

## ***Meeting Minutes***

### **CREC Kuyper Presbytery | Spring Meeting**

**Date:**

*Tuesday, April 23rd, in the year of our Lord 2024*

**Location:**

Kuyper Presbytery Meeting, held at  
Trinity Reformed Church, Moscow, Idaho  
101 E. Palouse River Dr.  
Moscow, ID 83843

**Clerk:**

Ryan Handermann  
*Pastor, Trinity Reformed Church, Moscow, ID*

The 2024 Spring Meeting of Kuyper Presbytery was called to order at 1:06 by Presiding Minister Joshua Appel, Trinity Reformed Church, Moscow, Idaho.

Opening Prayer – Pastor Joshua Appel opened in prayer.

PM Appel established a quorum of 8 delegates from 7 of the 9 churches in Kuyper presbytery. The Roll Call was as follows:

1. Christ Covenant Church: Enterprise, OR;  
Pastor Terrence Tollefson
2. Christ Covenant Reformed Church: Billings, MT;  
Elder Ryan Yeager
3. Emmanuel Church: Helena, MT;  
Pastor Jonah Barnes;
4. Redeemer Community Church: Centennial CO;  
Pastor Jeff Rodland;
5. The King's Congregation: Meridian, ID;  
Pastor Alan Burrow;
6. Trinity Reformed Church: Moscow, ID;  
Pastor Joshua Appel (presiding minister)  
Pastor Ryan Handermann
7. Valley Covenant Church: Lewiston, ID;  
Elder Rusty Olps  
Elder Kellen Meyer

Ryan Handermann, Terry Tollefson, Alan Burrow, and Alan Jonah (the ordination committee) interviewed Matt Gonella for his ministerial ordination exam before Presbytery.

Motion 4/23/24:1 Jeff Rodland made the following motion:

Move to executive session

Second: Rusty Olps

Motion Carried (8, 0, 0).

Motion 4/23/24:2 The committee for Matt Gonella's Ordination made the following motion:

To recommend Matt Gonella for ordination as minister in the CREC in Christ Covenant Church, Enterprise OR.

Motion Carried (8, 0, 0)

Motion 4/23/24:3 Rusty Olps made the following motion:

Move to come out of executive session

Seconded: Jeff Rodland.

Motion Carried (8, 0, 0)

*Note: The meeting was adjourned later that day, although no motion was made to adjourn.*