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Board Members Meet in Vancouver for Mid-Year Discussions

By Sue Wills, IALEP Secretary

On Thursday, June 10th, through Saturday, June 12th, the IALEP Executive Board members met in beautiful, temperate, Vancouver, British Columbia in Canada for the mid-year meeting.

One of the major topics of conversation was firming up some of the details for the exciting, upcoming 2010 IALEP conference in Scottsdale, Arizona, and how some of the new innovations we are exploring with that conference can carry through to future conferences to make everyone's learning experience even richer.

For example, we are exploring having a single day exhibit rate for local retail vendors to allow them to offer local goods and wares at the conference, capitalizing on the area's popular items and offering conference attendees a convenient, welcome way to access memorabilia. Since this is being scheduled for a one-day event, space can be made available to allow the possibility of an academically-related poster presentation from a local Scottsdale area college, allowing students to network with attending IALEP members and present their research topics.

In the same subject area, we voted to charge the attractive fee of \$15 per breakout session for students to allow them to attend the sessions they wish for extra credit or interest, and to offer a

special half-day rate for Southwest Chapter members who are volunteering their time to assist with the conference.

Continuing in the conference frame of mind, Beth Neilson and her 2011 Conference Committee members gave a super presentation on the possibilities Vancouver offers as a conference venue for IALEP. You'll hear more about Vancouver's beauty and offerings this fall in Scottsdale. The Board saw several hotels, and we are working to make the experience both economical and memorable, with the Board voting to pursue primary negotiations with the Four Seasons.

The plans for the fall Planner's Course are well underway, with Training Coordinator, Barry Horrobin hard at work setting it up for November 15th through 19th in Columbus, Ohio. Possible venues are also being explored for the April, 2011 course. The course continues to be in high demand, not only with IALEP members, but internationally as well. Barry and Pete Bellmio continue to work with the United Nations Police to set up the Planner's Course training presentation modified to meet the U.N.'s needs. Once details are worked out on both sides, this will be a tremendous opportunity for IALEP. *(Continued on page 2)*

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The following items were also discussed at the business meeting:

- Acceptance of credit card payment for membership and conference fees, to be pursued on a one year trial basis;
- The approval of the application by the Ontario Association of Law Enforcement Planners (OALEP) to become an official IALEP chapter.
- The existence of several planners' groups that have expressed interest in the possible pursuit of IALEP chapter status, including Virginia and possibly North Carolina.
- Marketing and outreach ideas both as IALEP presenters, and vendors;
- Development of an IALEP shop, where members can purchase IALEP gear;
- A bylaws change involving a slight change in the wording regarding the remittance of dues to the chapters by the Treasurer from quarterly to annual;
- Establishment of e-mail voting considerations and Listserve protocol;
- Procedures for maintaining planners' certifications once they are awarded, to keep them strong and marketable.

We are also working towards developing a way to reach the untapped market of students. As

President Ken Hailey stated at the meeting, "Nobody grows up to be a police planner." The Scottsdale Conference will be used as a vehicle to poll any attending students about their ideas.

We continue to look for ways to update and enhance the IALEP website. Anyone who is well versed in websites, their design, security considerations (including credit card transactions) is encouraged to speak up and add their voice to the discussions. Specifications for our dream website are being developed to provide a good starting point. Submit any of your ideas to Joe Bui.

We are talking about ways to present training utilizing the web. Our own Barry Horrobin, has agreed to be the guinea pig and allow us to tape his presentation, provided that we can set up the means to tape. PERF and LEOPRD were mentioned as groups we could enlist to assist with this trial taping.

I would personally like to encourage as many members as possible to attend the upcoming conference in Scottsdale. Among other reasons, this is the opportunity for you to take an active role in the direction IALEP is headed. At the business meeting, we will be voting in the new officers, as well as talking about the budget and proposing bylaws changes.



Members of the IALEP Board meet with hotel staff over lunch at the Four Seasons Hotel in Vancouver during the Mid-Year Board meeting in June. The Four Seasons was selected as the host site for the 2011 IALEP Training Conference.

(Photo courtesy of Sue Wills)



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Dear Fellow IALEP Members:

The Association will have two Board vacancies for the year 2011. The positions of *Staff Vice-President* and *Secretary* will be open for election. The Association is seeking candidates who are interested in serving and representing the membership in meetings, conferences, and other professional endeavors. Elections for these positions will be held during the fall conference, September 26 – October 1, in beautiful Scottsdale, AZ.

If you are interested in serving on the IALEP board, please review the attachment of the by-laws or via the IALEP web page (*Article III – Officers, Responsibilities, Terms of Office Elections, and Vacancies*) for eligibility, nominations and position descriptions. Please contact me, Past President, Agatha Windsor, for coordination at (334) 874-8234 Ext. 28 or at agatha.windsor@dps.alabama.gov.

Please consider becoming a candidate for office and making a difference as the Association continues to advance within the twenty-first century by answering the 'call to service'. Thank you and I look forward to hearing from you.



Agatha S. Windsor, Past President, IALEP



Ontario – The First Canadian IALEP Chapter

By Margaret Gloade

The Ontario Association of Law Enforcement Planners (OALEP) is thrilled that our chapter application was approved by the IALEP Executive Board in June 2010. Ontario has become the first Canadian IALEP Chapter!

OALEP is a well-established organization composed of sworn and civilian members working in planning and research functions from 46 agencies. Membership consists of law enforcement and public safety agencies from across the Province of Ontario. The Association is committed to excellence in law enforcement planning by providing a forum to enhance professionalism, training, and networking.

Thanks to a dedicated membership, we operate a private website, www.oalep.ca, which allows planning professionals to exchange information, ideas, and ongoing research. One of OALEP's main functions is hosting semi-annual symposiums each

spring and fall at different locations across Ontario. The 2010 Fall Business Symposium is scheduled for November 2nd and 3rd, 2010, at the Walper Terrace Hotel in Kitchener, Ontario. The symposium agenda will be released in September and published to the IALEP List Serve - all IALEP members are welcome to attend.



Margaret Gloade is serving as the new President of OALEP, in their initial year as a recognized IALEP Chapter

As the new President of OALEP, I am excited to be part of an energetic OALEP Executive Team. Becoming an official Chapter of IALEP was one of our objectives that we hope will raise the profile of our Association. We are also exploring a formal partnership with the Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police (OACP) to help coordinate our efforts on research projects that would be beneficial to the greater law enforcement community. Improving communication (*continued on page 5*)

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with our membership is another goal we are working on. In June, we published the first issue of our semi-annual newsletter *The BluePrint*.

On behalf of the OALEP Executive Team and all our members, we look forward to this partnership with IALEP! Please feel free to contact OALEP representatives below at any time.

Marg Gloade is the new OALEP President and a Research Analyst/Planner for the Waterloo Regional Police Service in Ontario, Canada.

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Member News and Notes

Winnie Bailey of the Huntsville (Alabama) Police Department announced her retirement recently with the following message:

After several years of silently enjoying the list server, I'm retiring from my agency. Regards to all! This is a great organization and a great service to its community. We have a local representative (Angie DeNoon) so I let her do all the posting, but I have much enjoyed the discussions on the list and have passed on much that I've seen here to other people who could benefit from it.

Winnie can be reached via email at winnie.bailey@mindspring.com. Or by regular mail at 522 Trousdale Dr. Huntsville, AL 35802.

Former IALEP President **Steve Taratula** retired in March from the Montebello (CA) Police Department. Steve is now spending time relaxing, traveling, and doing some consulting work. Steve says that he would love to hear from his old IALEP friends: he may be reached at (909)-967-6954 or via email at stpublicconsulting@gmail.com

Items of interest for the Member News and Notes column are always welcome, and may be forwarded to the newsletter editor, the IALEP Administrative Office, or to any Board member

Members of IALEP who have joined within the Past Year

Please join the members of the Executive Board in welcoming the following new members, who have joined the Association between August 2009 and July 2010.

Alberta

Melanie Legal, Lethbridge Regional Police

Staff Sgt. Art Tamminga, Lethbridge Regional Police

Rhonda Baxter, Edmonton Police

Arizona

Lt. Allen Weston, Maricopa Police

Karen Jarvis, Sierra Vista Police

British Columbia

Lee Chanin, RCMP Surrey Detachment

Arjen Ordeman, RCMP Surrey Detachment

Tim Szkopek-Szkopowski, Vancouver Police

Lindsey Jones, Vancouver Police

California

Roger Wang, Ventura Police

Erika Martinez, Indio Police

District of Columbia

Amy Phillips, Metro Transit Police

Florida

Andrea Lueghausen, Palm Beach County Sheriffs

Robert Lord, St. Petersburg Police

Annemarie S. Reno, Lee County Sheriffs

I. Stockton K. Reeves, The Center for Public Safety, Inc., Winter Park (Associate member)

Kansas

Deputy Joel Dugan, Johnson County Sheriffs

Sgt. Angela Dvorak, Johnson County Sheriffs

Deputy Natalie Bright, Johnson County Sheriffs

Manitoba

Eleanor Frovich, Winnipeg Police

Maryland

Joseph Van Seeters, Harford County Sheriffs

Pamela Thorne, Maryland Transportation Authority

Massachusetts

Christopher Bruce, Danvers Police

Missouri

Jill Reitzner, St. Louis County Police

Montana

Commander Jesse Cathey (U.S. Navy), Billings

Nebraska

Sgt. Gerard Frielingsdorf, Yaphank Police

New Mexico

Capt. Gregg Marcantal, Bernalillo County S.O.

Don May, Rohde May Keller McNamara Architecture, PC, Albuquerque

William Slauson, Albuquerque Police

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(New Members continued)

North Carolina

Bryan R. Chadwick, North Carolina State Highway Patrol

Vanessa Davidson, Fayetteville Police

Brooke Tadlock, Cornelius Police

Ohio

William Suter, Cincinnati Police

Ontario

Sheryl Davis, Peel Regional Police

Sgt. Brian Wintermute, Peel Regional Police

Erin Vandahl, Waterloo Regional Police

Jeanine Chapeskie, Waterloo Regional Police

Oregon

Christy Khalifa, Portland Police

Saskatchewan

Amy Balfour, Regina Police

Ryan Newell, Regina Police

Clive Weighill, Saskatoon Police

Virginia

Keri Freis, Hanover County Sheriff's Office

Wisconsin

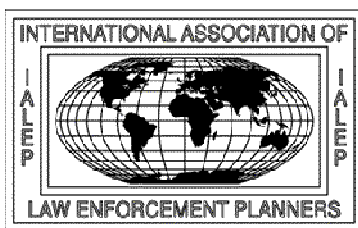
John Flannery, Northeastern Wisconsin Technical College, Green Bay

Norway

John Martin Derva, Oslo Police

The Editor thanks Denise Thurston at the IALEP office for compiling this list. Apologies are extended to anyone who was inadvertently omitted.

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