Winter Delegate Session 2019 AGENDA

February 2, 2019 Waynesboro Mennonite Church 1801 Monroe St, Waynesboro, VA

8:00 AM Coffee and Pastries

8:30 AM **Call to Order & Welcome**: Elroy Miller, Moderator

Introduction of Fraternal Guests: Clyde Kratz, Executive Conference Minister

Review and Approval of Minutes from July 2018 Delegate Session: Edith Shenk Kuhns, Secretary (Doc 01:S18 Assem Minutes attached) **ACTION NEEDED**

Recommendation: On motion the minutes of the July 2018 Summer Delegate Session are approved as submitted.

Worship & Equipping

8:45 AM **Worship**: H. Michael Shenk III

9:00 AM "The Church: A Peculiar People for the World": David Boshart, Moderator –

MC USA

9:45 AM **Table Discussion**

10:15 AM Break

Discernment

10:45 AM **Restructure for Mission Committee Report:** Elroy

11:00 AM **Reflection on Restructure for Mission:** Deb Horst, assistant moderator

(Doc 02: RFM Recomm; 03: Bylaw Recs; Doc 04: org chart) **ACTION NEEDED**

RECOMMENDATION. On motion Delegates recommend that the action regarding "Recommendations for Overall Design for VMC" be affirmed by a 66% vote of affirmation taken by ballot.

RECOMMENDATION. On motion Delegates affirm the vision and clarifications outlined in the "Recommendations for Overall Design for VMC" directing the Constitution & Bylaws Committee to draft revisions to the VMC Bylaws.

Noon Recess for Lunch

Equipping & Discernment

1:00 PM **Report from Executive Conference Minister:** Clyde

MDS opportunity presentation

1:15 PM Conference Council Report: Elroy 1:30 PM Navigating Misconduct: Clyde

1:45 PM **Affirmations & Concerns on Navigating Misconduct** (Doc 05: Navigating

Ministerial Misconduct attached) ACTION NEEDED

RECOMMENDATION. On motion Delegates recommend that the action regarding "Navigating Ministerial Misconduct" document be affirmed by a 66% vote of affirmation taken by ballot.

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RECOMMENDATION: On motion, effective February 3, 2019, Virginia Mennonite Conference leaders will utilize the policies and procedures represented in Navigating Ministerial Misconduct.

2:15 PM **Reports**

- Commission Reports
 - o FLC: Roy D. Hange, Acting Chair (Doc 06: FLC report attached)
 - Congregational Life Commission: James Musser, Chair (Doc 07: CLC report attached)
 - o VMMissions: Aaron Kauffman, President
- Committee Reports
 - Treasurer's Report: Scott Beachy, Treasurer (Doc 08: financial report attached)
 - Historical Committee: Tim Jost, chair (Doc 09: historical committee Report attached)

3:00 PM Worship

3:25 PM **Prayer and Adjourn**

Delegate Calendar

July 18-20, 2019 2019 Summer Assembly

Thursday & Friday evening worship services at Lindale Mennonite

Church

Location for delegate session: to be confirmed

February 1, 2020 Winter Delegate Session