

OHCC Meeting Minutes Tuesday October 4, 2022

1. Approved September minutes.
2. **Select Board** – Nothing to report.
3. **Website** -
 - *Stuart Rich* reports an increase in website activity, 283 visits.
 - *Kathryn DerMarderosian* to write a blurb regarding the purchase of the Plaisted expansion property.
 - **Disposal of pesticides** – Location and dates to be posted at public locations and the website.
4. **Treasurers Report** – *Robin White* reported on the OHCC balance post expansion closing. Also discussed was setting up an endowment fund for Plaisted; this topic will be covered at a future meeting.
5. **Plaisted Expansion Closing Summary** - All went well, settlement sheet needs to go to *Robin White*. All but three pledges have been honored thus far. The new Survey map, which includes the entire parcel was displayed.
6. **Plaisted Expansion Celebration** – Discussed holding a celebration of the purchase with donors; need to confer with *Megan Williams* and develop a plan.
7. **Plaisted Pumpkin Walk** – *Beth Long* provided the following notes.
 - Pumpkin Walk is scheduled for the evenings of Friday 10/28 and Saturday 10/29.
 - Volunteers are needed.
 - *Lauren Swartzbaugh* created posters and is helping with publicity and more.
 - From *Beth Long* emails -
 - Girl Scouts are carving the pumpkins in the community room at town hall on Thursday 10/27. The pumpkins will be left outside.
 - Jim Devery will stop on 10/27 and pickup the trash from the scouts and see that the community room is tidy.
 - On Friday morning, 10/28, *Beth Long*, *Robin White*, and *Jim Devery* will drill the pumpkins and transport them to Plaisted.
8. Sustainability group meeting on Oct. 6th. Anyone interested is encouraged to attend. *Lauren Swartzbaugh* expressed an interest. Good to have a rep from the OHCC on board.

Attendees

Kathryn DerMarderosian

Stuart Rich

Lauren Swartzbaugh

Robin White

Next Meeting: Tuesday November 1, 2022 6:00 PM at the OH Library