

## **Miller Garden Club ----- Minutes for October 15, 2011 General Meeting**

President, Karin Crane, called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as submitted.

The treasurer's report (showing a year-to-date balance of \$4821.84 and \$10,661.47 in the checking account) was accepted as submitted.

A **Workday** is scheduled for October 22, 2011 to move plants at the Aquatorium and to plant bulbs left over from the Brats and Bulbs sale. The roses (from the Aquatorium) have been moved to the circular garden west of the Aquatorium by the lagoon. They were planted in memory of Virginia Thrower. Lee Botts is following up regarding a plaque.

**Winter Outing:** Planned for February 2012.

**Publicity Committee:** Corya Channing, Joanne Stratton, and Judy Ayers are working on getting articles in the local newspapers. They are also creating a brochure, which will include information on the history of the club, projects undertaken as well as a membership form that can be torn off and submitted. They requested \$600, which was approved by the board to be used for advertising. Joanne is revising a media list.

**Newsletter:** Please send any submissions to Marty Bohn.

The new **Bylaws** were submitted for approval. Jack Tonk moved that they be approved. Sue Rutsen seconded. They were approved.

**Election:** The slate of officers submitted for 2011-2012 (see below) was reelected by acclamation.

President: Karin Crane

Vice President: Corya Channing

Secretary: Barbara deRamona

Treasurer: Jack Tonk

Directors: Joanne Stratton and Laura Demchuck were re-elected for a term from 2011 to 2013

### **Announcements:**

The club will have a table at the Seed Exchange on January 21, 2012.

Robin Rich and Rebecca Hanscom made an announcement regarding the Community Garden. For more information, call 219 743 0624.

Residents of Ogden Dunes lost kayaks in the recent storm.

Soil Test Kits were available.