

Finance Committee #5 (green)

FIRST PARTIAL REPORT  
OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Re: Report to the 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church, Northern Province – Widows' Society

Whereas, the Finance Committee reviewed the report from the Widows' Society

Whereas, the committee appreciates the work of the Widows' Society of the Moravian Church, Northern Province; be it therefore

RESOLVED (1) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church Northern Province accepts with gratitude the report from the Widows' Society as it is written; and be it further

RESOLVED: (2) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church Northern Province commends the Widows' Society for their faithful and diligent service and rejoices in their excellent efforts of being good stewards of the fund.

Andy Meckstroth, Chair  
Jodie Harney, Secretary  
6/22/2023

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SECOND PARTIAL REPORT

FINANCE

Re: Appendix B and Appendix C of the Provincial Elders' Report

Whereas, the finance committee has reviewed Appendix B and Appendix C of the Provincial Elders' Conference Report for the intersynodal period of 2018-2022, therefore be it

RESOLVED (3) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church Northern Province accepts with gratitude Appendix B and Appendix C of the Provincial Elders' Conference Report for the intersynodal period of 2018-2022.

Andy Meckstroth, Chair  
Jodie Harney, Secretary  
6/23/2023

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THIRD PARTIAL REPORT  
OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Re: Continuation of Northern Province Finance Committee

Whereas, The work of the Northern Province Finance Committee (NPFC) was deemed invaluable by the Provincial Elders Conference (PEC) because it has greatly reduced the amount of time spent discussing financial matters during their meetings and allowed them to be better stewards of their time concerning ministerial issues; and

Whereas, the NPFC revision of the financial section of the annual report simplified the completion of the report by the appropriate individuals; and

Whereas, the information that the NPFC shared with the Finance Committee of the 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church Northern Province through pre-synod mailings as well as during the first committee meeting offered clarity and transparency that enabled better understanding among the committee members; be it therefore

RESOLVED: (4) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church Northern Province affirms and appreciates the extensive and detailed work of the Northern Province Finance Committee during the previous intersynodal period; and be it further

RESOLVED: (5) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church Northern Province strongly suggests that the Northern Province Finance Committee shall continue as an advisory group to the Provincial Elders' Conference through the next intersynodal period; and be it further

RESOLVED: (6) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church Northern Province request the Northern Province Financial Committee review the common ministries commitment method and consider new methods for funding our ministries and province.

Andrew Meckstroth, Chair  
Jodie Harney, Secretary  
6/24/23

FOURTH PARTIAL REPORT

FINANCE

Re: Expressing Gratitude for the Sheep We Sometimes Forget

Whereas, from the time of Christ our ancestors of faith have benefited greatly from those who have been wise and faithful stewards of the resources given by God, and

Whereas, the Moravian Church has had many saints who have served the church through their frugal management, diligent oversight and compassionate meticulousness, and

Whereas, the Moravian Church, Northern Province has been blessed by the service of many staff members who labor behind the scenes, and

Whereas, the Moravian Church, Northern Province has been blessed by the service of dedicated servants who labor in the vineyard of our financial resources; be it therefore

RESOLVED: (7) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church, Northern Province recognizes with deep and abiding gratitude the committed and grace-filled service of Johanna Heft, Provincial Elders' Conference Administrative Assistant, who diligently and cheerfully keeps us all informed and organized with a spirit of love and service; and be it further

RESOLVED: (8) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church, Northern Province recognizes with deep and abiding gratitude the committed service of Brenda Cahill, Provincial Controller, Tammy Curcio, Assistant Controller and June Sterling, Canadian Treasurer, whose commitment to accurate, complete and transparent financial reporting is essential to the functioning of the Moravian Church Northern Province; and be it further

RESOLVED: (9) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church, Northern Province recognizes with deep and abiding gratitude the committed service of Jacquie Petko and Marie Cestone for the care with which they assist ordained servants through their management of the benefits provided by the church; and be it further

RESOLVED: (10) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church, Northern Province recognizes with deep and abiding gratitude the committed service of Sharon Hergenrother, Eastern District Administrative Assistant, Karen Buchholz, Western District Administrative Assistant and Andrea Stremich, Canadian District Administrative Assistant for their faithful service to the church which vastly surpasses their respective District portfolio; and be it further

RESOLVED: (11) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church, Northern Province shall show its appreciation for the commitment, dedication and loving service to the Moravian Church that Johanna Heft, Brenda Cahill, Tammy Curcio, June Sterling, Jacqui Petko, Marie Cestone, Sharon Hergenrother, Karen Buchholz, and Andrea Stremich provide in a tangible and loud manner.

RESOLVED: (12) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church, Northern Province shall show its appreciation for the commitment, dedication and loving service to the Moravian Church that Mark Santore, IT manager, and Jeffrey Long, Project Manager, provide in a tangible and loud manner.

Andy Meckstroth, Chair  
Jodie Harney, Secretary  
6/24/23

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FIFTH PARTIAL AND FINAL REPORT  
OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Re: THE 2024 BUDGET

Whereas, healing the world and supporting our common ministries requires financial support and commitment, and

Whereas, the Finance Committee for the 2023 Northern Province Synod worked faithfully and diligently to financially support the ministries of the congregation, and

Whereas, the 2024 Budget as presented reflects our core values and the common mission and ministries of the Moravian Church Northern Province, be it therefore

RESOLVED: (13) The 2023 Synod of the Moravian Church Northern Province adopts the 2024 budget as presented.

Andy Meckstroth, Chair  
Jodie Harney, Secretary  
6/24/23