



DELTA NATURALISTS SOCIETY

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October 4, 2016

Minutes of 2016 AGM and Elections

1. Meeting was called to order and the current Executive was introduced.
2. **Appointment of Secretary:** Jim Ronback was appointed the secretary of the meeting.
3. **Commencement:** The President, Tom Bearss, noted that there is a quorum present. He declared that this Annual General Meeting is called and properly constituted for the transaction of business.
5. **Minutes of the Last AGM:** The last Annual General Meeting of the Delta Naturalists' Society was held on **November 3, 2015**. Tom Bearss tabled the minutes of the previous AGM. A motion was requested to approve the minutes and dispense with the reading of the minutes of that meeting

MOVER: __Elizabeth Perrin__

*Motion: Approve the minutes and dispense with the reading of the minutes of the AGM of **November 3, 2015**.*

SECOND: __Peter Ward__

There was no further discussion, CARRIED

6. **President's Report.** The President gave a brief verbal report.

- 7 **Financial Statements:** Jim Kneesch, Treasurer tabled the Delta Naturalists' Society's **2015/2016** Financial Statement

MOVER: __Anita Den Dikken__

*Motion: Accept the financial statement for the **2015/2016** year of the Delta Naturalists' Society.*

SECOND: ___Valerie Fuller_____

There is no further discussion.

CARRIED

8. Election of Directors:

The President requested that a resolution that the directors and officers be elected by a single resolution.

MOVER: ___Jim Kneesh_____

Motion: The directors and officers of the Delta Naturalists' Society be elected by a single resolution.

SECOND: ___Marilyn King_____

There was no further discussion,

CARRIED

The meeting proceeded with the election of directors and officers. Each director nominated has agreed to act as a director and the office designated on the slate.

The President declared the meeting open for nominations. No second is required.

PROPOSED SLATE of OFFICERS and DIRECTORS ARE:

President, Tom Bearss

Vice-President, Elizabeth Perrin

Treasurer and Membership, Jim Kneesch

Secretary, Anita Den Dikken

Director (Speakers & BCN), Ursula Easterbrook

Director Chris McVittie

There were no further nominations, and the nominations were closed.

MOVER: ___Peter Ward_____

Motion: Persons nominated be declared duly elected as officers and directors of the Delta Naturalists' Society.

SECOND: ___Paul Rennie_____

There was no further discussion.

CARRIED

The President declared that the nominees are elected as officers and directors of the Delta Naturalists' Society.

9. Annual Fees:

Membership Chair, Jim Kneesch, indicated the individual and family fees presently in force for the Delta Naturalists'

Society and when these fees are due. He requested a motion on membership fees and their due date.

MOVER: ____Hugh McDonald_____

*Motion: The fees of the Delta Naturalists' Society for the coming year be \$35 for individuals and \$45 for family and that the fee due date be at the end of our fiscal year **September 1, 2016.***

SECOND: ____Jim Ronback_____

There was no further discussion. CARRIED

10. In Memorium

Eleanor Coulter, Pamela Melville-Roberts

11. Other Business:

The President asked if there other business to come before the meeting. There was no other business, He requested a motion that the meeting be terminated.

12. Adjournment:

MOVER: ____Audrey Coutts_____

Motion: The meeting be terminated.

SECOND: ____Armene Belless _____

There was no further discussion. CARRIED

This meeting is terminated.