## **The Dane County Humane Society**

Board of Directors Meeting – May 16, 2017, 11:00 a.m.

**Attendees:** Cathy Holmes, Laura Murray, Amy Johnson, Amy Overby, Cris Marsh,

Shirley Crocker, Joe Goode, Ellen McGuire, Sara Colopy, Bridget Bush

Excused: None

**Staff:** Pam McCloud Smith, Greg Rutzen

Guest Presenter: Sarah Byerley (Animal Operations Manager)

Guest Meeting Leader: Heather Nelson (McDonald Schaefer Consultant)

Guests: None

- 1. Opening Business
  - a. Called to order 11:07
  - b. Staff Guest: Sarah Byerley (Animal Operations Manager)
    - i. 9 years at DCHS, background in Admitting and Reception
    - ii. Successes of DCHS excite her, keep her there
    - iii. Feels recent changes regarding admitting give more empowerment to admitting for cats, faster movement of cats through process
    - iv. Brought Chas the Cat
  - c. April 18, 2017 open and closed meeting minutes to approve
    - i. Open minutes
      - 1. Laura moved to approve. Amy J. seconded. Motion carried.
    - ii. Closed minutes
      - 1. Laura moved to approve. Amy O. seconded. Motion carried.
- 2. Board Engagement Session Heather Nelson, McDonald Schaefer Consultant
  - **a.** Session ended with a handout of personal Board Member goals to **be completed for June meeting.**
- 3. Adjourn
  - a. 1:40PM

Respectfully Submitted by,

Cathy Holmes **Board Secretary**