MYRTLE GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH 5920 Lillian Highway, Pensacola, FL 32506 -- 850-455-7389 MINUTES OF THE REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING ON March 23, 2016

The Regular Business Meeting was held on March 23, 2016, at 6:00 pm. The meeting was held in the fellowship hall and was opened in prayer.

CLERK'S BUSINESS: Bonnie Quinley presented the minutes of the February 24, 2016, Regular Business Meeting as printed in the March Business Meeting package. Motion to approve by Jack Windley and seconded by George Butler. **APPROVED** by show of hands.

Requests for Letters of church membership: for February:

From: Melrose Baptist Church, Roanoke, VA for the letters of Alton & Nell Butler. Motion to approve by George Butler and seconded by Diana McFarlane. APPROVED by show of hands.
New members to be approved: for February :
Profession of Faith: None
Statement of Faith: Frank Leen, Melissa Leen, Jeremy Clautice, Corina Guzman, Mary Smitherman, Chris Corelone, Maiko Corelone
Letter: Mary Young
Motion to approve by Paul Sauls and seconded by Diana McFarlane. APPROVED by show of hands.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Richard Main presented the Financial report for February as presented in the March Business Meeting package.

Comment: Richard Main: As you can see, February was a lean month. We were a little short for expenses this month. We paid our bills ahead. We were not that bad off for year to date, about \$600 short. For the month of March, we are running right at what is required for the first three Sundays, but we are way below the firewall. We are hoping that this Sunday that giving will be generous.

Motion to approve the financial report presented for February was made by Joe Cato and seconded by Gene Mitchell. **APPROVED** by show of hands.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Personnel Committee: Chuck Keistler presented the following recommendations:

1. The Personnel Committee recommends that Myrtle Grove Baptist Church hire Klisha Lubischer as Nursery Worker and Kristie Aligood as Nursery Coordinator. Vote was taken by secret ballot.

NEW BUSINESS : Kevin Simmons made a motion to cancel the 6pm services on Easter Sunday and homecoming. Motion was seconded by Ray Linnville. **APPROVED** by show of hands.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Chris Larsen gave an update on our disaster relief program. Rondall Youmans is our director for disaster relief and they work under our Missions Committee. We now have our trailer and have added some equipment. Right now the main expense is shelving for inside the trailer so we can organize the materials, such as garbage cans, shovels and different things like that for cleaning up. We do not have equipment like chain saws and such right now. The training for our region is June 4, 2016, at Emmanuel Baptist Church in Pace. Anyone who is interested in becoming certified through Florida Baptist Disaster Relief may come over to Pace on June 4.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion to adjourn by Kevin Simmons and seconded by Chuck Keistler. **APPROVED** by show of hands.