Capital District, Kiwanis International
Board of Trustees Meeting
May 16, 2021 - Agenda Point
Increase of ELC Stipend

Background

A total of $25,400 was budgeted this year for International Convention stipends for district board members and lt. governors-designate. At the March 18th Special Board Meeting, the use of ICON funds was authorized up to previously established amounts for the ELC.

Previously Approved 2020-2021 ICON Budget
Governor - $1000 (hotel is covered by KI)
Governor-Elect - $1250
Secretary-Treasurer - $1250
IP Governor - $1250
Trustees - $900 each (if outgoing SEVA and SWVA are not using stipend it would be available for Trustees-Designate)
Lt. Governors-Designate - $900 each

A recent poll of the district officers who have ICON stipends (27) revealed that only 6 plan to attend the event in-person. The average cost for attending in-person is:

Registration: $295
Airfare: $600
4 Nights Hotel: $770
Incidentals (Airport Parking, Taxis, etc.): $135
Total: $1800.00

In the past, the board has adjusted the budget allocations for ICON stipends based on actual event registrations.

Required Board Action

Motion to be made:
The Capital District Board of Trustees authorizes up to $1800 reimbursement for any 2021-2022 District Officer attending the ELC in-person for approved travel-related expenses (registration, airfare, hotel and appropriate incidentals). Virtual attendees will still be reimbursed the $39 fee to view that production.

Operational Impact
No impact from this change.

Financial Impact
No impact as the existing budget for ICON stipends will not be exceeded.