



MEETING MINUTES

March 19, 2025 @5:30pm

In Attendance: Betsy Jarvi, Mindy McGuffee, Tony Bruzas, Joe Stolitza, Hannah Gall, Lisa Kowalski. Chaired by Agnes Michalak. 4 new visitors in attendance: Kurt Brosky, Tracy Burnett from Mishig, Kayden from Cleveland State, Leah (interested in in humus sale)
Meeting called to order at 5:35

Welcome & Comments

- Welcome Lisa Kowalski, new Social Media Coordinator!
- Jill B. no longer with the city

Business

- Garfield Clean up on 13 May 2025. They are borrowing supplies; someone meets at the garage Monday 5/12 12:45 for pick up, meets at the garage Tuesday 5/13 12:45 for return.
- AM to review conversations with Kurt/Humus Sale Location/AAS
- Budget approved unanimously with extra \$375 added for trees, total \$5910.00
- Earth Day – Confirm date: 19 Apr 2025
 - Madison Park confirmed
 - Signs – AM to alter or ask for new ones?
 - Tree giveaway – TB
 - Vendor Ideas: such as Rustbelt riders, Cuyahoga recycles, Wild Ones, Refuse, electronics recycling, local businesses?
 - Buy a tent to have permanently? Tracy can lend one
 - Activities other than trash pick-up? Seed bomb hunt, mulching
- Social Media/Outreach:
 - Promoting 1st Pop up now – AM to send/sent out email this week to volunteers (add plug for board members)
 - Earth Day Clean up and Humus Sale next
 - Board member spotlights - MM to send Agnes questions and do a write up
 - Website updated with event dates (Thank you MG)
- Honoring retired board members
 - Determined gift certificate for Matt
 - Will have new sign created renaming the Monarch Waystation after Melissa
- Need small group to help work on ideas for tabling presentation(s)
 - Tri-fold board for future events- LA is asking for us to table an event in May
- T-shirt Order

Meeting ended at 7:03

Next Meeting: April 16, 2025