



Board Of Directors Minutes

Sunday, September 13, 2026

Call to Order and Identification of Public Attendees

Chair Bobbi Campbell called the meeting to order at 09:00 AM Pacific Standard Time.

Board Members	Present	Absent
Sue Betts	x	
Bobbi Campbell	x	
Monica Foy	x	
Jonathan Magid	x	
Michael Anderson	x	
Lisa Swing-Corney	x	
Ivona Szudelski		x
Travis Boozer	x	
Anna Bedolla	x	

Non-Board Members Present:

- Lorraine Hull, Director of Development
- Robert Stump, Operations Manager
- Ewa Conroy, Board Secretary
- Laura M.
- Diane B.
- Melvin W.

Approval of Consent Agenda

August 2026 Minutes

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The Board reviewed the August 2026 Board of Directors meeting minutes.

Motion: Lisa Swing-Corney moved to approve the August 2026 minutes as presented.

Second: Jonathan Magid

VOTE: Bobbi Campbell confirmed a unanimous vote to approve the August 2026 Minutes as presented.

August 2026 Financial Reports

The Board reviewed the August 2026 financial report. No questions or concerns were raised.

Motion: Lisa Swing-Corney moved to approve the August 2026 financial report as presented.

Second: Sue Betts

VOTE: Bobbi confirmed a unanimous vote to approve the August 2026 Financial Report as presented.

Ongoing Business

LifeRing Email Policy

Lisa reported that she reviewed the LifeRing Email Policy and consolidated it in order to create a more streamlined version.

Committee & Policy Updates

Grievance Committee

Bobbi reported that the Grievance Committee felt the word “Grievance” carried negative connotations and have discussed changing the wording to something sounding more solutions-oriented, rather than complaint or grievance-oriented. They have arrived at “Community Resolutions Committee” and are seeking Board approval for the new name.

Sue Betts suggested that the name is unwieldy and proposed using the acronym “CRC” instead.

Motion: Lisa made a motion to approve the new name “CRC” (Community Resolutions Committee) to replace the formerly named “Grievance Committee”.

Second: Monica Foy

VOTE: Bobbi confirmed a unanimous vote to approve the name “CRC” for the “Community Resolutions Committee”.

CRC Charter

The formerly named Grievance Committee have drafted a new charter for the CRC and are seeking Board review and approval. Sue suggested that there were some minor adjustments that still need to be made and may be best to table until next month's Board meeting.

Team Reports

Treasury Report

Monica Foy presented the Treasury Report

Assets: \$223,100 in 2026, which is more than this time in 2025 and it appears that we will surpass our 2025 numbers during the fourth quarter.

Income and expenses:

During June, July and August of 2026 we are taking in more than we are spending. In August 2026 we took in \$6,539 and spent only \$4231 for a net income of \$2308.

Income Sources:

Book sales - \$758

Donations - \$5,621

Expenses:

Payroll - \$1133

Program expenses -\$1662

Administrative expenses - \$1206

Book Sales - slightly down in August 2026

The Treasurer concluded the report and invited questions from the Board.

Development Report

Lorraine presented the Development report as follows:

Ridgecliff Grant / LifeRing Akron Recovery Kits

The proposal is designed to support LifeRing Akron Recovery Kits to be distributed to treatment facilities, probation offices, and other community locations. The kits would contain LifeRing books and information about local meetings, with the books available at no cost to people receiving them.

Lorraine reported the website for the Ridgecliffe Foundation became live September 1, 2026. Lisa has invested a great amount of detailed work into this and plans to submit it on September 15, 2026.

Lorraine opened up a discussion re: reaching out to younger people. She has found the Association of Recovery and Higher Education which has annual conferences, the last being in Denver, CO. The 2027 Conference will be virtual. Registration will be opening soon and suggested LifeRing could possibly sponsor this Virtual Conference since it would not involve travel expenses and perhaps even have a speaker at the event.

Travis volunteered to explore these possibilities.

Team Status Report

A team status report was referenced during the meeting. The transcript moves from the development report into subsequent agenda items without a detailed discussion of the individual components of the team report.

Recovery Month

Michael Anderson reported September's Recovery Month events have doubled over the number of events in 2025 with a great amount of participation overall, including events in New York State, Michigan and in Northern California.

Bobbi thanked Michael for his work and recognized both his enthusiasm and the enthusiasm of the LifeRing community.

Additional Board Business

Sue invited Board members to raise any additional public Board business before the meeting moved to the community forum.

No additional public Board business was raised.

Adjournment of Open Board of Directors Meeting

Bobbi called for a motion to adjourn the public/business portion of the September 13, 2026 Board meeting.

Motion: Monica Foy moved to adjourn the business portion of the meeting.

Second: Lisa

VOTE: Bobbi confirmed a unanimous vote to adjourn the September 2026 BOD meeting.

Community Forum

Participants in the community forum included Lorraine, Ewa, Robert and Diane B. Laura thanked Sue Betts for her service as Chair of the Board and wished Bobbi Campbell well in her new position as Board Chair.

Executive Session:

- Articles of Incorporation: Ongoing
- International Relationships and Licensing Agreement: Ongoing
- Trademark Issue: Ongoing

- Grievance Committee: Ongoing
- BOD Responsibilities | Annual Cooley Presentation: Pending