

YORK COUNTY TOWN & CITY CLERK'S ASSOCIATION
SECRETARY'S REPORT
April 15, 2010

The York County Clerks held their **SPRING DINNER** meeting at the Oak Street Bistro restaurant in Alfred on April 15, 2010. There were 28 members and guests in attendance.

April Dufoe, Kennebunkport; Pauline Weiss, Lyman; Simone Boissonneault, Arundel; Joan Weeman, Brenda Brown, Joan Plummer, Buxton; Janice Saunders, Dayton; Wendy Rawski, Brenda Harvey, Patricia Levesque, Eliot; Maryann Place, Melissa Albert, Kittery; Lucette Pellerin, Michele Hughes, Saco; Laura Bragg, Christine Turno, Lebanon; Christine Dudley, North Berwick; Gloria Hermance, David Bower, Parsonsfield; Andy Bors, Alfred; Claire Morrison, Susan Cote, Sanford; Jessica Keyes, Wells; Judi Buckman, Sandra Guptill, Berwick; Mary House, Claire Dunne, Hollis; Bill Swan, Inland Fisheries and Wildlife.

President Wendy Rawski and Vice President Laura Bragg opened the meeting by welcoming everyone.

The Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were accepted as written.

Old Business – None.

New Business – Sue Cote of the Scholarship Committee said that the committee received two applications for scholarships to the New England Municipal Clerks Institute from Michele Hughes, Deputy Clerk in Saco and John Myers, Town Clerk in Buxton. The Scholarship Committee recommended that we award each applicant a \$200.00 scholarship. The Association agreed and voted unanimously to award the scholarships.

Maryann Place announced that the MMA Convention this year will be Oct. 12 & 13, 2010 with Oct. 12th being the Clerks Day. She also announced the this year's Annual Meeting of the Maine Town and City Clerk's Association will be held on September 9, 2010 at Networking Day. This is a change from past practices with the hope that it will be better attended and less rushed.

Speaker for the Evening – Bill Swan of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife – Bill began by saying that there are 332 Moses agents statewide. In York County 25 of the 29 towns (86%) are Moses licensing agents and 21 of the 29 towns (72%) are Moses registration agents. These are great numbers and he encouraged anyone who is not a Moses agent to become one. Next he spoke about Saltwater Fishing Licenses. This year people only have to register with the Federal government. Next year however, people will have to have a saltwater license. How this will be administered has yet to be determined. Bill also talked about the new spring/fall turkey permits and the extra spring permit, ATV registrations and the new 2 year law books. If you find people with multiple Moses ID numbers, Bill asked for us to call the Moses hotline and let them know. Bill answered all our questions about everything to do with I.F.&W.

The **FALL DINNER** meeting date was set for Thursday, Sept. 16, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. at the Oak Street Bistro in Alfred. The meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

April Dufoe, Secretary