

PBA MEETING: 1/13/22

LUFKIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

I. President Steven Josephsen called meeting to order at 6:45 PM. Pledge of Allegiance. Welcomed members and guests, 20 people attended, including two new members. Secretary Joanie Kochanek was absent. Dwayne Howell gave Opening Prayer.

II. Treasurer Report: Treasurer report given by Walter McClendon. Balance as of 12/31/21: \$8883.31.

PBA Annual Audit was completed by Jesus Vazquez and Richard Peters. Financial records were in order.

III. Apiary Report: None

OLD BUSINESS:

- a. Members were asked to contribute by presenting a program or lining up someone to present.
- b. Need a person with technical knowledge to assist with PBA website, Fb/live broadcast of meetings, video of meetings, etc.
- c. SFA Observation Hive: Hive is overgrown with bushes. Will need to be cleared out for spring rebuild.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Scheduled a Board meeting on February 10, 2022, at 5:30PM, before the regular PBA Meeting.
2. PBA Bee School Plans: Tentative Dates: School will be held the last 2 Saturdays in April, and 1st Saturday in May for Bee Yard Day. Rachel will organize classes. Limit to 50 people. *Amended Dates: April 9,16, and April 23, 2022.
3. Program for February will be on Yellow Jackets in the Hive.

SNACKS/DRINKS: February: Snacks: Joanie Kochanek, Rachel Payne; Drinks: Jesus Vazquez

PROGRAM: Postponed until February.

Open Discussion followed, with Q/A session, and good participation.

CLOSURE/DOOR PRIZES. Door prizes were given to two new members as there was no sign-in sheet.

All business being concluded, meeting adjourned about 8:15PM

Notes taken by Richard Peters for Joanie Kochanek, PBA Secretary