

**Annual Meeting Minutes of the Metro Detroit USBC Association  
Sunday, May 31, 2026 at Bonanza Lanes, Warren**

MDUSBC President Ken Clayton called the annual meeting of the Metro Detroit USBC Association (MDUSBC) to order at 2:11 p.m. at Bonanza Lanes in Warren, Michigan.

In attendance were 49 registered adult members and one youth member. The list of attendees is attached to the report.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

MDUSBC Vice President, Dwayne Anderson, conducted the memorial service honoring Association contributors who had passed away in the previous year.

Katie Boyd moved to dispense with the reading of the previous minutes, supported by Colleen Scott. Motion carried.

**President's Report**

President Clayton reported activities from August 1, 2025 to present.

He reported efforts to bring bowlers and the association closer together in the hopes of expanding the sport through sharing the joys of league and tournament bowling. President Clayton noted the development of our new Communications and Publicity Committee has been effective in the sharing of information.

The importance of our Sponsorships was also highlighted, including Storm with our Youth Tournament Matchmaker event with staff pro Andrew Anderson who also passed out USBC national award winners bowling in the Youth Tournament. The second sponsor noted, Turbo 2 n 1 Grips worked with MDUSBC in creating the Turbo All-Tournament Team honoring individual top performers in the Open and Women's Tournament Team and Doubles Events. Their continued support of the Turbo Cup Women's and Men's Series events was also recognized. He reported the additional support from DiLaura Brothers and Brunswick has also benefited the tournament bowlers.

President Clayton announced initiatives to promote youth bowling through focus groups and meeting with schools and organizations. He concluded by noting the USBC Convention theme of "Sparking Momentum" and creating the spark to start the growth process. He is determined to keep Detroit as "The Bowling Capital of the World."

Vice-President Anderson accept a motion from Libbi Fletcher to accept the President's Report, supported by Marti Marshall. Motion carried.

**Association Manager's Report**

Phil Goodman, Association Manager, expressed appreciation for the continued membership of bowlers in the MDUSBC and for attending the Annual Meeting on a weather perfect day.

Goodman noted a 1% decline in adult membership and approximately 12% decline in youth membership thus far this season. He then provided a breakdown of membership fees with MDUSBC receiving less than half at every level after fees are paid to the national and state association. The \$30 Standard Membership has \$15 paid to national USBC, \$1 paid to the state USBC and \$14 for MDUSBC. The \$25 Senior Membership still has \$15 paid to the national and \$1 to the state offices with the remaining \$9 to MDUSBC. The \$10 Basic Membership has \$7 going to the national USBC office and \$3 for MDUSBC.

Awards were then covered by Goodman who noted \$28,347 was spent on the local ones. He then noted the following awards being distributed this season, including: 4,735 Decks of Cards, 520 Towels, 5,725 Pens, 4,235 Luggage Tags, 1,377 Pendants and 99 Watches/Backpacks. In considering which awards to purchase, Goodman noted the following items are considered: cost, storability and transportability.

Goodman also discussed the qualifications, election process and roles for both USBC and State Delegates. Other items discussed, include: the awarding of the 2028 Michigan State USBC Open Tournament as well as volunteering opportunities and a potential new office location.

Colleen Scott motioned to accept the Association Manager Report, supported by John Vorpagel. Motion carried.

### **Communications Committee Report**

Chairperson Katie Boyd presented an increase of 750 additional followers on Facebook bringing the total number to 2,500 users. This past year, one million views were received more than doubling the prior year numbers. It was also reported that Facebook interactions have increased over 60%

Boyd informed attendees that membership is moving toward digital registration with certification cards only available in digital format beginning in the 2027-28 season.

President Clayton praised the success of the Communications Committee for opening the important channels of membership communication.

One attendee inquired about monetizing Social Media. Boyd let them know this is being researched with caution as non-profits have some regulations regarding it.

Dwayne Anderson motioned to approve the Communications Committee Report, supported by Tonya Raye. Motion carried.

### **Tournament Committee Report**

Chairperson Boyd reported consistent adult tournament results to prior years, with some a little higher and some a little lower. The three highlighted successes noted this season were the Masters with 22 more bowlers than the previous season, Senior Team Tournament with 16 additional teams and Senior Queens with 16 additional bowlers.

Boyd also covered the upcoming season tournaments and success with online registrations.

Mark Martin motioned to accept the Tournament Committee Report, supported by Martie Boron. Motion carried.

### **Nominating Committee Report**

Chairperson Clayton reported on three areas of focus. First, the importance of awareness of Board opportunities through Social Media and other communication means. Secondly, adding former Board members with experience and no conflict of interest would provide a solid foundation for the future. In response, Mark Martin, George Bresinski and Libbi Fletcher were appointed to the committee. The third item discussed was adding a vetting process similar to the national one and interviewing all applicants prior to the Annual Meeting.

Dwayne Anderson motioned to accept the Nominating Committee Report, supported by Katie Boyd. Motion carried.

### **Finance Committee Report**

Mike DeRousie, chair of the Finance Committee, gave the report. The budget for the 2024-25 fiscal year was a surplus of \$1,864. The final result was a surplus of \$67,939. This was due to more memberships than expected and less expenses. Year-end reports are available on the website under Board Information. The approved budget for the current fiscal year ending in July 2026 is expected to be a surplus of \$13,481.

The board receives Profit & Loss, Balance Sheet and Statement of Cash Flows reports each month. The Finance Committee receives monthly general ledger reports with all financial transactions. The officers and Finance Committee chair receive a copy of the bank statement each month.

The Association Manager salary is \$62,000 for the current year and \$63,240 for 2026-27.

The profit & loss statement also breaks down tournament revenue. In the 2024-25 fiscal year, there was aggregate tournament income of \$248,861 with \$237,425 in tournament expenses for a net gain of \$11,446. As noted, our intention is that tournaments are self-sustaining.

Marti Marshall motioned to accept the Finance Committee Report, supported by Katie Boyd. Motion carried.

### **Youth Committee Report**

Mark Hurrigam, Chairman of the Youth Committee thanked the Youth Committee members for their time and support.

The MDUSBC Youth Championship was held at Spins Bowl Canton (Super Bowl). Participation in this event was comparable to last year. This was the second year of Sponsorship from Storm with a Match Maker event added during the first week of bowling. At the Youth Banquet, Norm Duke was the guest speaker and presented the Celebratory Jr. Team honorees. This upcoming banquet will have Andrew Anderson performing these roles.

The MDUSBC Junior Masters was held at Plaza Lanes. Hurrigam was thankful to the center for their support. Participation had 84 entries, up 19 from last season

The MDUSBC Adult/Youth increased to 238 teams up from last year at 209. An Actual option has been added for the upcoming tournament

Eight \$1,500 scholarships out of 19 applicants were awarded to worthy candidates. The awardees include: Sophia Best, Aralyn Johnson, Maggie Smith, Jacey Thibodeau, Nathan Bolt, Reece Dyrval, Cole Rogus and Lucas Sides.

Gary Brown from Spins Bowl Canton (Super Bowl) and Kevin Turnquist from Spins Bowl Waterford (Century Bowl) were named Co-coaches of the Year. Sydney Forrester from Merri-Bowl received a Lifetime Service Award prior to passing away last month.

Hurrigam reported tournament locations for the upcoming season include the Youth Tournament at Five Star Lanes, Adult/Youth at Spins Bowl Waterford and the Jr. Masters at Summit Entertainment Center.

The Youth Banquet will be Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup> at Club Venetian in Madison Heights.

John Vorpapel motioned to accept the Youth Committee Report, supported by Mark Martin. Motion carried.

### **Charities Report**

#### **BVL & Bowl For The Cure**

Libbi Fletcher reported on Bowlers to Veterans Link (BVL) and Bowl For The Cure.

She gave thanks to all who supported both of the charities.

This season we have sent \$26,335 to BVL including grants to Quilts of Valor and providing a Christmas Party to veterans at Thunderbowl. At the USBC Convention, MDUSBC was recognized for the BVL Best 5<sup>th</sup> Place award for large associations. Statewide, Michigan was first with \$133,000 this past season. To date, MDUSBC has raised nearly \$270,000 for BVL

The Bowl For The Cure event at Bowl One had 170 entries and raised a record \$12,000. The season total among raffles, league envelopes and the event, MDUSBC raised \$28,686 to help research and fight Breast Cancer. \$18,686 went to Karmanos for support with underserved women needing mammograms and other services. The remainder of the funds, \$10,000 went to the Susan Komen Foundation for cancer research.

To date, MDUSBC has raised nearly \$400,000 to help eradicate breast cancer.

Fletcher is requesting bowlers to put the last Saturday of February on their schedules to support for the BFTC event at Bowl One.

### Martin Invitational

Mark Martin reported the 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Martin (previously known as the McKay) Invitational tournament was held on December 13, 2025 at Sterling Lanes. Funds raised for this event go to the Karmanos Cancer Institute and the International Bowling Hall of Fame Museum.

This year's event had 34 bowlers with Mike DeRousie and Paul Gross winning. Ryan DeMeulenaere and Bryan Murphy finished in second place.

Additionally, lottery tickets were sold and a total of \$8,319 was raised which was split between the two charities.

This next event will be held on Saturday, December 12<sup>th</sup> at Sterling Lanes.

Dwayne Anderson motioned to accept the Charities Report, supported by Mark Hurrigam. Motion carried.

**Unfinished Business** – There was no unfinished business

### **New Business**

Sue Hyvonen expressed concern regarding the Courier pick up and drop off from Shore. Goodman noted this will be addressed with the Courier and Proprietor to determine a best pick up time.

### **Election of Adult Directors**

Ken Clayton introduced the candidates. There were 5 incumbents (Dwayne Anderson, Katie Boyd, Mark Hurrigam, Colleen Scott and Randy Tambourine) plus three others (Rose Mason, Christopher Nobles and Sheri O'Saben) running for eight openings. There was no motion for acceptance by acclamation, therefore, a vote was taken with each candidate needing at least one vote to be elected.

The following results were received: Anderson (40); Boyd (37), Hurrigam (35), Mason (18), Nobles (33), O'Saben (31); Scott (31) and Tambourine (30).

All were elected.

Mark Martin motioned to destroy the ballots, supported by Dwayne Anderson. Motion carried.

### **Election of delegates to the Michigan State USBC meeting**

MDUSBC is entitled to seven delegates to the Michigan State USBC meeting along with three alternates.

Fifteen nominations were taken from the floor and received the following votes:

Dwayne Anderson (34), Katie Boyd (24), Phil Goodman (24), Mark Martin (24), Ken Clayton (20), Mark Hurrigam (19), Pat Klix (17). These first seven vote getters were elected as State Delegates.

Three of the following will be alternates: Brandy Reamy-Johnson (12), Christopher Nobles (11), Marti Marshall (10), Sheri O'Saben (10), Colleen Scott (10), Faye Stewart-Jones (8), Kimberley Darden (8) and Martie Boron (4).

Mark Martin motioned to destroy the ballots, supported by Dwayne Anderson. Motion carried.

### **Election of delegates to the USBC Convention**

MDUSBC is entitled to 30 delegates to the USBC Convention. The following 23 nominations were taken from the floor and voted in by acclamation.


The delegates include: Dwayne Anderson, Scott Barker, Katie Boyd, George Bresinski, Betty Brown, Ken Clayton, Kimberley Darden, Libbi Fletcher, Phil Goodman, Lavern Hester, Mark Hurttgam, Pat Klix, Catrina Lewis, Marti Marshall, Theresa McEwen, Christopher Nobles, Sheri O'Saben, Tonya Raye, Bert Sawyers, Colleen Scott, Faye Stewart-Jones, John Vorpapel and Josephine Williams.

### **Adjournment**

Libbi Fletcher moved to adjourn the meeting, supported by John Vorpapel. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:21 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Phil Goodman  
MDUSBC Association Manager

## 2026 MDUSBC Annual Meeting Attendees

1	Dwayne Anderson	1034-332953
2	Karla Anderson	3744-541
3	Scott Barker	1121-1262
4	Martie Boron	3744-82
5	Katie Boyd	5986-53635
6	George Bresinski	1034-4425
7	Betty Brown	3675-74738
8	Kenneth Clayton	1034-4698
9	Robert Custard	1034-176
10	Rosemary Custard	3675-099240
11	Edwin Cutter	348-36274
12	Kimberley Darden	3675-275230
13	Michael DeRousie	1-1071
14	Cheryl Filarski	3675-55171
15	Libbi Fletcher	3675-5448
16	Marie Gebhart	5986-25645
17	Phil Goodman	11-22339
18	Carole Hauserman	3675-132063
19	Lavern Hester	3675-114268
20	Mark Hurttgam	1-343
21	Sue Hyvonen	3675-14083
22	Gerald Johnson	1034-22412
23	Evelyn Johson	3675-54762
24	Melvin Johnson	1034-52079
25	Gary Kenley	1034-98826
26	Patricia Klix	3675-208617
27	Annie Kuykendall	3675-12262
28	Collette Latimer	3675-240400
29	Catrina Lewis	3675-54083
30	Cindy Lucke	3744-3599
31	Martha Marshall	3675-6037
32	Mark Martin	1-226
33	Theresa McEwen	3675-74268
34	Christopher Nobles	1121-18852
35	Sheri O'Saben	3270-118800
36	Tim Osborne	1034-309054
37	Tonya Raye	8568-476497
38	Brandie Reamy-Johnson	5986-42630
39	Carol Roberts	3675-74568
40	Hubert Sawyers Jr	1034-164052
41	Kathleen Schott	3675-152259
42	Colleen Scott	3744-1663
43	Faye Stewart-Jones	3675-88514
44	Bev Ventimiglia	3675-52302
45	John Vorpapel	1034-85749
46	Akilah Waalee-Ford	3675-269445
47	Latita Warr	8568-425773
48	Josephine Williams	3675-149898
49	Tyna Williams	3675-230088
50	Sophia Street (Youth)	11-680329