

Meeting Date: 4/21/2017, 9:00am

Present: Dan Schell, Andrew Platt, Olivia Martin, Kayla Baier, Alex Smith, Ryan Burch, Nancy Church, Nina Coleman, Hillary Greenberg Lemos, Rachel Hutchinson, Lauren McKeak (by phone), Jessica Whritenour

- Introductions & Welcomes
- No old business to discuss
- House updates
 - Wells
 - Getting into burn season
 - Wellfleet
 - Lots of weekend projects coming up
 - LeHac now has 6 chickens in their chicken coup
 - Mood in house better with warmer weather
 - More people getting out of house
 - Bourne
 - Excited for increased weekend projects
 - People have been getting out of the house a lot
- IP Updates
 - Site visits completed – Dan & Andrew split them up to speak with service partners they didn't know as well.
 - Second member evaluation coming in a few months
 - Most issues with current placements have resolved themselves, thanks in large part to the work Amy had put in
 - With Amy gone, Andrew has taken over IP facilitation
- COD Day
 - Media member: environmental show on local access TV on Earth Day (April 22nd)
 - New group service structure on Thursdays going very well
 - National Volunteer Week
 - Week of service projects with volunteers focused around community gardens & pollinators
 - Mon/Tue: Mashpee & Chatham, Wed: CACO, Thu: Harwich & Barnstable, Fri: CACO Highlands Center
 - Creating a member committee for signature event planning worked well
 - Canal Clean Up
 - Earth Day, Sat April 22
 - Focus on pollinators
- Coordinator Update
 - Funding update: all set on County, unsure about Federal, but confident
 - Won't impact until Year 20, pending current continuing resolution
 - MSA Site Visit next month, preparing
 - Recruitment underway
 - Tons of online apps, good handful of supplementals in
 - FireCorps filling quickly
 - Large group of members want to come back/apply for supervisor positions
 - Looking at Ad Board/Alumn panel at summer retreat
- Calendar Updates
 - MSA Site visit week (mid May)
 - Summer Retreat (June 7-9)
 - June 24 Highlands Fest
 - June 30 next Ad Board meeting
 - Looking to announce IPs in late May
 - July 27 Graduation
- IP Discussion
 - 29 Applications
 - Looking at volunteer engagement and stewardship for good IPs
 - Broke out into review groups, ACC Staff leading, joined by current members