MILLER GARDEN CLUB BONUS MEETING MAY 19, 2018

President Corya Channing opened the meeting at 10 a.m. announcing that this was a Bonus meeting to go over last weeks' Plant and Rummage Sale. She thanked all the volunteers that were present for organizing the Plant and Rummage Sale.

The following comments and suggestions were made by the audience of about 30 guests and members.

- 1. Excellent results as the club's early profits were about \$6,000 and money was still coming in.
- 2. The rummage sale should have a separate cashier located in the rummage room.
- 3. More cashiers were needed as people exited.
- 4. More annual plant sale signs.
- 5. Identify deer resistant plants with signs.
- 6. The flat prices were confusing. What size plants and how many in a flat would be more helpful.
- 7. Very impressive event, and well organized.
- 8. A pre-list of plants should be made available for ordering before the event.
- 9. Order more Witch Hazel and shrubs.
- 10. Attendees enjoyed their conversations while waiting in line to pay discussing what they bought.
- 11. Better signs for the box lunches and pies.
- 12. Order signs listing box lunch menu and prices for lunch along with sizes of pies and their prices.
- 13. Single slices of pies should be available in the future. There was confusion as people thought they could buy single slices but they were the dessert for the box lunches.

The following announcements were made:

Dawn Vanzo stated that we need to a plan a calendar for the movement of the plants on Lake Street. It will have to be a community push to get the job done.

The board has an open board position. Please let the president know if you are interested or have a suggestion.

Joanne Stratton is the Recording Secretary Pro Tem.

June 23 is the scheduled garden tour of Pullman Gardens. Please sign up if you wish to attend.

This year's Garden Walk is July 21-22 and volunteers and garden angels are needed. Please sign up.

The meeting was closed at 10:48 am.

After a brief break Elizabeth introduced today's speaker, David Durkewitz who would be discussing Urban Foraging.

The talk was videotaped and will be placed on the website in a few weeks.