



President's Quarterly Report for: Apr-Jun 2009

Membership update: As of June 30, 54 members:

- 43 individual**
- 4 group memberships**
- 3 introductory**
- 4 associate**

Board Meeting Highlights:

April: Acquired post office box in South Paris, Maine nearest our Treasurer for administrative purposes. Creation of tracking of board volunteer hours and adoption of conflict of interest statement.

May: Approval of Partnership and Collaboration policy; approval of website design. Report of Board President attendance of NCVS listening session in Salt Lake City.

June: Committee rosters filled; board meeting was held in San Francisco with CEO of National Assembly our VIF grant funder).

Summary of activities and accomplishments for Second Quarter 2009:

Work groups and committees were very busy building the framework for ALIVE: marketing materials, website, policies and procedures and the preparation for filing form 1023 to apply for non-profit status. ALIVE board members were able to secure a pro-bono attorney, Nick Gahl, to assist with the filing. Development and approval of Marketing plan and a separate Membership plan. Policies on reimbursement, partnerships, and website used were developed and approved. Extensive development, planning and approval for the NCVS conference including website, booth design, membership brochure and giveaways, branding and presence. The Corporation for National and Community Service had a series of listening sessions and ALIVE sent the Board President to attend and make a statement about the importance of investment in training and supporting professional volunteer resource managers. In June ALIVE proudly attended the 2009 National Conference for Volunteering and Service in San Francisco. The presentation to the Advanced Volunteer Management track was given to 100+ attendees, our booth had over 300 visitors and many membership registrations, and the workshop had 100+ in attendance. ALIVE board members were able to network with colleagues, potential partners, and their peers.