

**FOUNDATION FOR DENTAL HEALTH
MINUTES
Via Telephone Conference
August 8, 2017**

Present: Drs. Paul Nahmias, President (SDS), Daniel Fridh (NIDS), Lloyd Hagedorn (IKDDS), Brian Henry (WCDS), Jack Drone (WCDS), Michael Gradeless (IDDS), Glenn Smith (ECDS) and Mr. Doug Bush, Secretary/Treasurer (IDA)

Absent: Drs. Brent Ellis (GDSS)

Start time: 7:33 p.m.

Team Smile

Team Smile, a 501(3)(c) organization, requested financial support for its program. Team Smile encourages children to improve dental health by working with various professional sports organizations. Dr. Fridh moved that the Board donate \$1,000 to Team Smile and it was seconded by Dr. Henry. The Foundation Board unanimously approved the disbursement of these funds as so moved.

Historical Marker for Dr. Otto U. King

Dr. John Regan sent a letter to Mr. Bush requesting the Board to contribute \$2,500 for a historical marker honoring the achievements of Dr. Otto King. The marker is being prepared by the Indiana Historical Bureau and Huntington County Historical Museum.

Dr. Otto practiced in Huntington and was an editor for the IDA Journal. He accepted the position to move to Chicago and become the first full-time editor for the ADA Journal. Dr. Drone is from the area and spoke in favor of the marker. He noted that Indiana Historical Society will do the wording on the plaque. Dr. Nahmias would like to see IDA included in narrative. It was discussed that the cost of the marker be shared by the tripartite organization. The Board's recommendation is that IDA provides \$1,500 with \$500 each coming from ADA and IKDSS.

Dr. Drone moved that the Foundation contribute \$1,500 to the memorial marker of Dr. Otto King and it was seconded by Dr. Henry. The Foundation Board unanimously approved the disbursement of these funds as so moved.

Ending time: 7:52

Respectfully submitted by,

Ed Rosenbaum