

Pulaski County Master Gardener
Executive Board Meeting Via Zoom
April 20, 2021

Members Present: Sharon Priest, Cindy Strauss, Sara Jordan, Pam Gadberry, Susan Stewart, Jodie Mahony, Deeana Montgomery, Ann Schweitzer, Michele Wasson and Randy Forst.

Welcome: President Sharon Priest called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m.

Minutes: March minutes were reviewed. Cindy Strauss made a motion to approve, Deeana Montgomery seconded. The minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Pam Gadberry presented both bank statements. Jodie Majony made a motion to approve, Michele Wasson seconded. The report was approved.

New Minutes: Restarting in person General Meetings was brought before the Board. Under current Covid restrictions meetings would be capped at 100 people. Following a discussion, it was decided to wait until September to decide.

Reports:

Projects: Cindy Strauss reported the Chair and Co-Chair meeting was conducted via zoom following the General meeting March 16. Both Greenhouses have been successful with their yearly plant sales.

Standing Committees: Sharon Priest, reporting for Carol Mendel, shared information about the upcoming Meet and Greet May 12 at The Old Mill in North Little Rock.

PEST Committee: Sharon Priest, reporting for Suzanne Potts, said the PEST group will begin visiting projects in person in May wearing masks.

Speakers: Jodie Mahony reported the following speakers for upcoming general meetings: April, Marion Lewis-Lognion from Hocott's Nursery. May, Marcy Bujarski - Bees. June, the owner of Izzy's Restaurant – Butterfly Gardens. September, an enactor from Garvan Woodland Gardens.

Sharon Priest reported PCMG will contribute a budgeted \$200 basket of goodies for the County 76 Virtual Auction associated with the State Conference.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:23 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sara Jordan

Secretary