

Attendance : Hugh Turner, Mike Weidner, Frank Powell, Don Cook, the Gronwalls, Armut Patel, Carole Baker, Bill Woods.

Treasurer's Report : Carol Baker presented the numbers. Discussion on how to pay for Wild Apricot.

Minutes, July 2014 : unavailable. Note - bylaws mods passed.

Old Business : Mike had 2 issues. 2 yr succession clause for Pres and VP. Household - 2 or 1 vote. No consensus yet.

New Business :

Membership and website - 145 members, signups slowing down. Gmail addresses for board members coming. How to add special interest items to website. Updates to center on the 15th of the month. Discussion on position papers vs. articles of information. Will Wild Apricot allow us our own photos on web blasts? Lake George brochure update by Armut. Grant \$\$ may be available. About \$2K for a print run. CNB pledged \$100. Can we reprint on our own and just acknowledge Lake George? Tract leaders brought up by Don. Need "area champions" to help boost membership. Not necessarily board members. How to recognize long term board members - free membership? Certificates? Terry on 2015 projects to champion. Some 2014 successes. NYSFOLA mtg at Cayuga Lake. Can register on website. Selection of officers - tabled til next month.

Other - grapevine to go full electronic w/ paper available at Town Hall and library? Macrophyte sampling on 8-23. Don needs help with rake toss. Bruce Gilman sent note on completion of zebra mussel density - lower than when first detected in July 2002. 2014 macrophyte study began 8-13, continues into Sept. Both projects to be summarized in upcoming Grapevines.