The Synod Council conducted a meeting through electronic communications in order to address one roster matter prior to the next regularly scheduled meeting. Secretary Kevin Anderson presented the motion in a message to all Synod Council members sent on Saturday, October 9, 2021, on or about 1:04 PM EDT. The voting was held open until 5:00 PM EDT on Wednesday, October 13, 2021.

The following identifies the members who voted on the motion by means of a responding electronic mail message:

**Voting:**
- Bishop Leila Ortiz
- Vice President Jennifer Slagle Peck
- Secretary Kevin Anderson
- Treasurer Julie Hamre
- Andreas Dangin
- Sheena Foster
- Cameron Johnson
- Pr. Eugene Kern
- Heather Light
- Melody Mobley
- Ashelyn Mosby
- Pr. Elijah Mwitanti
- Pr. Sarah Scherschligt
- Pr. Angela Shannon
- Laura Stall
- Pr. Eva Steege
- Pr. Krista Vingelis
- Donald Wallace

**Not Voting:**
- Dcn. Katherine Miller-Holland
- Melody Stachour
- Pr. David Trott

**Vacancy:**
- Youth representative

The motion was made by Bishop Ortiz and seconded by Secretary Anderson.

**SC21.10.36:** That the Rev. Karis Graham be called to serve in specialized ministry as Interim Pastor of Peace Lutheran Church, Waldorf, Maryland, effective October 19, 2021.
The electronic meeting was closed at 5:00 PM EDT on Wednesday, October 13, 2021, pursuant to the rules established when the motion was distributed. Of the 18 members who cast a vote on the motion, there were 18 votes in favor and no votes opposed. The motion was voted on by a majority of the members of the Synod Council, and was approved by a majority of those members voting.