

Minutes
2010 NAAE Convention—Business Sessions
Las Vegas, Nevada

Wednesday, December 1, 2010

During the opening general session of the 2010 NAAE Convention in Las Vegas, Nevada, NAAE President Ray Nash presented the report of the NAAE board nominating committee regarding the offices of 2010-11 NAAE President and President Elect. The board nominated Greg Curlin for 2010-11 NAAE President. The board nominated Hugh Mooney and Ken Couture for 2010-11 NAAE President Elect. The delegates placed no other names in nomination during this session.

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During the second general session at the 2010 NAAE Convention in Las Vegas, Nevada, by general consensus, nominations were closed and these individuals were placed officially in nomination for the respective offices: Greg Curlin for 2010-11 NAAE President and Hugh Mooney and Ken Couture for 2010-11 NAAE President Elect.

Saturday, December 4, 2010

During the final session of the 2010 NAAE Convention in Las Vegas, Nevada, the following business was transacted.

President Ray Nash called the meeting to order at 12:32 p.m.

Ray Nash introduced Archie Sauerheber (IN) to present the invocation.

Ray Nash seated the official convention delegates and established the counts needed for majority and two-thirds majority votes. There were 151 official voting delegates present. For a majority, 76 votes would be needed; for a two-thirds majority, 101 votes would be needed.

Ray Nash appointed Travis Scherer (IN) to be parliamentarian. Ray Nash announced that the Committee of Tellers would be Erin Johnson, chair (FL), Jim Aschwanden (CA), and Bethany Royer (CT).

Ray Nash conducted the voting for the office of NAAE president elect.

Ray Nash introduced Jeff Maierhofer, ACTE Agricultural Education Division Vice President, to bring remarks from ACTE and to conduct any needed business for the ACTE Ag Ed Division. Jeff then introduced Jan Bray, ACTE Executive Director, and Gary Moore, ACTE President, to bring brief remarks from ACTE. Ray Nash presented to Gary Moore a \$1,000 check from NAAE to the ACTE CTE Support Fund to acknowledge ACTE's outstanding contributions to school-based agricultural education and NAAE.

The NAAE board members presented the awards for Teacher Mentor (sponsored by CEV Multimedia), Ideas Unlimited (sponsored by Delmar Cengage Learning), and Teachers Turn the Key (sponsored by Dodge, as a special project of the National FFA Foundation).

Ray Nash called on the committee chairs to present the reports from the seven standing committees, as follows:

Finance—Chairperson Lloyd Thompson (WA) presented the report and moved for acceptance of the report. The second to the motion was implied. The motion carried.

Marketing—Chairperson Erin Johnson (FL) presented the report and moved for acceptance of the report. The second to the motion was implied. The motion carried.

Member Services—Chairperson Roger Teeple (NC) presented the report and moved for acceptance of the report. The second to the motion was implied. The motion carried.

Policy and Bylaws—Chairperson Krista Pontius (PA) presented the report and moved for acceptance of the report. The second to the motion was implied. The motion carried.

Professional Growth—Chairperson Scott Stone (MO) presented the report and moved for acceptance of the report. The second to the motion was implied. The motion carried.

Public Policy—Chairperson Linda Sattler (WI) presented the report and moved for acceptance of the report. The second to the motion was implied. The motion carried.

Strategic Planning—Chairperson John Busekist (NY) presented the report and moved for acceptance of the report. The second to the motion was implied. The motion carried.

Ray Nash then opened the floor for other business. No unfinished or new business was presented.

Jay Jackman, representing AAVIM, the sponsor of the retiring officer recognition, recognized the two outgoing regional vice presidents, Hugh Mooney and Ken Couture. Both Hugh Mooney and Ken Couture were awarded life membership in NAAE. Jay Jackman then recognized Ray Nash as the outgoing president.

Ray Nash accepted a motion from Roger Teeple (NC), and second from Mark Wildman (IL), to elect, by acclamation, Greg Curlin as 2010-11 NAAE President. The motion carried.

Ray Nash then recognized the outgoing regional vice presidents and regional secretaries and welcomed the new regional vice presidents and regional secretaries.

Ray Nash then installed the 2010-11 NAAE officers, including the new president, Greg Curlin, the new president elect, Ken Couture, and the new regional vice presidents who were Erica Whitmore, Region I Vice President, and Mike Harrington, Region VI Vice President.

Newly elected president Greg Curlin then presented a retiring president's gavel and plaque to outgoing president Ray Nash.

NAAE President Greg Curlin delivered his inaugural address.

With no further business to transact, NAAE President Greg Curlin declared the meeting adjourned at 2:35 p.m.