

Presbytery of Yellowstone  
Minutes of the Special Meeting - Tuesday, April 3, 2018

The Presbytery of Yellowstone met in a Special Meeting, via conference call, on Tuesday, April 3, 2018.

The meeting was called to order at 2:05 p.m. by Moderator Jack Bell.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Moderator Bell.

Attendance:

CRE Jack Bell (Moderator) - Stanford  
TE Kathy Goodrich (Co-General Presbyter)  
TE George Goodrich (Co-General Presbyter)  
TE Susi Ennis - Poplar  
TE Susan Thomas - Billings  
RE Suzanne Bratsky - Bozeman  
TE Teresa Kendall – Deer Lodge  
TE Steve Weber - Dillon  
RE Dan Holland - Bozeman  
RE Linda Smith - Anaconda  
TE Diane White - Lewistown  
TE Dave Thompson - Billings  
TE Brent Long - Billings  
TE Jody McDevitt - Bozeman  
TE Dan Krebill? - Bozeman  
RE Jim Tarr – Billings  
RE Julie Boksich – Wise River

A quorum was established.

On behalf of the Stated Clerk Search Committee, Jody McDevitt presented the following motion:  
“To set aside the first sentence of our presbytery standing rules regarding the election of the stated clerk.”

The motion passed with the 4/5 yes vote required.

On behalf of the Stated Clerk Search Committee, Jody McDevitt presented the second motion:  
“To elect Jim Tarr as Stated Clerk for a three-year term, to be installed at the May 4-5, 2018 meeting of presbytery.”

The motion passed and Jim Tarr was elected Stated Clerk by acclamation.

Linda Smith moved that we dismiss the Stated Clerk Search Committee with thanks to its hard-working members Jody McDevitt, chair, Debbie Funke, Paul Helland, Don Holland, and Kathy Goodrich, staff. Teresa Kendall seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Moderator Jack Bell adjourned the meeting with prayer at 2:22 p.m.  
Susan Thomas  
Appointed Clerk for Special Meeting  
Minutes approved May 5, 2018, Jim Tarr Stated Clerk