Sheboygan Avenue Community Garden Board Meeting Minutes

Date: August 28, 2025 Time: 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Location: Sheboygan Avenue Community Garden common area

Attendees: Jim Baumann, Cindy Statz, Emma Lorenzen, Andrew Stammer, Cathy Pedracine, Nancy Stroud, Julie Grim, Jennifer Behnke, Rex Lowe, and Pat Lasky

Meeting Agenda:

I. Minutes
   A. July 2025 Monthly Board Meeting Minutes approved.

II. Reports:
   A. Treasurer – Yuhua Li has retired. Jim Baumann will be interim treasurer.
   B. Registrar – 31 people on waiting list.
   C. Plot Monitor – no reports. One abandoned plot had been tarped.
   D. Timekeeper – Spreadsheet is caught up to last workday.

III. Business
   A. Yuhua Li – Motion made to recognize her valuable services to the Garden Board as a Treasurer from 2011 to 2025.
   B. Treasurer and Secretary Board openings: Motions made and approved to accept Rex Lowe as Treasurer and Pat Lasky as Secretary.
   C. Sunday workday 9/14/25: Cathy P. will be available to lead the workday.
   D. Regular Saturday workday 9/20/25: Andrew S. will be available to lead the workday. Cindy S. will have her truck and will be available to take garden waste to compost area for both workdays.
   E. The idea for constructing informational area that commemorates the hard work of Garden Board Members was discussed. Item tabled till next meeting.
   F. Ideas regarding Food Pantry donations discussed: Food Pantry plot expansion, donation day for gardeners to share produce, and thoughts about having individual gardeners each have a plant or a row of plants in their garden to support food pantries.

IV. Announcements: Next meeting date: September 25, 2025, location TBD.

Minutes recorded by: Nancy Stroud, Secretary
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