

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR RESPIRATORY CARE**

**Annual Business Meeting**

Thursday, November 21, 2024

Orange County Convention Center, Tangerine Ballroom

Orlando FL

**Minutes**

**ATTENDANCE ON PODIUM**

**Directors**

Carl Hinkson, MS, RRT-NPS, ACCS, FAARC, President  
Sheri Tooley, BSRT, RRT-NPS, CPFT, AE-C, FAARC, Past President  
Dana Evans, MHA, RRT, RRT-NPS, FACHE, FAARC, President-Elect  
Teri Miller M.Ed., RRT, CPFT, FAARC, VP Internal Affairs  
Georgianna Sergakis, Ph.D., RRT, AE-C, FAARC, VP External Affairs  
Kari Neville, BSRC, RRT-NPS, FAARC, Secretary-Treasurer  
Ira Cheifetz, MD, BOMA Chair-Elect

**House of Delegates**

Julie Jackson, BS, RRT, RRT-ACCS

**Staff**

Daniel Garrett, CAE, Executive Director

**CALL TO ORDER**

President Carl Hinkson called the meeting to order at 10:45 AM EST, provided opening remarks, and introduced special guests.

**APPROVAL OF 2023 ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES**

Laura Packard, Chair of the Scrutinizing Committee, provided the committee approval of the November 6, 2023 minutes.

**RECOGNITION OF OUTGOING BOARD**

President Carl Hinkson recognized and thanked outgoing board members, Sheri Tooley, Georgianna Sergakis, Michael De Peralta, Keith Lamb, John Wilgis, Julie Jackson, Neil MacIntyre.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

Kari Neville, Secretary-Treasurer, provided an annual Treasurer's report.

**HOD REPORT**

Julie Jackson, Speaker of the House, provided an annual report from the House of Delegates.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

President Carl Hinkson reported there is no unfinished business from the 2023 Annual Business Meeting.

**NEW BUSINESS**

President Hinkson reported there are no member requests for new business.

**ELECTION REPORT**

Sheila Guidry, Elections Committee Chair, reported the 2024 election results.

**ELECTIONS DECLARATION**

President Carl Hinkson declared the following new Directors and Section Chair-Elects elected by the membership:

- Teri Miller – VP Internal Affairs

- Jakki Grimball – VP External Affairs
- Kari Neville – Secretary/Treasurer
- Maria Madden – Director-at-large
- Joel Brown – Director-at-large
- Gbolahan Harris – Leadership & Management Section Chair
- Emilee Lamorena – Neonatal & Pediatric Section Chair
- Peter Allen – Sleep Section Chair-Elect

### **INSTALLMENT OF OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS**

Shawna Strickland, Parliamentarian, installed the 2025 Board of Directors, Executive Committee, and Officers of the House of Delegates.

### **PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS**

President Dana Evans delivered the 2025 AARC Presidential Address.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

President Dana Evans declared the 2024 Annual Business Meeting adjourned at 11:14 AM EST.

**Meeting minutes approved by the AARC Board of Directors and AARC Scrutinizing Committee as attested to by:**

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**Kari Neville, BSRC, RRT-NPS, FAARC  
Secretary/Treasurer**

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**Date**