**SOUTH DAKOTA DENTAL HYGIENISTS’ ASSOCIATION**

**POST-BOARD EXECUTIVE BUSINESS MEETING**

**OFFICIAL MINUTES**

**Thursday, May 13th, 2021**

The Post-Board Executive Board Meeting of the SDDHA was held Thursday, May 13, at 4:00 PM mountain time; 5:00 PM central time via virtual Zoom meeting, the President being in the chair and the Secretary being present. The meeting was called to order at 4:06 PM mountain time; 5:06 PM central time by President Carissa Regnerus and introductions were given. A quorum was established with Carissa Regnerus, Katie Williams, Tasha Wendel, Hailey Bruggeman, Krysta Novak, Tia Meyer, & Abby Schiley attending the meeting as SDDHA members. The agenda was reviewed and approved. The Pre-Board minutes were reviewed and approved.

The ADHA President & District VII Trustee addressed the board via recording and SDDHA members about the 2021 ADHA objectives.

Treasurer Schiley presented the 2020 – 2021 Treasurer’s Report. The year was profitable even with no Annual Sessions due to COVID19. Anyone can contact Schiley to see more information about the report.

Legislative Chair Krysta Novak read her report about Lobby Day 2021. As a board we supported dental hygienist to become mandatory reporters on a bill that was in legislation. The bill has since been passed and will be put into effect in July 2021. SDDHA member Pat Alyward recommended that we try to submit Lobby Day to the South Dakota Dental Board to get continuing education credits for the event. Lobby Day 2022 will be January 31st.

The SDDHA Dental Hygienist of the Year is Carissa Regnerus. She was nominated by Schiley and was approved by the SDDHA board.

Meyer installed all new SDDHA Officers. The SDDHA Board is as follows:

Past President: Carissa Regnerus

Eastern CE Coordinator: Angela Hall

Historian: Caitlyn Lint

Legislative Chair: Krysta Novak

Treasurer: Abby Schiley

Vice President: Cori Jacobson

President: Tasha Wendel

President Elect: Hailey Bruggeman

Western CE Coordinator: McKenna Larsen

Information Officer: Vacant

Wendel addressed the board and members as the new SDDHA president and presented her theme for the year: Empowering Hygienists.

Meeting was adjourned by President Regnerus at 4:56 PM mountain time, 5:56 PM central time.