

Approved Minutes-Lachat Town Farm

April 4, 2023

Meeting held by Zoom

Attending: Elizabeth Zeppernick, Ellen McCormick, Carol Baldwin, Katherine McConnaughey, Nicole Copans, Stirling Collins , Nick Bell, Erica Reiner

Motion to approve March 7, 2023 minutes as published. Motion passed unanimously.

Animal Update : Kat - The bunny house is near completion and Its a huge hit. The goats are now back from their vacation at Michelles.

Tractor Update : Stirling - Motion was made to go to the town to ask if we can use \$6,800.00 of the maintenance fund to get the old tractor fixed. Motion made by Stirling/seconded by Ellen. Motion passes unanimously.

Offutt Education Center Update: Carol - Work on the well was done today and the water system is on. There is work being done on the selection of interior colors. The exterior has been primed to paint.

Bee Program Update : Erica - We received a grant for \$1,500 for the bees. There are 3 steps to preparing the bee house area for the new bees.

1. fabric and stone around their pen.
2. Native plantings for their food source.
3. Paint the beehives.

She will go to the Friends of Lachat for approval to spend \$300.00 on

materials. Audience of Citizens - none

Announcements: Stirling will hold a workday either at the end of April or the beginning of

May. Motion to dismiss - Motion made by Nicole / seconded by Ellen. 20:14

The next meeting will be held on May 2, 2023 via Zoom.

Minutes approved 5/2/23