



**EAC Meeting – July 12, 2017**

Attending in-person: Isham Reavis, Renee McFarland

Attending via phone: Sophia Byrd McSherry, Michael Cherry, Aubrie Hicks, Marla Nelson, Joan Miller

Absent: Chris Graves, Stephen Jackson, Krista Mirhoseini, Bridget Schuster, Jacob Stillwell

WSBA staff: Margaret Morgan, Terri Sharp, Jodie Warren (attending via phone)

1. Roll call (12:05)
2. Content and design feedback of the July-August 2017 issue
  - a. Committee members especially enjoyed the articles, “Over My Dead Body,” “Permitting for Energy Projects on Washington’s Coast,” and “Washington’s First Marijuana Receivership.” Committee members like that there are diverse topics.
  - b. The layout and design of the magazine was complimented.
3. Updates
  - a. The editorial position is still vacant, though a promising candidate is going into 2<sup>nd</sup> interviews.
4. Editorial calendar
  - a. The calendar for September 2017 has been filled, but we are still looking for articles for October through the end of the year.
  - b. It was also mentioned that more bios for “Beyond the Bar No.” are needed.
5. Story ideas
  - a. Book reviews are still wanted, with one committee member offering to interview one attorney/author instead of reviewing.
  - b. We will begin asking at each meeting for summer reading list materials for the Jul/Aug 2018 issue, and a “where are they now?” list of attorneys who use their law degree in unusual ways, or don’t practice law any longer.
  - c. Also reviewed the current story idea list and took suggestions for additional ideas – the ethics of the gig economy, top 5 lawyer Halloween costumes, top 10 movies about lawyers/law, potential interview with new general counsel for the Office of the Governor, a deeper dive into evolving legal issues surrounding the state’s marijuana industry, new legislation establishing an Office of Military and Veteran Assistance within the office of the Washington Attorney General.
6. Future meeting dates:
  - a. 8/16/17
  - b. 9/13/17
  - c. 10/11/17

*Respectfully submitted by Terri Sharp*