Huron Valley Numismatic Society December 8, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM at the Highland Community Center with 19 members in attendance.

Our monthly auction was held and \$31 profit was made.

Mike Bovio gave a report on the November show and reported \$965 income with about one-half that amount in expenses. Dealers were happy; a dealer has already asked about our next show. A discussion was held about perhaps adding a third show a year at a different facility – perhaps White Lake's 175th anniversary, Clarkston or Milford. This will be fine tuned at a future meeting.

Sales of elongated coins have reached \$178.00. Requests are still coming in. Coin publication papers now have this information and there should be articles written. We discussed the possibility of producing another elongated cent to be sold at our next show. Ideas were Milford Memories, Colosantis or White Lake anniversary.

Mike Bovio gave an informative presentation on different metal compositions.

Guenter Loepertz has spoken to the Boy Scout Council about having a get-together with various Boy Scout Troops to introduce them to coin collecting. This information is going out to all troops in the area from the Council and we will proceed from this point as to when and where to have a meeting when the Council reports back to Guenter.

To date there has been no volunteer to head up a club trip to an out-of-town show. Vince has the ability to use a company van and is willing to drive the van. The cost would be minimal to anyone interested in attending.

We are co-hosting the Michigan State Numismatic Society's Spring Show in April, 2011. We need about 16 volunteers to attend the show and work all day. We also need 8 able bodied persons to help set up and tear down tables.

We have Bill Anderson lined up for our January meeting to give a presentation on Two Cent Pieces.

Voting for 2011 officers took place. Chuck Sharpe is he new Chair, Mike Howard is the Program Chair and Darlene Sharpe remains the secretary-treasurer. The new Board of Directors voted in are Christine Hickey and Mike Bovio. Congratulations are in order for our new officers.

Our outgoing Chairperson (Jim Motley) said that our dream of a coin club in Highland has become a reality; our shows (especially our meatball lunches!), our enthusiasm and our dedication to MSNS is becoming apparent to all coin enthusiasts.

Darlene Sharpe Secretary/Treasurer