# Minutes of the September 10, 2022, Chapter Meeting

- I. The September 10, 2022 Chapter Meeting of the Epsilon Beta Lambda Chapter was called to order by Brother President Darius Maynard at 2:02 pm
- II. Brother President Maynard welcomed all brothers to the September 10, 2022, chapter meeting.
- III. Brother President Maynard asked all brothers in attendance to introduce themselves to the brotherhood.
- IV. Brother Rev. Dr. Chaplain Webb gave the invocation.
- V. Brother Bro. Dothard made the motion to approve the agenda.
  - A. Seconded by Bro. Day
  - B. Motion passes
- VI. Minutes & Correspondences
  - A. There were none

# **Committee Reports**

Budget & Finance: Bro Eric Jones & Antywnn Jones

- Report Given by Bro Antywnn Jones
- Chapter dues are being accepted at this time. Invoices will be sent out to the brotherhood.
- All brothers should pay National Dues via AlphaMX

Educational Activities: Dro. Dr. Gilbert

- Project Alpha
  - Committee is open for new brothers to join.
  - Event planning underway in collaboration with Department of Health
- Scholarship
  - Led by Bros. Nichols & Mike Scott
  - Plans to expand funding outside of chapter
- Alpha Esquires
  - Led by Bro. Eric Jones and Bro. Antwynn Jones;
  - Report was given by Brother Antwynn Jones
  - Building curriculum with Big Brothers, Big Sisters
  - Possible Collaboration with Genesis House in Warner Robins
  - Onward HBCUs
    - Led by Bro. Deion Mapp

- HBCU Student for a Day in the works

Membership Development: Bro. Braxton Jefferson

- IMDP Management Team Meeting is soon and more information will be shared with the brotherhood after that meeting.
- Alpha University's first session is October 25, 2022. Bro. Jackson will send more information closer to that session.
- Reclamation
  - Report by Bro. J'Lan Day
  - No new events will be added.
  - Each brother is asked to invite/reclaim one brother to the next chapter meeting and event whether they are financial or not.

Internal Affairs: Bro. Lindsey

- Housing update
  - Extensive walkthrough in the works to determine needs for the house.
  - Recommendation will be provided at the October Meeting.
  - House Clean Up Day is forthcoming.
- Public Affairs
  - There is no report.

Fraternal & Social: Bro. Brown

- Frat Friday
  - First event will be held on October 14, 2022.
- Awards & Recognition : Bro Vice President Canady & Bro Kimani BLack
  - EBL will host Area 4's Founders' Day this year
  - Weekend of Events to kickoff the Friday of Founders Day Weekend
- Spirit Step & Stroll
  - No update
- Health & Wellness: Antwynn Jones
  - Step Class with Larry Lynn on Thursday, October 13th at 7pm
  - No cost; Open to Brothers & Family
- Community Service: Bro. Eberhart & Bro. Sanders
  - First event completed today, September 10, 2022, "Keep Youth In School"
    Workshop
  - Bro. Ira Foster was the event's coordinator.
  - The Epsilon Beta Lambda Chapter was Invited to the Bibb County Board of Education Meeting.
  - Service Events will be hosted each month, October event will be in collaboration with Street Line Percussion or the Thriller 5k Walk/Run, more information forthcoming.
- Brother's Keeper

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- Report given by Bro. Vice President
- Committee is in need of a chairman.

# Other Reports:

Alpha Phi Alpha Talent Search Board (TRIO)

- Report by Bro. Lindsey
- All positions have been filled in the respective counties
- Working on Talent Search for Twiggs and Upward Bound Program for Baldwin
- Enrollment increase in the works for newer programs
- Staff has been invited to next chapter meeting to meet the brotherhood

## **Epsilon Beta Lambda Foundation**

- No updates to report

NPHC: Bro. Ken Blair, President of Macon-Middle GA NPHC

- Report Given by Bro. President Maynard in Bro. Blair's absence
- Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. will hold two seats on the Macon-Middle Ga
  NPHC Executive Board for the 2023-2024 year.

# Upsilon Psi Chapter

- No report

# **Updates**

Meeting Schedule

- Chapter meetings will be held at Southwest High School for the remainder of the fraternal year.
- Chapter meeting time has been changed from 2:00 p.m. to 11:00 a.m.
- Meetings will be hybrid, However, in person attendance is strongly encouraged.

### MLK Commission Partnership

- Report given by Bro. President Maynard
- EBL Hot Chocolate station was officially sanctioned by the commission to be held at the annual march annually.
- Two seats on the commission's board were provided to brothers of the Epsilon Beta Lambda Chapter. Community Service Co-Chairs, Bro. Eberhart and Bro. Sanders will assume those seats.

### **Good for the Brotherhood**

Brother Vice made the motion to adjourn the September 10, 2022, Chapter Meeting. Seconded by Brother Devante Sanders

The meeting was adjourned at 3:30 p.m. with the Fraternity Hymn & Prayer.