## APBR Leadership Team

## April, 2017 Call

Present: Ms. Stacie Saunders, Dr. Nancy Winterbauer, Dr. Cheryl Kovar

Date: 4/10/17

By-Laws: Discussion on need to find the current by-laws for the APBR section and review before the fall conference. Will need to have a vote at Section Meeting for any changes suggested. Dr. Winterbauer and Ms. Saunders to look for this by next meeting.

General discussion among team on current goal of encouraging more participation at local health department level into research. The team will present at the May Health Director's Meeting to share this focus/goal. The meeting is on May 17<sup>th</sup>. Ms. Saunders will send the time to the rest of the team.

Fall Conference planning:

- We will have the same format as last year with Thursday being the day for posters and podium presentations. Wednesday afternoon is open and discussion followed on possible ideas for this time. Dr. Kovar asked approximately how many members are in the APBR section and we currently have 40 members.
- 2) There was a brief discussion on the proposal of developing our mission for the next 2-3 years and coming up with several suggestions and having the members vote on what they feel should be our mission during the Business Meeting.

Next call will be Monday 5/8/17 at 9A with the Leadership Team.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30A.

Minutes respectfully submitted by: Dr. Cheryl Kovar, Secretary/Treasurer