AAPL BOARD MEETING REPORT

Coeur d'Alene, Idaho

The Board Meeting was held on Sunday, September 15, 2019 in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. AAPL's membership as of August 26, 2019 was 14,198, which is 706 members above last year at this time, of which 2,862 are CPLs, 1,831 are RPLs, 385 are RLs, and 40 are CPL/ESAs. The membership increase is due principally to 5% more active members than the same period last year.

The Board of Directors approved the hiring of Dr. Greta Zeimetz as Melanie Bell's replacement, effective November 1, 2019. An 11-person search team was formed, and they reviewed 140 applications. Melanie Bell has served as Executive Vice President of the AAPL since July 2015. There will be a farewell party at the AAPL office on Tuesday, November 5th, in honor of Melanie Bell.

Summer NAPE was held on August 21-22, 2019. Summer NAPE's numbers were down a little from the previous Summer NAPE but still had 2,500 attendees and 185 exhibitors. The Business Conference registrant numbers were higher than the previous year with 317 registrants.

NAPE Summit will be held February 5–7, 2020 and Matt Gallagher, CEO of Parsley Energy, will serve as the Keynote Speaker. The speaker at the NAPE Charities' Luncheon will be Nikki Haley, Former UN Ambassador and Governor of South Carolina.

The NAPE magazine will be making its debut in October. Anyone who has purchased an attendee badge to Summer NAPE or Nape Summit 2019 will receive a complimentary subscription.

The NAPE Season pass just launched and includes admittance to both NAPE Summit and Summer NAPE. The pass guarantees you pay the early bird price no matter when you register.

The NAPE Classic golf tournament will be held on April 30, 2020.

AAPL's total assets as of June 30, 2019 are \$40,117,609. AAPL's total liabilities as of June 30, 2019 are \$3,096,304.00

There are currently 272 subscribers to the Contract Center. The NPRI Ratification of Pooling Form is being submitted in September to ExCom for approval.

The AAPL brand refresh launched on time and under budget. The AAPL has created new marks for certified members to download and use on email signatures, letterhead, business cards and websites.

The Landman Advisory Connection committee has 46 advisors, 53 participants and 49 matches to date. If you would like to be a part of this program, please contact Clarke Richards Clarke.Richards@chk.com.

The 2019 Annual Meeting that was held in Pittsburg, PA generated more than \$168,000 in net revenue. The 2020 Annual Meeting will be held in Huntington Beach, CA, June 17-20. The committee is currently working on putting together all of the details for the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Jason South, AAPL Director