| Ohio Conference of MC USA                  |      |   |           | Actual    | Proposed  | This represents the goals and plans   |
|--|------|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|---|
| 2013-2014 Spending Plan                    |      |   | 2012-2013 | 1/31/2013 | 2013-2014 | for the mission and ministry of Ohio Conference.                                    |
|  | Line | Empowering Pastors & Congregations                              |           |           |           |   |
|  | 1    | Office/Travel for credentialing interviews & meetings           | \$3,000   | \$1,656   | \$2,000   | The majority of Regional Pastor time goes towards the support of the pastors of our |
|  | 2    | Pastoral Assessment (new pastoral candidates)                   | \$4,000   | \$187     | \$4,000   | congregations. In addition to bestowing and maintaining credentials, the Conference |
|  | 3    | Retreats & Seminars   | \$100     |           | \$100     | offers a variety of specialized retreats as well as resourcing events.              |
|  | 4    | Ministry Inquiry Program (college students)                     | \$1,250   |           | \$1,250   |   |
|  | 5    | 60% of the Regional Pastors salaries, benefits, & expenses      | \$91,682  | \$65,570  | \$88,033  | Support for these ministries helps to maintain healthy pastors and relationships    |
|  | 6    | 20% of Conference Minister salary, benefits, & expenses         | \$18,063  | \$21,970  | \$18,259  | between pastoral leaders and congregations so that all of us can be about           |
|  | 7    | sub-total   | \$118,095 | \$89,383  | \$113,642 | the work of the Kingdom.  |
|  | 8    |   | 22.79%    | 21.26%    | 21.63%    |   |
|  | 9    | Stewardship Education   |           |           |           |   |
|  | 10   | Office/Travel for meetings                                      | \$500     | \$752     | \$250     | Stewardship Ministry provides fiscal accountability for Conference work             |
|  | 11   | Financial Review of Conference books                            | \$750     |           | \$1,000   | and provides events and resources to equip congregations and constituents           |
| DVQ  | 12   | sub-total   | \$1,250   | \$752     | \$1,250   | to be faithful stewards of time, money and talent.                                  |
|  | 13   |   | 0.24%     | 0.18%     | 0.24%     |   |
| 8 4 9 9 9                                  | 14   | Equipping Conference Ministries                                 |           |           |           |   |
|  | 15   | Office/Travel for Meetings (Leadership Team)                    | \$9,000   | \$4,547   | \$7,000   | Administrative support is essential for maximizing                                  |
|  | 16   | Gifts Discernment Ministry meetings                             | \$500     | \$667     | \$500     | the volunteer time and the financial resources of Conference. This support also     |
|  | 17   | Kidron Office Expenses  | \$16,300  | \$12,235  | \$15,340  | includes preparation of official documents, including pastoral credentials;         |
|  | 18   | Printing Expenses   | \$22,000  | \$21,105  | \$22,000  | providing resources to delegates, including Annual Conference Assembly,             |
|  | 19   | Resource Library Expenses for new materials                     | \$300     | \$2       | \$200     | Cluster Meetings and Delegate News; and informing congregations of various          |
|  | 20   | Annual Assembly Expenses  | \$5,000   | \$3,032   | \$5,000   | ministries and events throughout Conference through Perspective                     |
|  | 21   | Annual Assembly Receipts  | (\$5,000) | (\$48)    | (\$5,000) | and the Ohio Evangel.   |
|  | 22   | Administrative salaries, benefits, & expenses (Judy, Ann, Stan) | \$120,394 | \$98,344  | \$119,776 |   |
| EVANGEL<br>News & Views of Obio Conference | 23   | 30% of the Regional Pastors salaries, benefits, & expenses      | \$45,841  | \$36,364  | \$44,016  | Support for these ministries ensures the efficiency of Conference work,             |
|  | 24   | 70 % of Conference Minister salary, benefits, & expenses        | \$63,220  | \$51,845  | \$63,909  | allowing volunteers to engage their passions and to promote the projects            |
|  | 25   | sub-total   | \$277,555 | \$228,093 | \$272,741 | of Conference thus facilitating the work that we do together that we could not      |
|  | 26   |   | 53.56%    | 54.26%    | 51.91%    | accomplish apart.   |

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|---------------------------|----|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|
| 2013-2014 Spending Plan   |    |   |           |           |           | This represents the goals and plans  |
|                           |    |   | 2012-2013 | 1/31/2013 | 2013-2014 | for the mission and ministry of Ohio Conference.                                       |
|                           | 27 | Embodied Worship, Faith & Witness                         |           |           |           |  |
|                           | 28 | Office/Travel for meetings                                | \$2,000   | \$623     | \$1,500   | Strengthening congregations to promote worship, faith and witness is one of the        |
|                           | 29 | Prayer Ministry Team                                      | \$300     | \$14      | \$150     | primary aims of Conference work. Through equipping and supporting pastors              |
|                           | 30 | Ministry Development Team Retreats & Seminars             | \$1,000   | \$860     | \$1,000   | and congregational leaders, more gifts are released for witness to the community.      |
|                           | 31 | Resource Team expenses                                    | \$1,000   |           | \$1,000   |  |
|                           | 32 | Coord of Vol salary, benefits, expenses (Sherah-Leigh)    | \$21,514  | \$19,032  | \$22,917  | Support for this work enables ministry teams to respond to congregational needs and    |
|                           | 33 | Conference Resource Advocate                              | \$1,000   | \$677     | \$500     | cultural concerns. Hispanic ministries, youth ministry resourcing, and church planting |
|                           | 34 | MDT Ministry Support                                      | \$12,400  | \$8,435   | \$18,950  | are additional projects supported by Conference.                                       |
|                           | 35 | Pastoral Scholarship Fund                                 | \$9,000   | \$7,700   | \$9,000   |  |
|                           | 36 | Open Arms   |           | \$3,750   | \$4,500   |  |
|                           | 37 | Brazo en Brazo  |           | \$3,750   | \$4,500   |  |
|                           | 38 | 10% of the Regional Pastors salaries, benefits & expenses | \$15,280  | \$12,121  | \$14,672  |  |
|                           | 39 | sub-total   | \$63,494  | \$56,962  | \$78,689  |  |
|                           | 40 |   | 12.25%    | 13.55%    | 14.98%    |  |

|           | 41 | Denominational Support                                  |          |          |          |
|-----------|----|---|----------|----------|----------|
| Mennonite | 42 | MC Executive Leadership Support                         | \$43,800 | \$36,500 | \$44,000 |
| 7 USA     | 43 | Constituency Leaders Council Support                    |          |          | \$1,000  |
|           | 44 | Delegates to General Assembly                           | \$5,000  | \$1,265  | \$5,000  |
|           | 45 | 10% of Conference Minister salary, benefits, & expenses | \$9,031  | \$7,407  | \$9,130  |
|           | 46 | sub-total   | \$57,831 | \$45,172 | \$59,130 |
|           | 47 |   | 11.16%   | 10.75%   | 11.25%   |

Conference provides the link between congregations and the national denominational structure. The resources and connection that this provides are valuable for congregations. Support of this work releases the gifts of ministry at a national level. It also demonstrates our commitment to first fruits stewardship and the witness of Mennonites through the work of Mennonite Mission Network and the Executive Leadership.

| 48 | Total Expenses              | \$518,225 | \$420,362 | \$525,452 |
|----|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 49 | Receipts                    |           |           |           |
| 50 | Congregational Giving       | \$425,000 | \$384,501 | \$450,000 |
| 51 | Individual Giving           | \$40,000  | \$27,374  | \$20,000  |
| 52 | Transfer from Capital Funds | \$53,225  |           | \$55,452  |
| 53 | Total Income                | \$518,225 | \$411,875 | \$525,452 |

