



# Southeastern Soccer Officials Association



## SSOA Board

### *Meeting Minutes*

1. The SSOA Board met on February 9, 2009. Aaron Martin provided the agenda for the meeting. The following members were present:
2. The Treasurer's Report for January was provided by Vann Sisemore.

#### NEW BUSINESS

3. Vann Sisemore presented the 2009 Budget for Board approval. The Budget was approved.
4. Aaron Martin informed the Board that Covenant spring game rates will increase from \$75 to \$80 plus travel. Aaron will request that SSOA send Covenant an invoice for games rather than have payment handled by the school due to frequent delays in payment.
5. The Board discussed moving the payroll schedule from 2 weeks to 3 weeks and agreed to keep the current schedule of 2 weeks. Aaron will explore the possibility of using the RefPay service for the fall season. With RefPay, payments to officials can be direct deposited or they can request to have checks mailed for a fee.
6. The Board approved creating the Katsuhiko "Hiko" Waldon Distinguished Service Award in honor of Hiko and his years of service to the association.
7. Aaron informed the Board that 10 games held at LFO on February 6 and 7 were billed as Jamborees but were actually Scrimmages. GA requires Scrimmages be paid as a full game fee plus travel. Aaron suggested some compensation should be given to those officials who worked those games on Friday since they extended until at least 11:30 pm.

The next board meeting is **March 9<sup>th</sup>, 5:30pm** at Concord Baptist.

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#### **SSOA Board Members:**

Rob Griffith, President  
Vann Sisemore, Treasurer  
Abby Gengozian, Secretary  
Buddy Edging, Supervisor of Officials

Aaron Martin, HS/MS Assignor  
Patrick Crossman, College Commissioner  
Kenny Seagroves, Member at Large  
Craig Phillips, Member at Large