

**APPROVED  
MIGRA  
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING  
APRIL 5, 2009  
Hayloft Saloon  
8070 Greenfield Road, Detroit, MI**

The President called the meeting to order at 3:16 PM. 8 members of 44 members present.

Brian moved to accept the agenda as submitted. Motion carried.

Motion to approve the minutes of the March meeting. (Don; Eric) Motion carried.

## **REPORTS**

### **President**

Leroy announced that he is now President since Mel did resign. He will fulfill the duties until the end of the President's term. Taxes are complete. Valetta donated the cost of the printing for the newsletters. Newsletter ideas can be sent to Juli for the next one by May 31<sup>st</sup>. He showed a video put out by IGRA about Rodeo. Put into place the Board of Directors for this year who have previously been involved in these types of positions. Main objective: rodeo and evens outside of bars

### **Vice President**

See written report

### **Secretary**

See written report.

### **Treasurer**

See written report

### **IGRA Trustee**

Finals in Nevada. Next IGRA Board meeting will be in Palm Springs, Convention 2009 (Nov 11-14) in Toronto. Suggested that those attending get passports now.

### **Trustees Report**

See written report

### **Membership**

Don is trying to get more people for his committee and hold a membership drive.

### **Dance and Entertainment**

Eric said Brian had contacted him about being on the committee. Rip Cord in Toledo wants a bar night. May 16<sup>th</sup> is that day – 50/50, jail cell, Jell-O shots all ok. Will contact Seekers in Port Huron. Eric recommends that at least 8 members be present to help. Advertise on the flier that a fundraiser be held to raise money for the Rip Cord charity.

Steve absent Will talk to Treu House of Munch regarding making posters for the Rip Cord event.

### **Fundraising/Sponsorship**

Rayann absent. Rob S working on it.

### **Merchandise**

Leroy working on it.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

None

### **NEW BUSINESS**

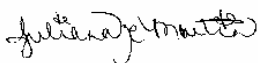
- ♥ Gay Prides – announced Lansing wants \$125 b4 6/1, \$150 after. Discussion held regarding asking Jim Brown of Diamond Jim's to sponsor the money for the booth.
- ♥ CampIt- Postponed to next meeting.
- ♥ MIGRA camp out at the ranch in July. Could be very profitable.

### **Announcements**

May 2<sup>nd</sup> at Esquire at 7 PM. No meeting on the 3<sup>rd</sup>. Bar night after the meeting – need many people to help.

Adjourned at 4:15 PM

Respectfully submitted,



Juliana E. Martin  
Secretary