

MZSS WORKGROUP MINUTES
Wednesday, October 20, 2021
Meeting ID: 893 0694 9518
Passcode: 1953

Meeting opened with introductions from all members in attendance. Everyone shared previous MZSS experience and/or how they were interested in serving on the next workgroup. There were many previous members in attendance as well as many new members.

Updated verbal treasurer report given by Mary B, co-facilitator – final copy of treasurer report will be uploaded to Slack in the next few days. Updated totals included registration totals: 149 in-person and 48 virtual. After paying final expenses of \$125.00 for the banner and \$300.00 for purchase of miscellaneous IT equipment (bought by local member at event) will leave approximately \$2800.00 to distribute to the zones and NAWS. The remaining balance of approximately \$4000.00 will be available as the prudent reserve for next event. Books will be closed for the cycle after these allocations are made.

Left over merchandise was picked up by Pat P who will attempt to sell at Arkansas Regional Convention and Volunteer Regional Convention. Leftover inventory at reduced prices valued at approximately \$1000.00. Any funds from sale of left over merchandise will be included in next event budget.

Discussion and decision to have next event in September/October 2023 in the Midwest Zone. Anticipated Indianapolis bids have not come through. Previous Detroit site was found to not have large enough workshop space. Other possible site option was in Chicagoland Region. Many Midwest Zone members in attendance volunteered to gather more bids before the next meeting. Hotel Needs and IT requirement documents will be uploaded to Slack. Documents will be reviewed for updating by Barry and Randie.

Elections for all positions will be at next meeting. Any interested member will need to upload service resume to Slack or email to facilitator@mzssna.org. Service resume samples will be uploaded if needed.

Next meeting: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 @ 6:00 pm Central. Same meeting ID.