

# GREEN ACRES COMMUNITY GARDEN MEETING

OCTOBER 25, 2025

## ATTENDANCE

PRESIDENT Twila Goshorn

TREASURER Noreen Butano

MEMBERS: Sylvia Byrnes, Carol Chronister, Cindy McCarty, Deborah Motylinski, Eric Nowjack, Lois Zakelj, Larry Bender, Lois Krebs, Joe Tokar, Sandy Valenti, Simonne Benoit

Meeting called to order at 10:05am by President Twila Goshorn

Minutes from last meeting was attached to meeting email. Motion to accept minutes made by Lois Krebs and seconded by Lois Zakelji.

## Treasurers Report.

Total receipts -\$263.94

Total disbursements-\$1235.14

Total checking account amount-\$706.80

Total in savings account-\$8,500.39

CD amount-\$6,035.16

Total of Greene Acres Accounts-\$15,242.35 as of 10/25/25

## President report

Plan to build higher 4 plots (#31,45,46,and 60) which will add more raised plots, handle the tree root problem in those plots and aid members who need a higher plots. Will fill these plots with wood chips this fall if the weather holds. Plan to look for scouts to do the building in March. The plots should be ready by spring planting

Plan to have an extra work day on November 8<sup>th</sup> if weather permits to add woodchips to the above plots, put up hoses/wheelbarrow, add mulch to pollinator plot and close the garden.

Discussed the need for officers in the future and discussed options if officers not found for 2027

All plots need to be cleaned of weeds and above ground material by December 1st. Tomato cages, stakes and trellises must be taken home for the winter.

Fourteen people have not met the volunteer requirements as of 10/18/25. Deadline for adding hours will be November 8<sup>th</sup>.

Simonnne Benoit conducted the election of officers for 2026.

Nominations

President-Twila Goshorn

Vice President-Barbara Brown\*

Secretary-Gloria Hinkle\*

Treasurer-Noreen Butano

The officers were approved unanimously..

- Not present but agreed to take office on October 18<sup>th</sup>.

Workgroup Reports

Garden Harvest- Total donations this year were 200 pounds which is a significant drop from previous years. The drop causes may be related to a poor growing season and thief of donated produce in the shed.

Monitoring/security-No report

Education- Focus has been on the pollinator plot this year.

Communication-Our website is being redone. Revised website is projected to “go live” on November 1<sup>st</sup>.

Drawing for a free plot next year.

Winners are Lois Zaklji and Sandy Valenti.

Meeting adjourned at 10:55am

Submitted by,

Twila Goshorn