

The NDABA board meeting was called to order at 11:00 on January 26, 2013 at The Chieftain in Carrington, ND. Those in attendance were Ed Barnhardt, Greg Amiot, Jerome Hohertz, Jeff Pfau, Scott Heintzman, Miles Doll, Clyde Nelson, Kent Meidinger, Larry Teters, and Colette Meidinger.

Secretary's report-----The report was read and approved.

Treasure's report-----was read and approved. Old accounts receivables were discussed and put on hold until next meeting. It was also mentioned that new shop owners (previous owned shops that were sold) should be contacted to see if they would like to join the association. Also discussed was what would be the best way to find the new owners and what their addresses are. A couple of the members are going to look into it. Miles made a motion to approve the report and Jeff made a second.

District reports-----The western part of the State seems to be staying pretty busy where as some of the shops in the Eastern part are up and down. It was discussed again on how to get more interest in the industry because of the low numbers of students taking auto body.

Magazine report----Clyde reported that the mailing lists and advertising are getting to be less. If anyone has anything they would like to get in the next magazine have it to him by the end of February.

Old Business-----There are 4 board of Directors positions that still need to be filled. If any of you would be willing to fill those positions to help the association just contact one of the board members to find out what districts are still open.

Convention 2013-----The convention format was finalized and the brochures will be sent out after they are back from the printers. The dates are April 11-12, 2013 in Grand Forks.

New Business-----Executive Director position is being looked into. Someone is checking with a Lady that is the Executive Director for Montana and Iowa to see what she can do for North Dakota.

Ed made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Miles second it.

Next meeting is set for 11:00 on March 16, 2013 at The Chieftain in Carrington. Hope to see you all there.

Secretary, Colette Meidinger