Pulaski County Master Gardener Executive Board Meeting via Zoom June 15, 2021

Members Present: Sharon Priest, Cindy Strauss, Sara Jordan, Pam Gadberry, Carol Mendel, Michele Wasson, Jodi Mahony and Randy Forst.

Welcome: The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by President Sharon Priest.

Minutes: As minutes for the May meetings were not sent in advance of the zoom meeting, they will be presented for approval at the September meeting.

Treasurer's Report: Pam Gadberry presented both bank statements. They were not voted on.

PEST: Carol Mendel shared the next PEST visit will be at the Old Mill June 23. July 13 the committee will meet with Pinnacle Mountain State Park. A date in early November will be set for a social gathering to recognize project chairs and cochairs.

Projects: Cindy Strauss reported Susan Richie has transferred from White County and begun working at the Old Mill. She has also contacted project chairs regarding the need for new members.

Project chairs are no longer required to maintain Covid contact lists unless a meeting is held indoors.

Randy shared the BRI project has resumed work with strict Covid procedures.

Speakers: Sharon reported Jodi Mahony is working out details for a lady who impersonates Mrs. Garvin to be the presenter for September's PCMG general meeting. As this is a business, the lady will be given a W9 with funds coming from either the PCMG depository or private account. Travel is a separate payment that comes from the state office.

Standing Committee: Sharon shared the Social committee is planning a Holiday Party to be held at the Pleasant Valley Country Club. Carol will provide details as they become available.

Leave of Absence: Tim Kelly has requested a leave of absence. The absence was approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:26 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sara Jordan

Secretary