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The Board of Directors held its annual business meeting July 22, 1996 during which it was decided to hold regularly scheduled chapter member's meetings on a quarterly basis. The annual chapter meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 16th, at the Schooner Restaurant in Nederland. The current TSPS President, Hardy Seay will be present to install the new officers for the upcoming year and to bring the local members up to date on what is occurring within TSPS elsewhere across the state. Mixer begins at 6:30 p.m. with the business meeting following the dinner at 7:00 p.m. Members are encouraged to bring their spouse or companion. The food has always been excellent and the prices reasonable.

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. Chapter Fiscal Report
2. Chapter dues rate schedule. *(TSPS is offering to collect local dues along with the state dues beginning in 1997)*
3. TSFI, Texas Surveyors Foundation, Inc. contributions.
4. Seminar course offerings.
5. Installation of new officers.

The next newsletter will include details and a calendar showing the dates of all future chapter meetings, Board meetings, seminars and other significant events of interest to our local chapter members. The plan is to have a chapter meeting in January and September of 1997, and a picnic in April 1997. The annual TSPS convention is in October.

The seminar held in July at the Beaumont Hilton was well attended by over 40 registered surveyors from the throughout the area and Houston. The topic was GIS as presented by Gilbert Mitchell of NGS. We intend to hold a seminar locally on an annual basis, whereby all registered surveyors will be able to obtain the required 8 CEU's. There are numerous seminars offered both by TSPS and others that would greatly benefit us all. Therefore, it is important for you to attend the next chapter meeting to offer your suggestions or opinion as to which course you would like to see offered next year.

Enclosed is a ballot of Officers nominated by the Board for your consideration. Please mail or fax your vote to the address or fax number listed on the ballot by September 13th.

*President - Joe Breaux
Vice President - Richard Worthey
Secretary - Ron Arcenaux
Treasurer - Ron Davis*
