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<u>Mission Statement of NASeA</u>, <u>a non-profit organization</u> To promote Nepalese culture and values;

to advocate for human rights, freedom and peace; and to serve fellow human beings.

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NEPALESE ASSOCIATION IN SOUTHEAST AMERICA



Nepalese Association in Southeast America 17th Executive Committee Meeting Agenda

Sunday, Nov 25 at 1pm (EST) Himalayan Spice Restaurant @ 2773 Clairmont Rd, Atlanta, GA

Attendees at the Himalayan Restaurant:

Sanjeeb Sapkota, Gobinda Shrestha, Hari Bhandari, Dipendra Thapa, Sagun Shrestha Advisor: Shailendra Bajracharya Vice President of NAG (Mohan Timilsina)

Attendees over the phone:

Ram Baral, Lila Karki, Narayan Khadka, Bimal Nepal, Madhav Mainali

Tara Pun gave \$1,362 raised from the Deusi Bhailo.

Gobinda Shrestha \$621 raised for Hurricane Sandy.

8th Joint Convention financial ANMA asking for 4500 for balancing the budget for 2012 Convention. We do need to give \$1,200 from our side as part of convention. However due to the lack of financial record for the 2012 Convention spreadsheet in detail from Bishnu Phuyal (Treasurer) and Gobinda Shrestha (President) needs to send this. Expecting between 350 and 400 people for 2013 Convention.

We have items on sale with NASeA logo.

Update by Ram Baral on our 9th Joint Convention being held in Greenville/ Spartanburg Created the draft Charter for Convention and has brought a lot of people to the table and has been offered help from various people from various State to aid in making the 2013 Convention successful.

Shailendra Bajracharya will be working on the registration process for the convention. He is also donating a speaker system to aid in the conference call to NASeA.

Sanjeeb Sapkota - Core committee is a part of the Convention committee.

Convention Chair - Ram Baral **Convention co-chair** - Shailendra Bajracharya, Manish Shakya, **Proposed addition to the co chair persons** - Lila Karki, Narayan Khadka, Madhav Mainali, Bimal Nepal

Mohan Timilsina and Hari Paharai - Phewa Taal cleanup in Pokhara. Problem right now is that there is a type of grass that is overtaking the lake and causing disruption in the bio life of the lake. Task is to remove this encroaching species of grass on the lake. Project committee will take a look at this and make the necessary decision.

Finance Committee for last Convention - Tek Thapa, Ram Dongol, Madhav Bhattarai and Sanjeeb Sapkota.

Sanjeeb - Cultural committee had Satsang this morning, Monthly Talk show this morning with Dil Shova. **Lila Karki** - Has scheduled 2 blood drives for the month of December. **Narayan Khadka** - Immigration talk this coming Friday please join the call. Bimal Nepal - Please join the regional Presidential conference call.

Nepal Festival for March 3rd on 2013. This will be held in the Olympic Park in Downtown. This is a major activity for NASeA, a way for us to promote Nepal to the mainstream America. We will try to invite former President Jimmy Carter to attend.

Bimal Nepal - Let's pick different city every 2 years during the term of the new President.