

Town of Acton
Town Hall Room 121
Volunteer Coordinating Committee
April 10, 2017 Minutes for Meeting

In attendance:

Charlie Aaronson
Jennifer Querbes
Xuan Kong
Gregory Hutchins

Absent:

Hart Millett
Dan Brunelle
Jean Lane

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm

Review of recent appointments and applications

Charlie brought up discussion about VCC helping to recognize long-term volunteer participants
-Criteria for awards/ recognition

Motion to approve the minutes for March 27, 2017. Minutes unanimously approved by the committee.

Interviews:

Rekha Singh interested in associate membership for Board of Health:

- Background in math and natural sciences; medical professional
- Passionate about serving the community; works at the Acton-Boxborough Food Pantry
- Previously attended a BOH meeting
- No known conflict of interest

Motion to forward Rekha Singh's name to the Board of Selectmen for consideration as an associate member for the Board of Health. Motion passed unanimously.

Mona Chandra interested in Green Advisory Board:

- Program Manager for National Grid
- Similar experience with sustainability committee for codes and economics in Tempe, Arizona
- Current work is publicly regulated; no conflict of interest
- Previously attended a Green Advisory Board meeting

Motion to forward Mona Chandra's name to the Board of Selectmen for consideration as a Green Advisory Board member. Motion passed unanimously.

Kurt Marden interested in West Acton Sewer Action Advisory:

- Background in design and engineering; currently employed as Principal Engineer at United Technologies Aerospace Systems
- Currently sitting board member for Association for Public Transportation in Boston
- Mr. Marden believes he can offer a technical perspective
- Acton resident for ten years
- Experience with multiple residential and commercial construction projects, as well as working with towns and boards

Motion to forward Kurt Marden's name to the Board of Selectmen for consideration to the West Acton Sewer Action Advisory. Motion passed unanimously.

Discussion on how to approach contacting volunteers to renew membership.

- Xuan will set up a survey approach to preview at our next meeting

Motion to adjourn meeting at 8:45 pm. Committee unanimously voted to adjourn.