

**Phoenix Sister Cities**  
**Prague Committee Meeting Minutes**

March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018

MRT Design, 3030 N 3<sup>rd</sup> Street #960, Phoenix AZ

In attendance: Charlene Klumb, Slobodan Popovic, Akram Rosheidat, Katherine Donaldson, Patrick Donaldson, Ivan Ordaz, Salvador Ordaz, Hannah Penniman, Melissa Penniman, Petra Emerson, Nick Karler.

1. Meeting called to order at 6:19 PM by Chair Akram Rosheidat.
2. Akram welcomed everyone. Introductions were made.
3. Minutes from the February 28<sup>th</sup> meeting – Deferred.
4. Prague Committee reports
  - a. Membership – no report.
  - b. Economic Relations – no report.
  - c. Committee Funds – As of February 28<sup>th</sup>, there is \$983.64 in the committee account.
5. Developing Relations with Prague – no updates.
6. Committee Events:
  - a. Evening in Prague 2018 – About 40 people attended the event, the PSC will provide exact data at the April's meeting. Akram's presentation was very well received, and the recital was rewarded by standing ovations.
  - b. Czech That Film – Dates were changed to every Saturday afternoon from May 28<sup>th</sup> till May 19<sup>th</sup>. Petra moved for the committee to participate in hosting the film festival. Charlene seconded, and the motion was unanimously approved. Director Jan Hrebejk and his wife will attend screening of his film, Family Friend, on May 5<sup>th</sup>. Petra moved for committee to spend up to \$300 to host a reception for the filmmaker. Charlene seconded; the motion was unanimously approved.
7. Youth Ambassador Exchange Program – Before the departure of YA to Prague, the committee will answer all their questions regarding the upcoming trip during the next two meetings. Petra, who is the committee's YA liaison will attend the YAEP Academy Session on Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, to assist with YA's preparations.
8. Summary of Current PSC Events and Activities
  - a. Mayor's 5<sup>th</sup> International Gala – April 26<sup>th</sup>.
  - b. Chinese Dumplings & Beer – May 24<sup>th</sup>.
9. Call to the Public – none.
10. The next meeting will be held April 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM, at the MRT Design, 3030 N 3<sup>rd</sup> Street #960, Phoenix AZ.
11. Meeting adjourned by Akram at 7:46 PM.

Respectfully submitted,  
Slobodan Popovic, Secretary