NACUSA SF Minutes September 12, 2018

Meeting was held at the home of Karl Schmidt in Palo Alto, CA Members present were: John Beeman, Nancy Bloomer Deussen, Mark Alfinito, Davide Verotta, Anne Baldwin, Sondra Clark, Karl Schmidt.

The Minutes were read by Secretary Nancy Bloomer Deussen and approved.

Treasury

At the end of the year we should end up with \$2,742.16 plus perhaps dues. This should be enough money for us to work with. Karl (Treas) suggested we donate \$100 to St Teresa church in San Francisco to donate towards our performance, We are charging each composer a \$50 fee to help with concert expenses.

November Concert

Davide read the names of the pieces which have been selected. There was a question about John Beeman's piece because of the forces required and the rehearsal space at Davide's. There was a question about using Beeman's piece or Steinke or Albert's instead. This will be decided in a few days.

Based upon the titles of the selected pieces we decided on the title of our November concert. "Cycles of Light"

Publicity

Karl suggested selling tickets on Brown Paper Tickets Shaune will do the same publicity as she did last time Nancy BD will send information to the SJ Mercury, MV Voice and PA Post.

E-mail, Web Page and Web Page hosting

Davide discussed various prices of using a format as our on-line discussion group. Prices quoted were: \$2, \$3 and \$5 Davide volunteered to create or modify our present web page. It would cover meetings, upcoming concerts, list of composers, performers etc.

Various web page creating processes were discussed. Anne made a motion to let Davide create the web page, Mark seconded it and it was passed. We also discussed maintaining it and Davide will also do that.

Developing Membership

Shaune said at last meeting that she/we can have a meeting with composers at SF Conservatory of Music and invite them to join NACUSA. We will follow through with this.

Future Business

We discussed which string quartet we might hire for our Spring concert. Davide recommended the Friction Quartet but we have not yet made a decision.

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, Oct 2 at 7:30 PM at Karl Schmidt's

Submitted by Secretary Nancy Bloomer Deussen