



Minutes – May 5, 2021
6:00 p.m. Zoom Virtual Meeting

Attending President D. Vidlak; Vice President D. Stahl; Treasurer L. Froistad; R. Behrns; R. Brandenburg; J. Baroni; K. Forrest; Executive Director L. Behrns.

Meeting brought to order by President Vidlak at 6:07.

OLD BUSINESS

1. The Minutes were approved on a motion by Brandenburg second by Forrest.
2. The Treasurer's Report was approved on a motion by Brandenburg second by Stahl.
3. On a motion by Vidlak and second by Froisted Article V of the Bylaws were revised as: Rules of Order - Meetings will follow simple procedures of order that ensure all board members are heard, given notifications and can participate equally in discussions, motions and voting.
4. Discussion was held on an Appreciation event recognizing volunteers & members. The possibility of a Thursday evening at Slattery's in late September or early October will be checked.

NEW BUSINESS

1. An Internal audit of 2020 financials was approved on a motion by Stahl, second by Forrest.
2. A pizza party for Conestoga youth helping start recycling program was approved on a motion by Brandenburg and second by Forrest.
3. A discussion of Keep Nebraska Beautiful Day on June 26 was held and some ideas were suggested.
4. Plans for Cass County Fair booth and recycling during fair was held.
5. An in-person outdoor June meeting was discussed with the possibility of meeting at Garfield Park, maybe a pot-luck, with the VFW as a weather backup and Zoom being available.
6. Executive Director's report

The meeting was adjourned at 7:07 pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by R Behrns

FUTURE MEETINGS- 2021

June 2, July 7, Aug. 4, Sept. 1, Oct. 6, Nov. 3, Dec. 1

PROGRAMS, INITIATIVES, & DEADLINES

- *Waste in Place*: Youth Environmental Programs via website
- IRS 941 Payroll Tax Deposit due monthly by the 12th
- Adopt-a-Spot program available for individuals, families or small groups
- Great American Cleanup (GAC) program: March 20 – June 20
- Collaborate with T.E.A.M. for *Bag the Butts* litter cleanups – month of May

- Village of Manley - GAC – May 1 at 9:00 a.m.
- *Guest Reader* litter prevention programs @ Weeping Water Elem.- May 3 -4
- Assist with county Household Hazardous Waste Collections- May 7 – 8
- Litter prevention program with Conestoga Elem. green team – May 7
- Keep Nebraska Beautiful Affiliate Zoom mtg.- May 10
- Village of Eagle – GAC – May 15
- *Trash to Treasures* workshops for 4-H youth – June 7 & 9
- KCCB Electronic Recycling Event – June 12 in Eagle; 9:00 - Noon
- Keep Nebraska Beautiful Day – June 26

Director's Report of April Activities:

- Finalized spring youth programs for Conestoga & Weeping Water Elem. Schools
- Scheduled litter cleanups with Weeping Water Elem. School, Louisville Boy Scouts Troop 353, Murray Girl Scouts 40201, Cedar Creek, Manley and Eagle
- Submitted news articles & pictures to *Plattsmouth Journal & Cassgram*
- Participated in Zoom & webinar meetings: KNB monthly affiliate mtg.; *KAB Consumer Behaviors & Zero Waste Communities*; *TEAM Coalition Mtg.*; *KAB Reduce, Reuse- Innovations in Market-Based Solutions*
- Dana taught environmental programs to 342 Conestoga Elementary School youth & 23 fourth graders at Plattsmouth Elementary
- Taught composting programs to 94 youth & 5 teachers through live Zoom presentations for the Nebraska Game & Parks Outdoor Discovery Program
- Earth Day - April 22 – Held KCCB educational booth at Plattsmouth Hy-Vee – 45 participants
- Held electronic recycling & large appliance event in Weeping Water for 96 households. 10,367 pounds collected
- Completed & submitted Qrt. 1 NDEE grant reports for Public Ed Grant, Cleanup Grant and Waste Grant
- Submitted Nebraska Biennial Report & 990 Income Tax Form
- Logged a few Adopt-a-Spot volunteer hrs.

KCCB's mission: to inspire and educate individuals to take daily actions to improve and beautify their community environment.

KCCB's vision: To create a community where everyone enjoys a clean, green and beautiful place to live, work and play.