Metro Phoenix Chapter American Payroll Association Meeting Minutes June 18, 2002 Radisson Hotel

President Vicky Harrison called meeting to order at 6:15 P.M.

Paycheckcity.com Inc sponsored the meeting. They provide each attendee will a handy keyboard brush.

Secretary Judie Arranyos read the minutes from the May meeting. President Vicky Harrison asked for any changes to the minutes. Amendments to the minutes were: Dayna Freese was not presented with a FPC pin at the 5/21 meeting and that Kathy Wheeler our speaker for June is from the Maricopa County Superintendent's office. The minutes were then approved as amended and seconded by the membership.

Treasurer Theresa Mejia read the Treasury report. Beginning balance was \$3,474.99, deposits of \$700.00, withdrawals of \$817.21, ending balance for April was \$3,357.78. The Treasury report was approved and seconded by the membership as read.

Danya Freeze was presented with a FPC pin in recognition of her passing the FPC test.

## **Committee Reports**

**Government Liaison**: Vickie Dunster - Legislation for passed in May bringing California in compliance with the federal 401k changes. Arkansas is still not in compliance and will not meet until next year to consider the change.

**National Report**: Jeff Geisler - over 2000 attended the APA Congress in San Antonio in May. At the mid-year APA seminar held in Phoenix held in June there were 38 attendees.

**CPP Study Group**: Vickie Dunster - Study began meeting on 6/4. Those who wish to attend can get the address on the Metro Phoenix website and just show up.

**2002 Arizona State Payroll Conference:** Vicky Harrison - The conference registration form is now on our web-site. Save \$50.00 for early registration through August 15. Workshops will be posted as soon as possible.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

**New Members**: Vicky Harrison asked all members who are attending the meeting for the first time to stand up and introduce themselves. Each new member was presented with a APA welcome bag containing information on the location chapter, national APA, CPP & FPC along with information from venders and a few surprises.

New members were: Name Company

Diane Fairbanks Blood Systems

**Member of the Quarter** – Cheryl Carstensen was named as the Member of the Quarter for the 3<sup>rd</sup> QTR of 2002. Cheryl was presented with a certificate and a gift certificate to Olive Garden.

Jon Bonhert suggested the possibility of accepting credit cards for payment of the state conference. Further research will be done on feasibility and costs

**Speaker** - Kathy Wheeler from Maricopa County Treasurer's office discussed "Understanding and administering the Different Types of Garnishments".

Greeters for July will be Thanhnga Tran and Michelle Schedaline

**Next Meeting** - July 16 the IRS will be talking about the Employee vs. Independent Contractor dilemma.

There were 50 members in attendance.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:40 P.M.