



Kentucky Environmental Education Council (KEEC)  
Special Council Meeting  
February 4, 2015

**Meeting Location:** University of Kentucky Extension - Shelby County Office, Shelbyville, KY

**Meeting Time:** 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. (Eastern time zone)

**Council Members in Attendance:** Chair Horace Brown, Karin Ceralde, Karen Reagor, Gordon Garner, Lona Brewer, Marc Norton

**Absent Members:** Vice Chair Karen Quinn, Greg Higdon, Cheryl Messenger

**Staff in Attendance:** Elizabeth Schmitz, Wesley Bullock

**Others in Attendance:** Ryan Green, Budget Director, Executive Director of Budget & Administration for the Education & Workforce Development Cabinet

Meeting Introduction

The meeting was called to order by H. Brown at 4:08 PM.

Specialty License Plate 501c3

E. Schmitz introduced R. Green. R. Green discussed the developments of the past week in regard to applying for a specialty license plate as a 501c3. He described the Workforce Foundation that could be used to receive license plates funds.

⇒ At 4:22 PM, G. Gordon moved that the Council approve working with the Education and Workforce Development Cabinet through the Foundation for Workforce Development to enable the license plate project to proceed; K. Reagor seconded the motion. All were in favor; none were opposed. The motion passed.

Specialty License Plate Design

E. Schmitz reviewed the designs that were discussed at the last council meeting and described the changes to the design of each that were requested at the last meeting.

⇒ L. Brewer moved that KEEC submit the "D" design, with the suggested changes, on the application for a specialty license plate; M. Norton seconded the motion. All were in favor; none were opposed. The motion passed.

R. Green suggested using partners and interconnected relationships to market the specialty license plate in order to receive the 900 donations necessary to put the plate into production. E. Schmitz requested a decision on whether or not to return those donations if KEEC does not receive 900 signatures.

⇒ K. Reagor moved that KEEC designate donations for the specialty license plates as non-refundable;  
L. Brewer seconded the motion. All were in favor; none were opposed. The motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 4:53 PM.