YUBA-SUTTER RIGHT TO LIFE COMMITTEE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

St. Isidore's Parish Hall June 4, 2012

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Maureen Guth
Mary Anne Brayton
Michael Gabhart

John Guth Mike Pugh Heather Pugh

CALL TO ORDER:

Maureen called the meeting to order at 7:07pm.

OPENING PRAYER:

Mike Gabhart led the opening prayer.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion was m/s/c to approve the minutes of May 2, 2012.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

John reported we have \$999.00 in the bank. We paid \$90 for the insurance for the fair and also \$25 to AWF. The YS Fair and Colusa Fair are both paid for.

John received a letter from the IRS saying they have not yet resolved the matter of our 501(3)(c) tax number being the same as another organization. They will send us an update in 45 days.

LEGISLATION:

There wasn't an update to any pending legislation.

WEBSITE UPDATE:

Mike Pugh said we had 1,811 visits in the month of May to the website. The top pages viewed were our about page, events page, minutes, tips, media, and resources.

At Maureen's request, a video entitled "Unborn Baby Speaks" was put on our website. Maureen would like to have it available to show at the fair workers evening. Maureen would also like to have it to show at the fair itself.

Mike had sent an email to Maureen previously asking about creating a Facebook page for Yuba-Sutter Right to Life. A discussion ensued as to the benefits of having YSRTL on Facebook. A motion is made and seconded to create a Facebook page for YSRTL. Heather will begin working on creating it this week.

RADIO SPOTS:

Last month we decided to ask Lou Binninger if Mr. Huth would allow us to do half the number of ads for half the cost. Lou replied with Mr. Huth's preference to keep it at \$250, but do it for every other month. Maureen received a bill for the month of May – they apparently forgot to skip a month. Lou proposed we pay only half and he would

get the other half covered. A discussion ensued about what to do now. A motion is made and seconded that we would pay the entire amount of \$250 since the ads are now running. Lou has been instructed to not run the ads for June.

AMERICAN HERITAGE GIRLS:

Heather gave an update on the American Heritage Girls. There has not been any progress made this past month. Heather asked Maureen if she would join her in speaking with Fr. Miguel and she replied in the affirmative.

PLANNED PARENTHOOD PRAYER VIGIL:

The last vigil was canceled because neither Heather nor Maureen was able to attend.

YUBA-SUTTER FAIR:

The Colusa Fair begins this coming Thursday (June 7th) and ends on Sunday. YS Fair runs August 1st through 5th. Mike Pugh mentioned that we need to make sure that we have a picture of our booth at the fair for the website.

The fair workers evening will be on Thursday, July 26th. We need to go on to the website of California Pro-Life Council to see if we can use their petition to have at the fair for people to sign. Heather will look in to finding one for the fair.

Maureen purchased a new DVD for us to use at the fair. The total cost was \$20. A motion was made and seconded to reimburse Maureen for the cost of the DVD.

MISCELLANEOUS:

A personnel matter was discussed.

Maureen passed out some information to all present regarding the HHS mandate and also the May edition of Life Update and Life Institute.

ADJOURNMENT/CLOSING PRAYER:

Our next meeting will be on Monday, July 2, 2012, at 7:00pm.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:44pm and closed with a prayer led by John.

Respectfully submitted,

Heather Pugh, YSRTL Secretary