                    | Attended |
|--|----------|---|----------|
| Vacant: Boys' Coordinator                  |          | Hocking, Dan: Treasurer                 |          |
| Boughton, Dan: Girls' Coordinator          |          | Kryzer, Erin: Uniforms                  |          |
| Brown, Jared: Referee Coordinator          |          | Peterson, Jessica: Secretary            |          |
| Dayus, Westley: Director of Development    |          | Rojas-Cardona, Gabriel: President       | X        |
| Deutsch, Larry: Website                    |          | Somvong, Deanna: Fundraiser Coordinator |          |
| Eckstrom, Julie: Vice President            | X        | Spiewak, Brian: Risk Coordinator        | X        |
| Fredeen, Jon: Registrar                    | X        | Tambornino, Peg: Gaming Coordinator     |          |
| Gullerud, Joe: Field Coordinator           |          | Vacant: Equipment Manager               |          |
| Hatcher, Trina: Communications Coordinator | X        |   |          |
| <b>MEETING GUESTS:</b>                     |          |   |          |
| None                                       |          |   |          |

Begin Meeting 6:05p.m.

**TCSL information review/discussion and next steps**

- On 1/24/20 information sent out to the Heat Board regarding the discussion that Westley and Gabe had with Matt Tiano, president of the Twin Cities Soccer League (TCSL) on Monday, 1/20/2020. A copy of a Q&A document between TCSL and Westley was also emailed.
- The information was discussed to help determine whether our association should submit the form to be accepted into the TCSL.
  - As discussed in previous Board meetings, if we are accepted we would look to sign up with TCSL the non-League One teams and the grass roots teams, but final list of teams would not be provided until the team registration deadline, since we still have a couple of teams that require formation decisions by the Board (at our February 9 meeting).
- A unanimous decision was made to apply for admittance to TCSL. The key reasons are that:
  - Teams in communities near IGH are in TCSL and this should allow us to reduce the distance that teams travel when playing away games. This has been a major area of concern in the association.
  - Several parents have expressed interest and have asked why we are not joining TCSL like all the other clubs. If accepted, this will allow us to experience TCSL first-hand so we can use this experience to guide our future decisions regarding team placements (MYSA vs TCSL).
- Next steps:
  - First, submit the TCSL application form (via URL that Matt provided) asap. (Jon)
  - Second, after we have receive a response from TCSL, we will issue an update to all IGH association members.

6:35 p.m. Adjourn Meeting