**Rhode Island Society of Pathologists (RISP)**

**September 2nd, 2015**

**Meeting minutes**

1. The meeting place was at Miriam hospital, Sopkin auditorium at 6 pm.
2. In attendance: Drs. Douglas Anthony, Ali Amin, Mariana Canepa, Andres Matoso, Dariusz Stachurski, Diana Treaba. Lijuan Wang, Madhu Ouseph, Yun-An Tseng, Hui Yiang, Michael Punsoni, Nelli Lakis, Hai Wang, Marcos Lepe, Pallavi Patil, Anna Piskorski, Stephanie Wood, Chaohui Zhao, Stefan Kostadinov, C. James Sung, Mai He, Katrine Hansen, M. Rahul Quddus, Cheri Paquette, Eric Han, and Xiaoping Zhou.
3. The president Ali Amin, MD opened the meeting.
4. Minutes from May 2015 meeting were approved.
5. The treasurer Stefan Kostadinov, MD announced the treasurer’s report.
6. New members Cherie Paquette, MD and Stephanie Wood, MD were voted and accepted.
7. Dr Amin called for a minute of silence in memory of Dr Kothary. OMPRAKASH HIRALAL KOTHARI, M.D. of East Greenwich, Rhode Island passed away peacefully on Thursday August 20, surrounded by family and friends. Born in 1945 in Maharashtra, India, he was an accomplished pathologist who worked for 40 years at the Kent County and Rhode Island Hospitals. He officially retired in 2013 after having served as Chief of the Pathology Department at Kent for 21 years. He was a kind soul and a wise friend who will be always remembered for the warmth and unwavering support he gave us.
8. Call for volunteers/nominations for the next secretary/treasurer of the Society.
9. Interesting case presentations by residents and faculty.
   1. *Intravascular CD5 (+ve) DLBCL, Hai Wang*
   2. *Peripheral T-cell lymphoma with EBV-positive Hodgkin/Reed-Sternberg-like cells of B-cell lineage*, H.Yiang, M.D. and D. Treaba, M.D.
   3. *Rosai-Dorfman disease of the testis*, A. Matoso, MD
   4. *Mammary analogue secretory carcinoma of parotid gland diagnosed by FNA and core biopsy, M.*Ouseph, MD
   5. *POC twin with molar pregnancy,* Mai He, MD
   6. *Unusual metastatic locations of urothelial carcinoma, CL Zhao, MD*
   7. *Walthard’s nests of the abdomen with elephantiasis nostra vera of the extremities, A. Piskorski*
   8. *IgG4 related aortitis, M. Lepe, MD*