

Minutes

Education Committee

Date and Time:

September 16, 2019; 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM Scottsdale, AZ

Chairperson:

Location:

Ben Pierson – Chair Chad Youkers – Vice-Chair Secretary – Eddie Roland (Absent) Board Liaison – Dennis Roundtree

Minutes

Topic	Discussion	Conclusions/Action Items
Call to Order by Ben Pierson.	1:08 PM	
Introduction of Nathan Harris	EGSA's new Director of Education	
Approved minutes from Spring 2019 meeting	Minutes are available online. Motion to approve, seconded.	The Spring 2019 Minutes were approved.
Initiatives	- Increase Certified Technicians	
	- Increase On-Site Power reference book sales	
	 Introduce new courses relevant to industry trends and requirements 	
	 Online Learning, EGSA Sales Certification, EGSA U, George Rowley Schools (potential to streamline) 	
	 Conduct full curriculum review of Rowley Schools every 2 years 	
	- Expand technician education and training	
EGSA U – Sales Certification	- Discussed each one in detail	Follow up needed in the next few weeks
	 Passed around a sheet to solicit volunteers for each which will result in a call to set expectations, etc. 	
Report from the Director of Education Nathan Harris	Introduction and work history discussed Review of EGSA Director of Education Report (attached). • Vote on the cost for the Kindle Book cost	\$186, \$150 or "Something Else" - \$186 was the recommendation to the Board
Technician Education Discussion	 TAPP – Dane Olson described the program DD Committee Discussion for 9-17-19 	Invitation to attend / questions?
Technician Education Working Group	Discussions about the need for a new working group called the Technician Education Working Group	Volunteer Sheet sent around – Follow Up Needed

Recommendations to the Board	Committee Reviewed and Endorsed Education Report drawing specific attention to:	
	- Online Webinars	
	- Yellow Ribbon Program	
	 On-Site Power Generation – A Reference Book Kindle pricing of \$186 / per copy 	
	 Total Rowley Schools for 2020 at 5 – plus one additional If warranted 	
	 Seeking Board Approval for three (3) Working Groups: Sales Certification, EGSA U, Technician Education Working Group 	
Motion to Adjourn	Motion made and seconded, motion approved. 3:05 PM	

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