

Spring Creek Coalition Board Meeting Minutes

September 12, 2019

A regular meeting of the Board of Directors of Spring Creek Coalition (SCC) was held on September 12, 2019, at the Schusterman Library, Tulsa OK. Present were as follows: Beth Rooney, George Kamp, Jennifer Donnelly, Jennifer Owen, Travis Fite, Martha Blackburn, Karen Harris, David Martinez and Angela Brazeal. It was called to order by Beth Rooney at approximately 6:25 pm when a quorum was present.

Time was spent on two executive sessions.

A motion was made by Jennifer Donnelly to keep the October meeting in Tulsa. Passed

A motion was made to have a special meeting with David Page and Kelly Foster. Passed

Jennifer Owen suggested having a board meeting somewhere in the watershed so that locals can see what we do. It was added that the local meeting be a town hall type meeting so that members and neighbors can participate.

Watershed Development Plan: David Martinez reported that he contacted Shanon Phillips of the Oklahoma Conservation Commission on the status of our plan. She assured him that our plan was still a priority with them and is being worked on. A student from Oklahoma State University has been identified to help.

The board awaits a report from Bill Chambers on the status of the formation of a Cherokee Tribal committee to gain their support

David Martinez shared plans to schedule a training on collecting watershed data.

Plans were discussed about hosting students from the watershed for an ecology field day at Spring Creek to be presented by Blue Thumb. Peggs and Lowrey schools are being considered.

Topics were discussed for the upcoming newsletter: David Martinez-highlight of a species, Angela Brazeal-everyday activism, and Jennifer Owen - OWRB lawsuit

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55pm.

Submitted respectfully by Angela Brazeal