WGC Board Meeting 3/14/19 Present: E. Lebo, J. Lynch, S. Lynch, A. Fasano, K. Wylie, A. McCarthy, E. Hall, J. Clifford, K Ceurvels, K. Borek, K. Meade, L. Monaco,

Emily Lebo presiding.

Meeting called to order _7:05pm

February minutes were sent out by Mary Ryan. No Corrections or additions

Treasurer's Report-Linda Monaco Jan beginning balance 18,931.67 expenses 494, ending balance 18562.39 Feb beginning bal 18,562.39 exp 525 ending balance 18191.11 petty cash \$5-

Assistant Treasurer's report-Anita Fasano for Marnie; Membership renewal starts for renewals March 21st meeting. Marnie has created renewal apps which Anita and her team will give out. Jan was asked to remind people to bring their checks to the meeting.

Corresponding Secretary's report-Kate Wylie;

Membership renewals presented for Arnold Arboretum and Friends of the Blue Hills. Linda will send checks.

March Meeting Update; speaker all set, open to the public, will be advertised in Quincy Sun

GCFM Spring Meeting Wednesday June 5th to be attended by J. Clifford, A. Fasano, K. Ceurvels, E. Lebo,

Sharon Garden Club President's Meeting Monday 4/22/19 6:30pm to be attended by E. Lebo and L. Monaco

Two complimentary Flower Show tickets received as part of our Mass Hort membership, given to A. Fasano

Appointment of Nominating Committee 1 person to be recommended by E Lebo, one by the membership and the Board recommended K. Ceurvels

2019-2020 Calendar review. Speakers' workshop will be attended by E. Lebo and K. Ceurvels on March 19 and they will bring back info on possible speakers,

High School Scholarships: QHS to be given June 5 by L. Monaco and NQHS June 7th by E. Lebo and L. Monaco. Recipients will be chosen by the High Schools' Guidance departments closer to the dates.

Environmental Stewardship Award will be brought to the members meeting for recommendations

Update on Tri-Club -Susan Lynch: Set up/Food/ committees in place to ensure a successful event. Jan was asked to highlight the need for people to sigh up when she sends the meeting reminder notice.

Update on Art in Bloom- Jo Costello and Ruth Griffin exhibit will be on display April 27-29th at the MFA

Update on essay winners -Diane Hill; Waiting on GCFM for financial commitment

Upcoming Horticulture Workshop-3/27/19 Cynthia Lewis will be making hypertufa, mailing to be sent to members and announcement at meeting to sign up

Committee Updates:

Hospitality Committee: A. McCarthy and K. Mead asked to go over the guidelines for hosting and participating in meetings

Conservation-Eric Hall:

Reviewed city recycling and composting efforts. Presented significant dates upcoming:

3/21 Environmental Treasures 7pm Merrymount Waterway

4/13 10-3 Quincy Center for Innovation Composting

4/27 9-1 Watershed cleanup Mouth of the Neponset River Squantum Shore 5/4 Cleaner Greener Quincy

Plant Sale-Jan Clifford; Saturday May 18, sign up sheets at March meeting.

Adjournment-8:41