**Dudley Pond Association Executive Committee Board Meeting**

**April 5, 2021**

(via Google Meet)

Attendees: Doron Almog, Eric Macklin, Jamie Pierce, Lisa Jacobs, Mike Margossian, Tim Dreher,. Guests: Bob Smith. Marcia Filiurin, Karen Fahrner

Meeting called to order at 7:10 pm.

Karen Farhner want to start a project, possibly leading to a fundraising opportunity regarding excess plants and native species in our yards. She wants to prune out her yard and offer them to anyone who wants those plants. Part of her interest is educating neighbors about native plants vs. invasive species. Lisa and Karen will come up with an outline to present at the Spring meeting

Tim Dreher will reach out to Bob Salitsky and Steve Robb so we can get our pop-up music concerts on our new Friends of Dudley Pond facebook page which he just created.

**Spring Meeting, April 25**

We will hold the Spring meeting, virtually, on April 25 at 5pm. Eric will host; Tim will moderate.

-New member introduction

-Wendy Gendron from Aquatic Technologies presentation followed by Q & A.

-jamie will present the Treasurer’s report

-The membership will vote on the new BOD slate

-We will identify potential summer events as things open up.

-Tim will talk about communications and our facebook page

-Karen Fahrner’s native species project and plant exchange program

Lisa will send an eblast to membership with links to Pond report, zoom instructions, newsletter and the Fall ’20 meeting minutes from Oct. 2020. We will invite our entire mailing list with the caveat that you must be a member to vote.

**Info@dudleypond.org email address**

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**DPA Spring Newsletter**

Doron is writing the President’s message, Jamie is preparing the Treasurer’s report. We will finalize the DPA Slate of Officers and we’ll ask Mike Lowery to update us about the ramp near the Chat.

Next meeting May 3, 7pm.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20pm

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Jacobs, Secretary