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Minutes from March 23d Garden Committee Meeting

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Please use this gmail address for me from now on rather than my UMass email account. Abbie- will you notify the new plot owners?

Minutes from the March 23d Community Garden Committee Meeting:

1- Meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM

2- Minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

3- Plots were assigned. We had 5 applicants, with one person requesting two plots. The plots were assigned as follows, with the plot numbers starting with the plot farthest from the road:

#1- Heidi Dollard

#2- Cyd Reiman

#3- Sarah Doire

#4- Jonathan Valenti

#5 & #6- Judith Rudolf

4- We decided to do more advertising to get more applicants for the two open plots. Abbie will send out an email to her list of Pelham gardeners, and at the same time, ask for donations of tools, a wheelbarrow, and a picnic table. Sue will put out the word at the school.

5- Abbie will send out specific brand names of organic fertilizers that will be acceptable under our "organic only" rule.

6- We approve the purchase of a load of compost, pending more details on source, amount, price and how organic it is. Cyd can send us an email.

7- Next meeting will be held April ~~13th~~^{13th} at the garden at 6:45. Amy, the expert on native pollinators will attend and advise on our pollinator garden.

Agenda Items for the next meeting:

1- Demarcation of plot boundaries

2- Pollinator garden

3- Garden shed

4- How much money is left for us to spend in which accounts?

5- Location of water reservoirs

6- Plot names

7- Will plot ownership be guaranteed to current owners in future years, or will they need to re-enter the lottery to give other gardeners a chance?

Meeting was adorned at 7:44 PM.