BUSINESS OF THE CHURCH CONFERENCE

Church: _____ **Pastor:** _____

District: _____ **Date:** _____

1. **Nomination of Lay Leadership (as presented by Nominations committee):**
   Please attach a separate sheet with names of those nominated for leadership positions.

2. **Membership Report**

3. **The Church Council recommends the Pastor's Total Compensation for 2027 be set at:** _____
   (This is the amount listed as "Cash Salary" on the Compensation Report)
   See The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church 2020/2024, ¶252 and ¶247.13)

4. **The IRS Housing Exclusion is recommended to be set at:** _____
   (This is the amount listed as "IRS Housing Exclusion" on the Compensation Report.)

5. **The Church Council recommends the Pastor's total professional expenses be set at:** _____
   (This is either the amount listed as "Professional Accountable Reimbursement Plan" or the total of what is reported on the lines listed as "Travel Vouchered at IRS Rate," "Continuing Education Fund," & "Annual Conference Expenses" on the Compensation Report)

6. **The Church Council and Pastor recommends the following person(s) to be approved to continue in the status of <u>Certified Lay Servant</u>:** _____
   (See The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church 2020/2024, ¶266)

7. **The Church Council and Pastor recommends the following person(s) to be approved and continue in the status of <u>Certified Lay Speaker</u>:** _____
   (See The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church 2020/2024, ¶267)

8. **The Church Council and Pastor recommends the following person(s) to be approved and continue in the status of <u>Certified Lay Minister</u>:** _____
   (See The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church 2020/2024, ¶268)

9. **The SPRC recommends the following person(s) be recommended to the dCOM as a <u>Candidate for Certification</u>:** _____
   (New candidates require 2/3 ballot vote.)
   (See The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church 2020/2024, ¶310.1e)

10. **The SPRC recommends the following person(s) be approved as <u>Certified Candidate(s)</u> for continued recommendation:** _____
    (See The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church 2020/2024, ¶313.1)

11. **On behalf of the Church Council, we report the following percent of the congregation's Ministry Shares paid to date as:** _____

12. **New Business:**