ASECS Business Meeting - Agenda Williamsburg Annual Meeting March 21, 2014 Virginia Room EF

- 1. Call to Order Executive Director Byron Wells
- 2. Call for Quorum Roger Fechner (10% of 921)

94 members were in attendance.

- 3. Summary of Major Executive Board Actions
 - a. Approval of budget for 2014-15
 - b. Approval of Prize, Awards, and Nominating Committees.
 - c. Approval of new members to the boards of SECC and ECS.
 - d. Continuance of Traveling Jam Pot Fellowships
 - e. Approval of Science Studies Caucus.
 - f. Approval of a joint fellowship with Goucher College for a scholar to work in the Goucher's Jane Austen collection.
- 4. Treasurer's Report (Bill Edmiston)
- 5. Election Results
 - a. President Kathleen Wilson
 - b. First Vice President Srinivas Aravamudan
 - c. Second Vice President Dena Goodman
 - d. Member at Large Laura Auricchio
 - e. Member at Large Julia Simon

Thanks to outgoing President and Board Members—Julie Hayes, Rebecca Messbarger, and Jeff Ravel.

6. Report on Annual Meetings -

2014 Williamsburg – Colonial Williamsburg – Thanks to Adam Potkay, Fredrika Teute and Dennis Moore
2015 Los Angeles – Westin Bonaventure
2016 Pittsburgh - Omni William Penn Hotel
2017 Minneapolis – Hyatt Regency Minneapolis
2018 Orlando – Buena Vista Palace

- 7. Traveling Jam Pot Fellowship 9 Fellowships given for the Williamsburg meeting—continuing for Los Angeles Meeting
- 8. Seminar proposal submissions for Los Angeles Meeting
- 9. Submissions to ECS and SECC
- 10. Discussion took place regarding Closed Colloquia. A moratorium for the 2015 annual meeting was requested where there will be no "Closed Colloquia." The ASECS Steering Committee has been requested to review this practice and make a recommendation to the Executive Board when it meetings in Los Angeles.