Minutes of the April 29th, 2014 Park Slope Food Coop General Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Park Slope Food Coop was held on Tuesday, April 29, 2014 beginning at 7:00 p.m. at MS 51 School, with Tim Platt in the Chair, Imani Q'ryn as Secretary, and David Moss on the table.

Warm up:

Printed materials were made available, and the Chair introduced the meeting.

Open Forum:

Request for new products Theft

Coordinators' Reports:

Trisha Leith – General Coordinator reading the Financial Report. The Preliminary Report for the year ending February 2, 2014

Questions from the floor

Jess Robinson – General Coordinator. On labor shortages at PSFC

Allen Zimmerman – General Coordinator reading the produce report.

Committee Reports:

Nancy Romer – Brooklyn Food Coalition. Rachel Porter – Revolving Loan Committee

Agenda Item #1: Moderating an Artist's Critique Group (20 minutes Discussion: Creation of an Artist's Critique Group.

—submitted by Peggy Cyphers

Peggy Cyphers presenting the discussion item

Comments and questions from the floor.

Agenda Item #2: Authorization for Survey of PSFC members to determine impact of retirement policy (25 minutes)

Discussion: We ask the GM to authorize a survey, to acquire, anonymously, information needed to gauge the effects of a proposed change in the Coop's retirement rules.

—submitted by David Laibman

David Laibman presenting.

Questions and comments from the floor

Agenda Item #3: GM approval of Gazette editorial policies document (45 minutes)
Proposal: To approve the Gazette editorial policy guidelines developed by the
editors as promised at the October 2013 GM.

—submitted by Stephanie Golden and Erik Lewis

Erik Lewis and Stephanie Golden presenting Questions from the floor and answers Comments from the floor

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Proposers read Disciplinary Committee amendment to proposal Motion to vote on whether to bring the proposal to a vote Seconded Overwheming show of hands Yes. Motion to vote on proposal Seconded Overwhelming show of hands Yes.

Presentation of minutes:

Minutes from the March 25th, 2014 General Meeting were presented. No edits or changes were suggested.

Board of Directors' vote:

Board members Joe Holtz (ex-officio), Bill Penner, Eunju Lee, and Zoe Laskaris were present for the vote.

The Board voted 5-0 to accept the minutes from the March 25^{th} , 2014 General Meeting. The Board voted 5-0 to accept advice of the members on Agenda #3.

Wrap up:

Announcements Rideshare

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Jesse Rosenfeld, Secretary Park Slope Food Coop

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