

The Michigan Assembly

General Assembly Meeting

Minutes



Date: May 6, 2025

General Assembly Meeting

7:00pm – 8:20pm

Welcome

Opening Prayer (Amy Hunt)
Bivens Decision (Kenny Fisher)
Meeting Protocol (Kenny Fisher)

Reports

Treasury, by Mark Steinke

- Balance in accounts: **\$3,954.03**
- Summary: Treasury report shared (attached). The Treasury Committee continues reviewing the guidelines, finishing up the Procurement Committee section. Working on requisition forms and purchase orders. Will be reviewing the entire guidelines on May 13th. (Recording 00:05:00)

Records Committee, by Amy Hunt

- Summary: The Records Committee is discussing what records to keep (paper and electronic); where and how they are kept. Reviewed GA Meeting Minutes and Agenda protocol; agreed to go back to basics. Working on guidelines. Recording assets (printer and hard drives). Mary Klukowski did her Recording Secretary Affirmation, with Kenny Fisher and Kimberly Mayer Watling as witnesses. (00:09:38 and 00:18:21)

Education Committee, by Richard Saroni

- Summary: Uploaded an article called “*Taxes + the IRS*” on <https://mymichiganassembly.land> to coincide with the new promotional business cards for outreach. Mentioned a book titled “The Law That Never Was” by Bill Benson about the 16th Amendment, plus an IRS memo, as references. (Recording 00:15:30)

New Member Orientation, by Amy Hunt

- Summary: Thank you, GA, for the constructive feedback on the presentation shared at the Special Session meeting on April 29th. New Member Orientation will occur once a month. No new members this week. Sadly, Amy Pethers is honorably withdrawing from the Michigan Assembly as she is no longer domiciled on Michigan. Amy Hunt read a letter to The Michigan Assembly from Amy Pethers, and several members expressed their well wishes and blessings. (Recording 00:20:55)

Orientation/Freedom Guides, by Kimberly Watling

- Summary: Outreach: The two promotional business cards are ordered and on their way! Donations for the cards are still accepted via the website; how to do that was demonstrated. GA business cards are also being worked on; please contact Kimberly or attend the committee meeting for those details. Anna’s birthday is a month away (June 6th); contact Kimberly if you want to assist with that. (Recording 00:26:40)

Ombudsman, by Debra-Ann Garcia Wagner

- Summary: Shared how donations can be made on the website for Ombudsman Training. Working on the organizational side of the Michigan Ombudsman Committee during the International Think Tank meetings. The operational side is complete with the Reconciliation documents. When Michigan meetings resume Debra-Ann will communicate the dates and times. (Recording 00:30:50)

Oversight, by Elsa Carpenter Peck

- Summary: No report. Meeting this Thursday at 10:30am on Zoom. (Recording 00:33:50)

Peacekeepers on Michigan, by Kenny Fisher

- Summary: The Decorum Guidelines will continue to be worked on next Tuesday, May 13th at 4pm using the Michigan Peacekeepers Zoom link. The use of the *asterisk* in front of names when voting continues to

be discussed. Debra-Ann Garcia Wagner has offered to write a letter of authenticity for the PKTF Liaison and MAA to show the State of State employees; Aaron Stoddart-Cordova will assist. The letter will be presented to the GA for approval ahead of and during the May 20th business meeting. (Recording 00:34:30)

Vetting, by Rick Worden

- Summary: No report. Meetings are now once a month, the first Thursday of the month, at 9am. Open to anyone from The Michigan Assembly who is interested in vetting. (Recording 00:43:50)

Information Technology & Communications, by Jan Buzard

- Summary: Working on the IT & Communications Guidelines. The “Members Only” website is done. A Special Session where Jan will demonstrate how the “Members Only” website works is scheduled for next Tuesday May 13th at 7pm. All Michigan Assembly members are encouraged to attend. (Recording 00:44:50)

Jural Assembly Working Group, by Nigel Turtle

- Summary: Last two weeks have been focused on the Jural Assembly (JA) Committees, including the requirements and qualifications for Chairs and Members of those committees. Starting to look at the Jural Assembly Roles and Courts being established underneath the JA. (Recording 00:48:00)

General Assembly Working Group, by Rick Worden

- Summary: Working on guidance documents and how proposals come to the General Assembly. Everyone is welcome to help us with the work. (Recording 00:49:40)

PKTF Liaison, by Kimberly Watling

- Summary: PKTF Liaison training continues and all are welcome; contact Kimberly with questions; next meeting is this Saturday at 7:30pm. Great basic training for everyone in peacekeeping, common law government and the interactions with the sub-contractor government. The PKTF Training Reference Guide is being upgraded. Radios are available for anyone who would like one, including Spain. (Recording 00:50:22)

Coordinator Updates, by Amy Hunt

- In the Sunday Coordinator meeting, we are going through an updated How To Build an Assembly guide.
- Looking for these committee chairs: Outreach, New Member Orientation, Records. Please see Amy if interested.
- The Federation is getting ready to send out LRO distributions for 2024
- Read parts of two emails from GFG (recording 00:56:18)

In Process Items

- **Outreach Welcome Letter to ASNs on Michigan** (Amy Hunt & Kimberly Watling, Outreach and New Member Orientation Committees)
 - Proposal Designation: **20250404NM-01-V2** (Recording 01:05:50)
 - *Shall we outreach to Michigan ASNs recorded on the LRO who we have not heard from in the last year and in good standing, to invite them to join The Michigan Assembly via a mailed paper letter?* YES or NO
 - The proposal was updated to include plans to include an invite to a 6pm public call on June 10th, 2025.
 - Proposal language was placed in the chat at time stamp 01:18:07
 - RESULTS from MAA: **YES = 15**; NO = 3; Abstain = 1 **PASSED**

Minutes prepared by:

Linda Steinke

5/7/25

Attachments

Treasury Report
Proposal: 20250404NM-01-V2 FINAL
Zoom attendance
GA zoom votes from the MAA
Zoom Chat

Meeting Recording Link

- <https://rumble.com/v6t2tgb--0041-the-michigan-assembly-general-assembly-meeting-may-6-2025.html>

Treasury Report for The Michigan Assembly

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Date	Description	In	Out	Balance
05/17/2024	Cash App set up	\$0.00		\$0.00
11/05/2024	Balance at CashApp	\$140.00	-\$1,000.00	\$1,787.86
11/19/2024	Balance at CashApp	\$35.00	-\$5.80	\$1,817.06
12/03/2024	Balance at CashApp	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,817.06
12/17/2024	Balance at CashApp	\$80.00	-\$214.20	\$1,682.86
01/07/2025	Balance at CashApp	\$115.00	-\$12.00	\$1,785.86
01/21/2025	Balance at CashApp	\$53.71	-\$17.80	\$1,821.77
02/04/2025	Balance at CashApp	\$385.00	-\$300.00	\$1,906.77
02/18/2025	Balance at Cash App	\$217.00	-\$5.80	\$2,117.97
03/04/2025	Balance at CashApp	\$295.00	\$0.00	\$2,412.97
03/18/2025	Balance at CashApp	\$725.00	-\$8.80	\$3,129.17
04/01/2025	Balance at CashApp	\$117.77	-\$263.13	\$2,983.81
04/15/2025	Balance at CashApp	\$63.00	-\$1,126.72	\$1,920.09
04/18/2025	Rubber Stamps & Button C		-\$89.85	
04/18/2025	Rubber Stamps & Button C		-\$244.80	
04/18/2025	Rubber Stamps & Button C		-\$197.20	
04/30/2025	Vista Print		-\$604.18	
05/05/2025	Ionos		-\$17.00	
05/06/2025	Balance at Cash App	\$0.00	-\$1,153.03	\$767.06

01/07/2025	Balance at Fifth Third	\$600.00	-\$177.03	\$1,222.97
01/21/2025	Balance at Fifth Third	\$200.00	-\$54.97	\$1,368.00
02/04/2025	Balance at Fifth Third			\$1,938.00
02/18/2025	Balance at Fifth Third			\$1,938.00
03/04/2025	Balance at Fifth Third	\$332.78		\$2,270.78
03/18/2025	Balance at Fifth Third	\$16.27		\$2,287.05
04/01/2025	Balance at Fifth Third	\$533.97		\$2,821.02
04/15/2025	Balance at Fifth Third	\$328.62		\$3,149.64
04/21/2025	Donation and publishing fee	\$27.92		
05/05/2025	Donation and publishing fee	\$9.41		
05/06/2025	Balance at Fifth Third	\$37.33		\$3,186.97

05/06/2025 CURRENT BALANCE **\$3,954.03**

Designations approved by the General Assembly:

Balance of Approved Committee Budgets 2024	\$0.00
Balance of Approved Committee Budgets 2025	\$1,426.93
Donations to PKTF from Michigan	\$0.00
Donations to Anna from Michigan	\$0.00
Donation for Ombudsman training	\$97.00
Donation for Outreach Business Cards	\$0.00
Pay it forward	\$500.00
Elsa Carpenter Peck (computer)	\$600.00
Total Designated Funds	\$2,623.93

Remaining after Designated Funds:

\$1,330.10

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Agenda Proposal



1) Proposal Designation: **20250404NM-01-V2**

2) Proposal Working Title: **Outreach Welcome Letter to ASNs on Michigan**

3) **Proposal Language:** Shall we outreach to Michigan ASNs recorded on the LRO who we have not heard from in the last year and in good standing, to invite them to join The Michigan Assembly, General Assembly In Session, using the letter shown/attached with an approximate cost of \$200?

GA: Please approve the funds ~\$200.00 for mailing via USPS.

4) **Describe how this proposal serves and/or protects the people on Michigan:** It will grow our assembly with people who have already been on the land and soil for a period of time and are eligible or close to being eligible to join The General Assembly. Having more men and women gives us power to reconstruct our 4 pillars. More people means a government of the people working to Standing for Seament more quickly! It means Remedies! It means Our Courts! It means of, by and for the people in peace and goodness for all.

5) **Sponsors:** Amy Hunt and Kimberly Watling

6) **Assemblymen who worked on the proposal:** Amy Hunt, Jan Buzard, Richard Saroni, Debra-Ann Garcia-Wagner, Dolores Rubio-Fernandez, Kenneth Fisher, Kimberly Watling.

7) **Activity**

Proposal Written Date:	April 4, 2025
Proposal Read at the GA Date:	April 15, 2025
Committee Delegated to, Instructions, and Vote Result:	New Membership Orientation/Outreach
Reconsidered Date:	May 6, 2025
Disposition and Vote Result:	May 6, 2025 VOTED: YES=15 NO=3 Abstain=1

PASSED

8) **Support from other Committees:** Outreach, Orientation, Education, Recording Secretary, Marshal At Arms Office, Ombuds, Oversight, Treasury, Litigation, Vetting, IT Communications, PKTF.

9) **Treasury Opinion and Funds Supported:** approximately ~\$200.00

Project: Letter to ASNs on Michigan, Inviting them to join the assembly

Items Needed:

- 1 ream 24# paper (adjusted, need to get locally for speed in getting letters mailed in advance to autographer's unable to meet) \$22.00
- 220 First Class Stamps \$160.00
- 220 2¢ stamps \$5.00
- **TOTAL \$186.00**

Items people to contribute:

- Each committee chair or assign to contribute a small supply of envelopes. Fill out 20 envelopes (estimated) and bring along.
- Debra-Ann to bring gold pens.
- Jan and Elsa to bring printing paper
- Amy to bring blue pens, assembly printer/scanner, thumb drive and laptop (just in case we need to scan things), return address stickers (have lots on hand that are quite old), red ink stamps. Amy would like to purchase these items as soon as possible.

10) Dissenting Views and their Consideration: Concern regarding opening to ASNs who may have grievance and or wish to cause harm in some way to The Michigan Assembly in retaliation.

11) Notes:

Outreach Welcome Letter to ASNs on Michigan will Announce The Michigan Assembly, General Assembly unincorporated is in session and inform and call all existing ASNs who may not know our 'In Session" status and they are recorded on the LRO - from all iterations - of The Michigan Assembly domiciled on Michigan, to Assemble! Each ASN on Michigan recorded on the LRO and in good standing will receive upon GA approval, a color copy of this one page letter autographed by The Michigan Assembly men and women in elected, appointed, affirmed Committee Chairs/service role. Also to be included in envelope (weight depending for 1 stamp): samples of the newly approved TMA promotional business cards and a reminder/invitation slip to join us June 10, 2025 for an Open Zoom Meet and Greet at 6pm.

The letter is intended in Land and Soil, sending approximately 200 unique envelopes using #10 envelope via USPS with .73 cent stamp (upper right) and .02 cent (lower right with gold autograph canceling), presented with a hand written address of the ASN intended (central) and TMA Return Address sticker: The Michigan Assembly In Care Of: PO Box 7081 Grand Rapids, Michigan [49510] (upper left).

Amendments possible:

The date shown in the sample letter will be updated to actual date at time of sending, currently estimated for June 2025. Simple formatting adjustments or corrections, for accuracy and best esthetic layout may occur.

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05/06/2025 05:50:26 PM - 05/06/2025 08:27:13 PM

Name (original name)	Duration
*Debra-Ann GarciaWagner	142
Amy Kendall on Michigsn	131
*René McGuigan©	104
*Dolores on Michigan & on Spain	83
*Kenny Fisher/MAA	90
*Rick Worden - Midland County	94
*Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN	142
*Aaron Stoddart-Cordova	54
Paul Merriweather	30
*Jan Buzard, Washtenaw, Michigan	157
*Mark & *Linda Steinke, Alger County, Michigan	90
*Mary Klukowski / Michigan	35
charlesraffoul	85
Bob *troy brown Wayne/Michigan	156
*Amy Hunt on Kent County, Michigan	85
Jeff Barth	58
*Richard Saroni - Kalamazoo, Michigan	153
*Mariana & *Michael Forrest, Oakland	85
*Brent Alan Barth / Lenawee County Michigan	88
*Anthony Foxx-Macomb	86
*Michelle Gerard On Michigan	20
*Mary Klukowski© on Michigan	54
*Elsa Carpenter-Peck	81

15 YES
3 NO
1 ABSTAIN

*Amy Hunt on Kent County, Michigan to Everyone 8:20 PM

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Assembly via a mailed paper letter? YES or NO

Verified by Marshal of Arms Office

*Michelle Gerard On Michigan to Everyone 8:20 PM

NO

*Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN to Everyone 8:20 PM

yes, please

*charlesraffoul to Everyone 8:20 PM

Yes

*Mary Klukowski / Michigan to Everyone 8:20 PM

Yes

*Mariana & *Michael Forrest, Oakland to Everyone 8:20 PM

Mariana - No

*Anthony Foxx-Macomb to Everyone 8:20 PM

yes

You to Everyone 8:20 PM

yes

*Jan Buzard, Washtenaw, Michigan to Everyone 8:20 PM

yes

*Elsa Carpenter-Peck to Everyone 8:20 PM

Yes

*Debra-Ann GarciaWagner on Washtenaw to Everyone 8:20 PM

Yes

***Rick Worden - Midland County** to Everyone 8:20 PM

Yes

***René McGuigan©** to Everyone 8:20 PM

yes

***Richard Saroni - Kalamazoo, Michigan** to Everyone 8:20 PM

yes

***Mariana & *Michael Forrest, Oakland** to Everyone 8:20 PM

Michael - No

***Aaron Stoddart-Cordova** to Everyone 8:20 PM

abstain

***Nigel on Michigan** to Everyone 8:20 PM

Yes from Nigel

***Mark & *Linda Steinke, Alger County, Michigan** to Everyone 8:20 PM

Mark - Yes

Linda - Yes

***Amy Hunt on Kent County, Michigan** to Everyone 8:21 PM

Yes

VOTE END

18:59:08 From *Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN to Everyone:
Hi Anthony and sweet girl! 

19:04:08 From Bob *troy brown Wayne/Michigan to Everyone:
NUBWO noise canceling headphones cheap and are decently comparable in performance to high end

19:04:45 From *Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN to Everyone:
Good Evening. Hi Charlie - can you please adjust your appellation with an Asterisk for the vote tonight? thank you.) Helps MAA count the votes.
*Kenny Fisher/MAA: 

19:05:04 From *charlesraffoul to Everyone:
ok
*Kenny Fisher/MAA: 
*Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN: 

19:05:16 From *Anthony Foxx-Macomb to Everyone:
Replying to "Hi Anthony and sweet girl! ":
Hello Kimberly! yeah shes a sweetie lol.
*Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN: 

19:05:43 From *Anthony Foxx-Macomb to Everyone:
Replying to "Hi Anthony and sweet girl! ":
We just got in from riding her bike. No training wheels!

19:20:12 From *René McGuigan© to Everyone:
They are hiding the cheese Richard

19:20:16 From *René McGuigan© to Everyone:
it

19:20:21 From *René McGuigan© to Everyone:
It is a real case

19:20:52 From *Richard Saroni - Kalamazoo, Michigan to Everyone:
Any info on that case ?

19:22:52 From *Kenny Fisher/MAA to Everyone:
Thank you Mary, you're a blessing to us all. Thank you for your service.

19:23:08 From *Brent Alan Barth / Lenawee County Michigan to Everyone:
Thank you Mary!!!

19:23:08 From *Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN to Everyone:
Congratulations Mary! Thank you for your very valuable service and all our Recording Secretary's ! We love you and are grateful!
*René McGuigan©: 

19:37:37 From *Brent Alan Barth / Lenawee County Michigan to Everyone:
I think my brother Jeff is in the waiting room.....he lost a signal

19:37:44 From *Brent Alan Barth / Lenawee County Michigan to Everyone:
Thank you
*Mark & *Linda Steinke, Alger County, Michigan: 

19:51:20 From *Mark & *Linda Steinke, Alger County, Michigan to Everyone:
Replying to "I think my brother Jeff is in the waiting room.....":
Is he still in the waiting room, Brent?

19:52:22 From *Kenny Fisher/MAA to Everyone:
Replying to "I think my brother Jeff is in the waiting room.....":
@*Mark & *Linda Steinke, Alger County, Michigan No, hasn't been there
*Mark & *Linda Steinke, Alger County, Michigan:👉

19:53:42 From *Mark & *Linda Steinke, Alger County, Michigan to Everyone:
Replying to "I think my brother Jeff is in the waiting room.....":
Thanks, Kenny!
*Kenny Fisher/MAA:👉

20:06:52 From *Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN to Everyone:
Anthony, thank you for your suggestion to use our affirmations. I will ask
for a sealed copy of mine as we are not holding our wet ink copy's - these are held
by records. I am grateful for your suggestion. kinda a duh ... and, I missed it!
thank you appreciate fresh eyes!! 🙏😊
*Debra-Ann GarciaWagner on Washtenaw:👉

20:07:40 From *Anthony Foxx-Macomb to Everyone:
I believe that was Aaron

20:08:07 From *Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN to Everyone:
Replying to "I believe that was Aaron":
well I just appreciate it and thank you. need some sleep lol

20:08:48 From *Anthony Foxx-Macomb to Everyone:
Replying to "I believe that was Aaron":
no problem Kimberly.

20:11:01 From *Elsa Carpenter-Peck to Everyone:
June 6th

20:11:36 From *Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN to Everyone:
June 10, 2025

20:14:31 From *Michelle Gerard On Michigan to Everyone:
That doesn't make since to give the recording secretaries more work

20:17:30 From *Michelle Gerard On Michigan to Everyone:
I only allowed my email to be public
*Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN:👉

20:19:14 From *Aaron Stoddart-Cordova to Everyone:
Anyone concerned with exposing their private address Should be using "c/o
Rural Free Delivery[00000]"
*René McGuigan@:👉

20:20:23 From *Amy Hunt on Kent County, Michigan to Everyone:
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20:20:24 From *Michelle Gerard On Michigan to Everyone:
NO

20:20:26 From *charlesraffoul to Everyone:
Yes

20:20:25 From *Kimberly Watling - Ottawa Michigan ASN to Everyone:
yes, please

20:20:38 From *Aaron Stoddart-Cordova to Everyone:
abstain

20:20:26 From *Mary Klukowski / Michigan to Everyone:
Yes

20:20:28 From *Mariana & *Michael Forrest, Oakland to Everyone:
Mariana - No

20:20:28 From *Jan Buzard, Washtenaw, Michigan to Everyone:
yes

20:20:28 From *Kenny Fisher/MAA to Everyone:
yes

20:20:29 From *Debra-Ann GarciaWagner on Washtenaw to Everyone:
Yes

20:20:28 From *Anthony Foxx-Macomb to Everyone:
yes

20:20:28 From *Elsa Carpenter-Peck to Everyone:
Yes

20:20:29 From *Rick Worden - Midland County to Everyone:
Yes

20:20:32 From *René McGuigan© to Everyone:
yes

20:20:34 From *Richard Saroni - Kalamazoo, Michigan to Everyone:
yes

20:20:37 From *Mariana & *Michael Forrest, Oakland to Everyone:
Michael - No

20:20:38 From *Nigel on Michigan to Everyone:
Yes from Nigel

20:20:39 From *Mark & *Linda Steinke, Alger County, Michigan to Everyone:
Mark - Yes

20:20:45 From *Mark & *Linda Steinke, Alger County, Michigan to Everyone:
Linda - Yes

20:21:16 From *Amy Hunt on Kent County, Michigan to Everyone:
Yes

20:21:47 From *Amy Hunt on Kent County, Michigan to Everyone:
VOTE END

20:22:26 From *René McGuigan© to Everyone:
I'm just now noticing that you sound funny Amy

20:26:47 From *René McGuigan© to Everyone:
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