



Minutes of the Wednesday, March 11, 2020 Meeting

The Sage Diner

Persons in attendance:

Marilyn Ailes, Shannon Alexander, Jessica Steelman, and Paul Muhly were in attendance.

Call to Order

President Ailes called the meeting to order at 5:50PM.

Minutes of February 18, 2020 Meeting

The minutes were presented. Treasurer Alexander moved to approve the minutes as presented. The motion, seconded by Mr. Muhly, carried unanimously.

Treasurer Report

President Ailes presented the treasurer's report. Treasurer Alexander moved to approve the Treasurer Report as presented. The motion, seconded by Mr. Muhly, carried unanimously.

Unfinished Business:

Social Media Marketing Strategy & GreenNews Report

Secretary Steelman provided a brief report.

Grants Update

Secretary Steelman provided a brief update on the Eastern Shore Community Foundation Grant. The Grant application has been submitted.

GA Bills

Secretary Steelman provided a brief report on 2020 General Assembly legislation that pertains to Waste Watchers.

OOCR Events Update

The OOCR events will be Bayside Cleanup – March 7th, 2020 went well, resulting in 18 volunteers (for a total of 72 volunteer hours) and 37 bags of trash picked up.

The next OOCR events will be Run for the Animals Cleanup – tentative May 9th, 2020? The run is May 17th, 2020; Clean the Bay Day – June 6th, 2020.

County BOS Presentations

Discussion ensued regarding outreach for volunteers to appear in front of the BoS.

Essay Contest

President Ailes provided a brief report; 6 winners were selected from the total 312 submissions. Every elementary school participated, along with several middle and high schools.

New Business

President Ailes presented report on further outreach with Trinity Church. Discussion ensued to provide outreach and education to gain membership.

Other Items

Shannon Alexander resigned as Secretary. Shannon Alexander moved to nominate Jessica Steelman as Secretary. This motion, seconded by Mr. Muhly, passed unanimously. Secretary Steelman moved to nominate Shannon Alexander as Treasurer. This motion, seconded by Mr. Muhly, passed unanimously.

The next meeting will be held on April 8th, 2020 at The Sage Diner, Onley, Virginia at 5:30PM.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:50pm.