**NORTHWEST MISSOURI FINANCIAL WOMEN**

**MINUTES OF APRIL MEETING**

April 11, 2013

The April meeting of NMFW was hosted by BTC Bank on Thursday, April 11th and held at Boudreaux’s Restaurant. President Tracy Schmidt called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone. An invocation was given and all enjoyed a delicious meal and fellowship.

Rebecca Evans, Director of the St. Joseph Small Business & Technology Development Center, was our guest speaker. The February 2013 meeting minutes and treasurer’s report of $9069.00 as of March 25, 2013 were previously circulated to the group via email. Motions were made to approve as sent.

**Old Business:** New name tags were provided to the members that didn’t have one.

**New Business:** A discussion was brought up to amend the Bylaws to change officer terms from one year to two years. Motions were made to approve the change. Officer and scholarship committee elections took place. Denise Kretzer and Kristin Peak’s term were up for the scholarship committee. Sami Jo and Kathleen will join the committee along with current committee members, Metchel Rosmolen and Tiffany Dishon. New officers elected were:

 President Kristin Peak

 Vice President Penny Gardner

 Treasurer Cindy Crone

 Secretary Metchel Rosmolen

**Future Meetings and Hosts:** September 12 –

 October 10 –

 November 14 –

 February 13 –

 March 13 – Bank Midwest

 April 10 -

**Announcements:** Tracy Schmidt stated it was a pleasure serving as President this past year and thanked the group for the opportunity to do so.

**Door Prize:** Outdoor lantern with candle included.

With no further business motions were made to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

Tracy Schmidt, President

Treasury balance as of July 31, 2013 $8,169.04