General Membership Meeting
MMEA Conference
January 25, 2007

Stan Minor, President presiding

Meeting called to order at 10:15pm, to be followed by the MOIAJE Reading Session

Cathy Coonis passed out the treasurer’s report.

Stan reminded the membership that all previous minutes from the last year were on the MOIAJE website.

Stan congratulated the Webster University Jazz Ensemble for an outstanding performance earlier in the day. He also reminded the membership of the Gateway City Big Band, Lindbergh High School, and Jim Widner Big Band performances scheduled for Friday, January 26th.

Stan announced that the all-state jazz band rehearsals with Antonio J. Garcia were going very well, and that anyone could attend those rehearsals throughout the conference.

IAJE Membership forms were available at the IAJE exhibit booth, and at the reading session.

Stan thanked the MMEA membership for accepting the MMEA Constitution changes which now allow a Jazz Vice-President to sit on the MMEA Board.

Stan reminded all members that this was a voting year. All nominations should be given to an executive board member or sent to Jeff Melsha, secretary. A nomination link can be found on the website. Jeff will forward all nominations for each office to be elected to a nominating committee, who will in turn contact each nominee.

The meeting evolved into the reading session, directed by Bob Long and Tim AuBuchon.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff Melsha, MOIAJE Secretary