

Tennessee Association of Farmers Markets
Meeting Minutes, 02-14-19
Zoom

Board Members Present:

Charlotte Tolley
Hal Pepper
Richard Gallagher
Tasha Kennard

Joni Roberts
Steve Brehm
Victoria Raschke

Kasi Haire
Steve Guttery

The meeting was called to order by Charlotte Tolley.

Charlotte called for a motion to approve the Minutes. Barbara Garrow made that motion seconded by Richard Gallagher. The motion passed.

The Board discussed preparations for the Pick TN Conference including a draft agenda, accounting for new members at voting time, signage and notices for the hospitality room and a possible slate vote for officers (if there are no nominations from the floor).

Tasha Kennard said TAFM is sharing the Hospitality Room with another organization. The two groups will share the cost of alcohol, soft drinks and snacks. Kasi Haire is in charge of that.

Tasha Kennard said the tour would be a self-guided tour to Trevecca Urban Farms held on the last day of the conference. A list of people planning to take the tour will be passed around during the conference to predict the turnout.

Barbara Garrow stated new members need to know that TAFM underwrites many educational opportunities available to them. Richard Gallagher suggested a pamphlet or list of what TAFM does for its members. Hal Pepper suggested a slide show to cycle during the conference showing the benefits of TAFM. Steve Guttery suggested a verbal welcome with the list of benefits to be read at the beginning of the Annual Meeting. Barbara Garrow asked for attendance figures at TAFM sponsored trainings.

Kasi Haire requested a \$150 budget be set for the hospitality room. Richard Gallagher made a motion to that end. Charlotte Tolley seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Victoria Raschke agreed to post a sign-up schedule for workers.

With no questions or other issues to be raised Charlotte Tolley adjourned the meeting.