

Present: Mark (chair), Harry, Ellaheen, KarenF (notes), Rebecca, Anuj

Regrets: Bronwen

Action items:

- Maria, Tim and Anuj will draft a Contingency Group/SAH Memorandum of Understanding and circulate to board and Pictou CG
- Mark will put table showing family check-in schedule (created by Sue Adams) on One Drive
- Harry asked for a board member to volunteer to become his backup in sponsorship applications. **Elaheen offered**
- On-line storage place for check-in reports. One document per family? In process

1) Minutes of April 10th board meeting

Accepted: Moved by Harry, 2nd; all in favour

2) Financial report

- Financial Report for April accepted: Moved by Mark; 2nd Harry; all in favour

3) Sponsorship applications

See Harry's report

4) Settlement (From Bronwen's notes)

Wazhma Sadat arrives in Halifax from India on May 22nd. Bronwen and Mike arranged to furnish Wazhma's apartment. Brenda Rose cleaned the apartment. Bronwen and Karen B provided the SAFE welcome and preliminary admin/legal items.

Sabbagh family are registered with ISANS, housing subsidy, employment support. Mike helped move out furniture.

5) Community Services Fair

Mark organized a schedule for Mark, Karen Ellaheen and Harry to cover shifts at the SAFE table.

6) Abdul Kader Family

SAFE has been supporting the family following their serious car accident.

7) Meeting adjournment

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Wed, May 15, 2024, 6:30-8:45 PM

ECCU Meeting Room

Next meeting May 8, 6:30.