

The Adrian Empire Imperial Estates Meeting July 10th & 11th, 2021 **REVISED** Agenda

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GENERAL MEETING INFORMATION

Location: Remote meeting through Zoom. Log in information will be provided prior to meeting.

Date and Time*:

Sat, 10 July:	7:00 - 8:00	Sign In and Registration
	8:15 - 4:00	Imperial Estates Meeting
Sun, 11 July:	8:00 - 4:00	Imperial Estates Meeting (as needed)

Airport:

Not Applicable

Reservations and Rates:

Not Applicable

* - All times are local time (PST)

Legend:

Deleted or replaced text Added or new text (Requirements for actions and approval)

Chancery notes, comments, and explanations. Author's commentary Imperial Crown commentary

Requirement for Written Proxies (Lex Adria Imperium, Article VI.H.)

It is the right of any member entitled to a vote to give a written proxy to any other Adrian member attending the meeting.

- 1. Written proxies are effective when presented to the Chancellor.
- 2. The proxy-holder may present a copy to the Chancellor when signing in for the meeting, or
- 3. The proxy-granter may mail or electronically submit a copy to the Chancellor, provided it is received at least 72 hours prior to the meeting.

If a proxy is not presented to the Chancery Office by the end of Roll Call, the vote will not be counted.

AGENDA

I. SIGN IN

II. CALL TO ORDER

III. ROLL CALL

- A. Seating of qualified members and written proxies
- B. Petitions to waive as per Article VI.E.6.

(Requires 2/3 to approve.)

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Approval of the minutes of the July 2019 IEM

(Requires majority to approve.)

V. REPORTS

- A. Executive
 - 1. Crown(s)
 - 2. President and Board of Directors

B. Ministers

- 1. Archery
- 2. Arts and Sciences
- 3. Chancery
- 4. Hospitaler
- 5. Joust and War
- 6. Physicker
- 7. Publishing (includes Imperial Webmaster, Chronicler, etc.)
- 8. Rolls and Lists
- 9. Sovereign of Arms
- 10. Steward
- 11. Other Officers

VI. CROWN BUSINESS

CRB1. Pause On Chapter Reductions Due to Shut Down. (*Requires 2/3 to approve.*)

Chancery Note: A vote of Yes on this item will remove CRB2 from this agenda as no Chapters are petitioning for advancement at this time.

Due to the continuing Adria shut down because of Covid restrictions, Their Imperial Majesties are requesting that no Chapters be reduced in status for the 2021 voting cycle.

CRB2. Charter Amendments.

Chancery Note: These listings are based on the Membership Summary as of the date of publication.

A. Consider reducing the following Chapters in status due to insufficient numbers:

(Required majority to approve.)

- 1. Archduchy of Alhambra Current Membership: 26
- 2. Archduchy of Esperance Current Membership: 44
- Duchy of Connacht Current Membership: 17
- 4. Duchy of Gaelacia Current Membership: 7
- 5. Duchy of Loch Fyn Current Membership: 1
- B. Elevate the following Chapters in status: (*Requires majority to approve.*)

None received.

CRB3. Consideration of Bids for Database and Website Improvement.

(Requires majority to approve.)

Chancery Note: No more than one bid will receive final approval. The estates may also reject both bids if they feel it appropriate. Both bids have been posted to the Files section of the Adrian Empire Facebook page. The Database Committee notice to the Estates and BoD is attached as Appendix A

To the Imperial Estates.

In keeping with with previously advised committee formation as well as the more currently noted minutes regarding collection and review of bids to update the database/website for the Adrian Empire, we present the following two bids. We feel that the bullet points as noted in the 2019 agenda have been met and ask to move forward to resolve the issues presented primarily to the Rolls and Steward Offices with the issues of the database current system.

Both bidders have had complete access to the database as well as the website and PHP programs. They are aware of the requirements noted in the original agenda item and need for future expansion to accommodate a wish list of the various offices involved in the website. Both bidders feel they are equally capable of providing for current and future Adrian Empire website needs.

Both bidders are aware that there is currently discussion on the DB committee.

Both bidders have requested a level of anonymity until issues have been resolved. This is to avoid side conversations that may be detrimental to the project.

We do ask that the Imperial Estate Holders understand there is a difference between Database information and Website information. There is a "wish list" being formulated as to what website items are desired which is easy to extrapolate using code language. The database itself has been functioning since early 2000s but does need to become a web based application with some additional functionality and updating. This has been discussed with both bidders.

Bid 1 is from a company called Masheenist. Bid 2 is from a company called Element. Full name disclosure is available upon request.

It is believed that the author and sponsors of this agenda item are leaning toward the bid provided by Masheenist. While they are the new bidder, as Element has been in the bidding process since the origination of this conglomeration (3 years, duplicate bids), Masheenist is most Adria friendly, most responsive and more cost effective due to a prior member relationship and desire to "give back to the organization".

VII. CHANCERY BUSINESS

CHB1. Court Reports

A. Judicial Courts

No notices or judgments received.

B. Civil Courts

No notices or judgements received.

CHB2. Consideration of Acceptability of Imperial Crown Contenders *(Requires majority to approve.)*

Letters of Intent are listed as Appendix B.

A. Dame Etoile de Manchou and Sir Eric McKiver la Connard

CHB3. Election of the Board of Directors

(Requires majority to approve.)

Current voting members of the Board of Directors: (Expiring members highlighted)

Position	Legal Name	Term Expiration
Treasurer	Ann Cox	Imperial Crown Appointed
Region 1	John Stalker	November 2021
Region 1	Jason Steele	November 2022
Region 2	Angela Akins-Sawyer	November 2021
Region 2	Ashton Worrall	November 2022
Region 3	Louwanna Wilson	November 2021
Region 3	Heather Hagerman	November 2022
At Large	Robison Krenzer	November 2021
At Large	Ruaidari King	November 2021

Letters of interests from members wishing to serve on the Board of Directors have been included in Appendix C.

VIII. OLD BUSINESS

None

IX. NEW BUSINESS

None received.

X. DISCUSSION ITEMS

None received.

XI. NEXT MEETING OF THE IMPERIAL ESTATES

November 2021 - Dates and location TBD

XII. ADJOURNMENT

APPENDIX A

Database Committee Notice

Database Committee 3/28/2021

Committee Heads: HIH Lenora Greyphis & Dame Katelyn

Tech Members: Sir Gregor, Sir Coda, Dame Arbella, Sir Sean, Dame Ishild End-user Members: Dame Ann (Steward), Lady Moira (R&L), missing Heralds BOD Members: Mira Angela, HIM Eric

Open Format Discussion:

* Purpose of Committee:

 \sim Maintainability \sim Expandability \sim Suitability \sim Functionality \sim Front-end Project \sim Look \sim Function \sim User

Ability ~ Web Host/not download client ~Granular-> Structure-> Presentation ~Maintenance Spec/Programmer facility for data entry ~PayPal Certificate ~ Engine Code ~Maintenance~ Report Collation ~Integrate into Commercial DB ~Eliminate 'Socket' Errors ~ Address clunky & outdated segments of db (steward note section & heralds)

Myths Clarified:

~MySQL is the code that was used & is available to anyone; not proprietary- Dame Lenora MySQL is a relational database management system based on SQL – Structured Query Language. The application is used for a wide range of purposes, including data warehousing, e-commerce, and logging applications. The most common use for mySQL however, is for the purpose of a web database. ~ Already hosted on a commercial server (https://www.bluehost.com/) not in personal residence.

Details:

~Data model request from Dame Arbella

~Bidding Sheet requested by Sirs Gregor & Coda; 45 page pdf provided & told to not post electronically or circulate by Dame Lenora.

Synopsis:

Dame Katelyn stated that structure is addressed in bids & opined that DB/Integration has potential, need to someone to access & write; various reports available, just code is turned off from the info available currently.

HIH Lenora stated that this is a front-end project; this meeting addresses the DB requirements; structure is available in 45 page bidding sheet & 800 page field document; commercially available DBMS is already

addressed, and server housing has been addressed.

Next Meeting: 4/18/2021, 11am – Zoom link pending

APPENDIX B

Letters of Intent to Vie for the Imperial Crown of Adria

Unto the Chancellor and imperial estates of the Adrian empire we wish at this time to declare our intention to lead the empire for another year. We thank the estates for the opportunity to lead these past two years and feel we still have more to offer as we prepare to re-open. We would also like to thank the estates for the opportunity to have a third reign in these special and trying times.

TIM

Etoile et Eric



Letters of Interest to serve on the Board of Directors

Greetings to the Empire

The last year has been an unprecedented one for all of us with challenges that no one expected to face. Born out of this adversity many have found new purpose to serve. With reopening of the Empire on the horizon I would be willing of offer myself for your consideration to serve the people of the Empire by representing the populace of region 2 on the Adrian Board of Directors. I have learned much over the last 20 years in the Adrian Empire from both my successes and mistakes alike and would offer this sum total of my experiences to benefit of the vox populi of they should find me worthy to speak for them.

Desmond / Brandon Grider