

GaRID Board Meeting  
Sunday, July 15, 2018  
Virtual Meeting via Zoom

In attendance: **Debbie Lesser**, President; **Amanda Tate**, Vice President; **Anna McDuffie**, Treasurer; **Meghan Cowin**, Secretary; **Erika Munro**, Member at Large, **Richard Brumberg**, Member at Large; **Becca Meloy**, Member at Large

**1. Call to Order**

- a. Meeting was called to order at 7:03 pm.

**2. General Reports from the Board**

- a. President: Debbie Lesser
  - i. MAD : Overall, positive reviews from the workshop/presenter
  - ii. RID Statement: GaRID posted a statement on Facebook showing support, the Board will refrain from further participation and comments on the matter on social media. At this time there is no need to have an official meeting with the deaf community in response to this.
  - iii. Donations: Deaf Blind Access of the South has requested a donation. The board has decided to donate \$200 to Deaf-Blind Access of the South, Co. 1010 Camden Ct Atlanta, GA 30327. 501(c)3 Tax ID is: 81-3856053. Meghan will confirm with the organization that their request has been approved.
- b. Vice President: Amanda Tate
  - i. Facebook – There have been a few posts and GaRID subgroups are going well.
- c. Treasurer: Anna McDuffie
  - i. Budget Update: New fiscal year began July 1. GaRID has a budgetary surplus from the last fiscal year. Amanda and Richard will audit in early August.
- d. Secretary: Meghan Cowin
  - i. No report
- e. Member at Large: Erika Munro
  - i. Mentoring: The mentorship program currently has 4 mentors and 4 mentees. Participants will be meeting soon to discuss how to coordinate their mentorship program.
- f. Member at Large: Richard Brumberg
  - i. No report
- g. Member at Large: Becca Meloy
  - i. Workshop Opportunity: workshop relating to Domestic Violence, approximately 1.5 days. Becca will work with workshop presenters and the GaRID workshop subcommittee to plan finances, date, and location.

**3. Old Business**

**4. New Business**

**5. Adjournment**

- a. Meeting adjourned at 7:39 pm.