

Minutes  
DUNWOODY COMMUNITY GARDEN BOARD MEETING

Date of meeting: May 3, 2022

ATTENDEES: Ann Bone, Sandra Dubois, Jeff Lynch, Cyndi McGill, Art Simon, Sheila Wilder, and Ann Wright

The meeting was called to order via zoom at 6:51 pm by Cyndi McGill.

Minutes from the BOD meeting held April 5, 2022, were presented by Ann Wright. Motion made by Ann Bone to accept the minutes. Motion was seconded by Art Simon and unanimously accepted.

Vice Chair Update – presented by Ann Bone

Pantry beds

- Workday scheduled for May 9th with plans to install three pantry beds
- Newsletter- request for members to forward pictures from the plant sale and wine and cheese to be used in the newsletter.

Membership Update – presented by Cyndi McGill

- Currently twelve individuals on the wait list.
- Two new members: Amy Sue bed 103 and Melissa Henken bed 412.

- Surrenders- Lori Altman plot 513, transitioned to an affiliate status.
- Open bed 513 to be assigned after the workday.
- Cyndi McGill and Eleanor Geddes conducted an audit of the beds on April 27<sup>th</sup>.
- Unmaintained bed status
  - Bed 114- Chris Jacobs received final notice, bed was cleared that week.
  - Bed 404 Timi O as agreed to clear bed ASAP.
  - Bed 501 email sent to Jessica Hunt
  - Bed 500 second notice sent to Kelly Givens

#### Treasurer's Report – presented by Cyndi McGill

- Total available in Checking, \$17,535.18
- Plant gross sales- \$11,979
- Presale \$1000
- Mike Fallon plant sales \$60

#### Greenhouse Update – presented by Art Simon

- Art reported plants have been donated for use at Stone Mountain, Brookhaven, and Captain Planet.
- Pantry beds have been planted with tomatoes, peppers, and squash.

#### Main Garden Update – presented by Jeff Leech

- Front gate will be scratched at this time from the 5/9 workday list.

- Brent Walker Dunwoody Parks and Recreation Director advised a five-foot-wide sidewalk will be installed to the road.
- Garden cleanup is scheduled for May 9<sup>th</sup> with the plan to have an additional 3 pantry added.
- Cox has agreed to purchase picnic tables and benches.
- Slate chips (\$500) delivered. Benches and tables to be placed over the slate chips.
- Mint and potato vines will be removed, landscape fabric and beds to be installed.
- Tomato cages currently have not been removed.
- No till garden has been approved for side wall, green beans to be installed and maintained by Rod Pittman.
- Wood chips should only be installed in the raised beds, members should be discouraged from applying such around the exterior perimeter of their personal beds.

#### Social - presented by Sheila Wilder

- Wine & Cheese was a success and well received by attendees.
- Sheila reported \$1000 was spent on the event with over 80 DCGO members and Friends of the Garden in attendance. Portion of the monies was used to purchase paper products and supplies to be used by volunteers on future workdays.
- Upcoming Annual meeting-encourage members to attend.
- 30 members attended the previous meeting, \$700 spent on the event.

New Business – presented by Cyndi McGill

- Tremendous job once again completed by Art Simon and his group of volunteers leading up to the plant sale.
- Plant sale recap- definite need to increase membership involvement. Currently members agree to provide twelve hours of service.
- Determine future capital projects and allocated funds.

Other

Insight Global completed cleaning, sorting, and stacking unused pots on 4/20/2022 in the greenhouse complex.

With no further business, Sheila Wilder made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:51pm.

Motion was seconded by Art Simon and meeting was concluded.

Next scheduled meeting is scheduled for June 7, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Wright

Recording Secretary