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ISRT Winter Telephone Board Meeting February 6, 2010

In attendance: **Larry Stoller, David Brinegar, Rikki Waller, Kristin Graves, Candice Moore, Mike Gurr, Bill Hanson, Joel Rogers, Gayla Staker**

Meeting called to order at 4:34pm MST

Motion made, seconded and passed to approve the Fall Board Meeting Minutes.

President's Report: The President has been in contact with Dana Aragon from ASRT. We are current in all that is asked from us until March 31. We then begin a new year of collecting information to submit, e.g. tax forms, election results, state compliance, conference information, financial report, and election results. The President would like to see if we can get a representative for SEISRT. Possibly placing an invite in our publication or online front page information could draw some attention. Pocatello would be a grand location for the next site, if not we are back to either Lewiston or Boise. Leadership academy is still down until 2011. ASRT Delegates were submitted this past week, with an opening for an alternate. It was decided that the current Secretary would be the Alternate Delegate. RadTech week was a success with providing pizza to the different schools. It was mentioned that it would be great if this can be a yearly committal to our soon to be new professionals. It was suggested putting together a power point or slideshow of pictures from the Conference to show the students while they eat. It was also discussed encouraging students to enter the essay and exhibits. RT in D.C. is March 7th to 9th, registration must be submitted by February 7th, this also includes the hotel registration. It was decided by the Board to not participate this year. It was discussed having a petition to send to Legislators. It was mentioned that techs can go to the ASRT website to obtain sample letters to mail.

President Elect's Report: The President-Elect has written an editorial type piece regarding minimum standards in medical imaging. She sent it to the Boise Weekly but hasn't heard back. The President-Elect contacted Joie Burns at BSU. They are still storing a big ISRT banner there. The President-Elect wrote a letter urging RT's to contact her regarding issues. This is to be published in Scattered Radiation. It was asked about plaques versus certificates for the officers. It was decided that the President-Elect will make that decision.

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Treasurer/Membership Report: emailed to Board. Motion made, seconded, and passed to approve 2010 budget. There has been a good response to the emails sent out regarding membership.

Historian Report: None at this time

Scattered Radiation Report: The next issue will be sent out shortly and will contain notice of Bylaw changes to be posted on the website.

District Reports

NISRT: emailed to Board

SWISRT: Contacted by BSU students regarding putting on a winter mini-seminar. It was suggested that we keep in mind that these seminars could potentially take away attendance from the ISRT Conference.

SCISRT: Conference preparations underway. The ISRT vests were discussed.

Public Awareness Report: It was suggested using a publication to advertise our profession and inform the public. It was also recommended utilizing the Image Gently campaign as a service to the public. It was discussed using social networking for free advertising. Other ideas included putting a clever video on YouTube demonstrating the importance of qualified professionals administering radiation or a funny public service announcement promoting public awareness. Motion made, seconded, and passed to offer a cash prize for a video contest between schools, with the entries being shown at the Conference.

2010 Conference Report: Waiting for a couple more speakers. There will be a trip to Jackpot on Friday.

Old Business: We are still in need of a Nominating Committee. Nominations will have to be taken from the floor. The President-Elect will look into prices for ISRT lanyards.

Motion made, seconded and passed to adjourn meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 6:11pm MST

Submitted by Candice Moore BSRS, R.T. (R)(M)
ISRT Secretary