

1 **General Membership Meeting**  
2 **January 12, 2023 – 5:30 pm**  
3 **TCC Room 120**

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5 Meeting was called to order by President-elect Cheri Sleeper at 5:33 pm with 123 members present

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7 Motion to approve the agenda with flexibility

8 Motion – Felber

Second - Howard

Motion passed

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10 Cheri introduced me and Matt

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12 Cheri then asked member to stand to see who the “old timers were”

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14 Motion to approve the minutes from October 2022 with corrections to lines 33, 40, 41

15 Motion - Emory

Second – Beebe

Motion Passed

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17 Financial report was given

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19 President-elect Report

- 20 • Thanks for attending sessions
- 21 • Remember the concerts on Saturday

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23 Unfinished Business

24 None

25 New Business – Awards Committee

- 26 • Certificates were presented to out-going members of the Executive Board for the past year
  - 27 ○ David Heroux, Steven Bossert, Josh Lennox, Shelby Montgomery, Cheri Sleeper, Roland
  - 28 Forti, Raine Allen, Besnik Hashani
- 29 • FOA Hall of Fame Awards was presented to:
  - 30 ○ Phil Fink

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32 Election of officers for 2023 took place online

- 33 ○ Jennifer Erickson – 7/8 Middle School Honors Orchestra Coordinator
- 34 ○ Lauren Pardee – 11/12 Symphonic Orchestra Coordinator
- 35 ○ Andrea Szarowicz – President-elect

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37 Dr Steve Kelly stopped by to introduce the candidates for President-elect for FMEA

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39 The Good of the Association

- 40 • Check out the new FOA website
- 41 • Melbourne HS performing at ASTA this year
- 42 • Blake HS will be playing at the opening ASTA ceremony
- 43 • Cell-a-bration will be at Winter Park this coming May 6<sup>th</sup>
- 44 • Bass day May 13 Jenkins HS
- 45 • FSU now has a non-major campus orchestra
- 46 • Following members have passed this year Wendell Simmons, Susan McCray, Tom Sleeper, Kathy
- 47 Cook
- 48 • Great job to all performing school groups this year

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50 Meeting was adjourned at 5:53 pm

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52 Respectfully Submitted,

53 Donald K. Langland, Executive Director

54 Florida Orchestra Association Inc

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56 Next General Membership meeting will be held at the Fall Conference in Orlando October 13<sup>th</sup>

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