

# Minutes – November 3, 2021 6:00 p.m. Zoom Mtg.

Attending: Vice President T. Lorensen; Treasurer L. Froistad J. Baroni; R. Behrns; K. Forrest; Executive Director L. Behrns; Assistant Director Dana Stahl.

Guests: Steve Dodd, & Elizabeth Umshler. The meeting was called to order at 6:05.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

- 1. The Minutes were approved on a motion by Baroni and second by Behrns.
- 2. The Treasurer's Report was approved on a motion by Lorensen and second by Baroni.
- 3. New board members Dodd & Umshler were welcomed with introductions. terms begin January 2022

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

- 1. A motion was made by Behrns, seconded by Baroni to set the Director's Salary for 2022 at \$4000 per month.
- 2. There was general agreement to keep the meetings at 6 pm on the first Wednesday of the month. Locations and Zoom to be determined. During the summer, a meeting time of 7 pm may be possible.
- 3. Cardboard recycling at Plattsmouth Middle School was discussed and ideas were suggested.
- 4. A survey to be used at a Plattsmouth Chamber networking event was discussed and there were suggestions for the questions.
- 5. The Executive Director's report was presented.
- 6. December 1 mtg. will be a Christmas dinner party at 6:30 p.m. at La Fiesta Mexican Restaurant, Plattsmouth. Meal will be Dutch treat and spouse/guest welcome.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:05 on motion of Baroni and second by Forrest.

Respectfully submitted by R. Behrns

#### **FUTURE MEETINGS- 2021**

Dec. 1

## PROGRAMS, INITIATIVES, & DEADLINES

- Waste in Place: Youth Environmental Programs upon request
- IRS 941 Payroll Tax Deposit due monthly by the 12<sup>th</sup>
- Adopt-a-Spot program available for individuals, families or small groups
- Recycle Your Pumpkins Day at Plattsmouth Hy-Vee Nov. 2 from 3:00 6:00 p.m.
- Deliver pumpkins to Wild Safari Park & Soil Dynamics Nov. 3
- Litter Cleanup of Mahoney Rd. by Red Berry Innovations, Springfield Nov. 4
- Village of Eagle fall litter cleanup Nov. 6 from 10:00 11:30 a.m.
- KCCB honored at 4-H Achievement Party Nov. 7
- KNB Affiliate Zoom mtg. Nov. 8 3:00 -4:00 p.m.

- Plattsmouth Middle School after school program Nov. 8
- Conestoga after school programs monthly
- Recycling programs at Elmwood-Murdock Elem. School second week in Nov.
- Litter Cleanup & program with Murray Girl Scouts TBD
- KCCB booth at Plattsmouth Chamber Networking Event Nov. 10 from 6:00 9:00 p.m.
- America Recycles Day Nov. 15
- Keep America Beautiful National Conference Wash. D.C. Nov. 15 –17 (Dana attending)
- Recycling programs at Louisville Elem. School Nov. 29 Dec. 2

**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.

### Director's Report of October Activities:

- Bob Verkuilen, KNB President, made an office visit. Tree planting will take place in the spring using the KNB UPS shared tree grant.
- Dana attended the Nebraska Recycling Council fall virtual conference and several virtual and in-person workshops.
- Linda attended the Interagency mtg. in Plattsmouth & KNB virtual affiliate mtg.
- Planned KCCB Pumpkin Recycling Event at Plattsmouth Hy-Vee on Nov. 2 from 3:00 –
   6:00 p.m. Carved pumpkins will be taken to Soil Dynamics for composting; uncarved will feed animals at the Wildlife Safari Park.
- KCCB fall newsletter was distributed via Cassgram attachment and personal emails.
- Held electronic recycling event at Louisville approx. 48 households participated; collected 1,922 lbs. including 31 TVs/CRTs, several large appliances and 35 lbs. of batteries
- Lofte Theater "Together Project" recognized KCCB board at Oct.16 show. Two new recycling bins were presented to manager Kevin Colbert to start recycling at the theater.
- Roger and Linda represented KCCB at the Weeping Water Sunset Banquet and donated a door prize.
- Dana provided fall recycling programs at Plattsmouth after School program for 25 MS youth, Conestoga Elem. School for 400 students, Plattsmouth St. John the Baptist Catholic School for 145 youth and 15 Murray Girl Scouts.
- Linda presented an Appreciation Award at an assembly to Marla Smith, Plattsmouth Middle School teacher, for her role in starting a water bottle recycling program last year.
- Provided recommendations for resources for Eagle's return of a recycling program.
- Provided litter cleanup supplies for several groups: Plattsmouth Lions Club, Village of Manley, Town and Country Humane Society & Elmwood-Murdock FBLA organization
- Distributed recycling and litter prevention information at the Beaver Lake Trunk or Treat event for about 70 households and treats to about 125 youth.
- NDEE Qrt. 3 grant reimbursement reports were submitted for the cleanup grant, waste grant and public education grant.