

**Tampa Monthly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends
Meeting for Worship with a Concern for Business**

**Minutes
9 Ninth Month 2007**

OPENING SILENCE

QUERY 9 – WITNESS

Does my life reflect Quaker testimonies?

Am I open and responsive to continuing revelation and do I incorporate it in my spiritual life?

Is my Quaker witness characterized by humility and a willingness to learn from others?

Do I recognize that the Spirit works in the world through me?

Does my witness lead me to the condition in which I “walk cheerfully over the earth answering that of God in everyone”?

Do we as a Meeting try to share in the religious life of our wider community, availing ourselves of opportunities for worship and service with other local religious groups?

RECORDING CLERK

Cynde Mercer recording clerk.

ATTENDEES

John Arnaldi
M.J. Arnaldi
Tom Blackburn
Francis Drake
Jill Floerke
Chris Hugues

Dustin Lemke
Cynde Mercer
Amy Souza
Rick Souza
Nancy Triscritti
Andrea Walsh

Bill Ward
Nil Wilkins
Barbara Wolfe
Cecilia Yocum

BUSINESS

Minutes of 8 Seventh Month were read and approved with corrections.

The Treasurer’s report was accepted as presented.

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Minute 1 Ninth Month 2007

The Tampa Monthly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends joyfully accepts the recommendation of the clearness committee for the membership of Amy Souza and joyfully approves Amy Souza for meeting membership.

Minute 2 Ninth Month 2007

The Tampa Monthly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends approves lending up to \$15,000, with interest, to the Miami Monthly Meeting for roof repairs. The meeting authorizes the treasurer to determine the amount based on their current needs, after contacting a representative of the Miami Monthly Meeting.

Minute 3 Ninth Month 2007

The Tampa Monthly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends approves donating an additional \$200 (over our \$2000 annual donation) to the SEYM Youth Endowment Fund and authorizes the treasurer to make that donation.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

No reports prepared.

OTHER BUSINESS

Meeting approves going forward with plans to join other west coast monthly meetings for a quarterly potluck in October at the St. Petersburg Meetinghouse.

CALENDAR

Events to be provided later.

CLOSING SILENCE