**MSBA HRC Meeting Minutes – May 8, 2017**

In attendance:

* Tara Kalar
* Sonja Peterson
* Johnathan Estes
* Ellen Kennedy
* Evan Wilson
* Caroline Palmer
* Margaret Erickson
* Mary Shimshak
* Tedd Landwehr
* Jeffrey Vest
* Alison Schmidt
* Guest Speaker: John Medeiros

MEETING AGENDA

1. Introductions
2. Approval of Agenda- Approved
3. Approval of Minutes- Tabled
4. New Business
   1. Brown Bag Series: Immigration Attorney John Medeiros, Myers Thompson, P.A.: Sanctuary Congregations- Potential Liability under the Immigration and Nationality Act : Medeiros presented on the legalities of sanctuary congregations and provided additional information on ways to be involved and further information
   2. Volunteer Opportunities, Alison Griffith from Advocates for Human Rights: Griffith gave an overview of volunteer opportunities with the Advocates, the HRC will explore opportunities to present a training CLE in the fall
5. Old Business
   1. Update on Juvenile Shackling Resolution: Tara Kalar: Tara will provide letter to the group when signed by the MSBA president
   2. Update from Rape Kits Subcommittee: Tara Kalar: Caroline was no longer on the line but the effort to work with MnCASA in the next legislative session will continue
   3. Update from Human Trafficking Subcommittee: Evan Wilson: The Superbowl Host committee was slowly convening to create a human trafficking task force, Evan will provide updates as available
   4. ABA Immigration Resolutions: Tara Kalar: The group decided that the HRC should reach out to the Immigration Section one last time to determine if the HRC should move forward with the representation-related resolution
   5. Sanctuary Organizations: Sonja Peterson: Sonja provided additional information on sanctuary organization happenings
   6. FYI items: Tara will send out update on World Without Genocide CLE and provide additional information regarding the funding request from the Minnesota Department of Human Rights
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