



**KILLINGLY COMMUNITY GARDEN
SUB-COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING – IN PERSON MEETING
Wednesday, October 6, 2021
5:30 PM**

**Killingly Community Garden
Old Killingly High School (left side of building)
79 Westfield Ave
Killingly, CT 06239**

Minutes

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- I. **CALL TO ORDER:** The meeting was called to order at 5:32 PM.
- II. **ROLL CALL:** Heather Goodier (Chair), Carrie Gravel (Co-Chair), Linda Mathes (Treasurer), Allison Brady (Staff).
- III. **CITIZENS COMMENT:** None
- IV. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
Carrie made a motion to approve the Regular Meeting Minutes from 9/1/21. Linda seconded; motion passed 3-0.
- V. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS – (Review/Discussion/Action)**
 - a. Accomplishments from recent workdays: Monday 10/4 was rainy, so the regular workday was moved to 10/6. Cover crops were put down by Linda in mid-September. Jean has been keeping up on mulching and watering.
 - b. Assigning duties: Kept up with workdays which made it easy to stay on top of duties. Jean does most of the watering. Cleanup and the last of the harvest being brought to Friends of Assisi are the upcoming priorities.
- VI. **NEW BUSINESS – review/discussion/action**
 - a. Check-in with Gardeners – Haven't heard from gardeners recently. An end of the year survey will be sent out to the gardeners. Heather is starting a list of questions for the survey that everyone can add to.
 - b. Schedule another workday – Heather will go next Monday and begin cleanup. Cleanup will be done gradually over the next few workdays. 10/23 was discussed as an option for getting the bulk of the cleanup done.
 - c. End of Year Potluck Dinner for Volunteers – The end of the year potluck dinner will not be happening. A potluck dinner for the volunteers will be attempted again next year.
 - d. Other – The irrigation system is still not working. Allison will ask Matt to come look at it. Different ways of advertising for next year were discussed to bring in new volunteers. A seed and plant exchange idea was discussed and could potentially happen in May. Discussed money and budgeting and how much the KCG would like to spend next year; discussed the possibility of

asking the Agriculture Commission for money and discussed the possibility of applying for town ARPA funding money for infrastructure projects. Carrie made a motion to approve the KCG Committee meeting dates for 2022 with some slight modifications; Linda seconded; motion passed 3-0. The KCG will meet at 5:00 PM on the first Wednesday of the month. They will either meet in the garden or in room 102 at Town Hall depending on weather and season.

VI. NEXT MEETING – Wednesday, November 3, 2021

VII. ADJOURNMENT: Carrie made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:21. Linda seconded; motion passed 3-0.