BRISTOL CORE BOARD MEETING

Thursday, April 20th 2023, 09:00 AM **ZOOM Meeting**

MINUTES

In attendance: Ian Albinson, Meridith McFarland, Alicia Standridge, Maura Donnelly, Valerie Capels, Brad Cameron, Gary Barrows

I. Call to order: 9:00 AM

II. Current Business

A. **Pocock Rocks**

- music all set, contracts going out soon (do we need to update the contract?)
- Ian update with sponsor news, logistics news.
 received grants from Neat Repeats, 5-Town Friends of the Arts
 Alicia working on crowdfunding "Better Places" grant
- - raise \$5k, get \$10k from state
 - 2k for Pocock Rocks
 - rest of money for farmers market, kids games, bands, wellness instructor
 - Campaign to start next week

B. **Farmers Market**

- Start: Monday, June 5, 4-7pm. Ends: Oct 9, 2023. wrapping up "Better Places" grant
- still looking for more vendors
 - more agriculture vendors (at 30% now)
- music lineup not confirmed but lots of people email and interested
- permits all set
- grant will allow us to get a PA system

С. **Financial Update (Ian)**

- See P&L report

III. New Business

Board Round Table A.

- Did CORE ever have a July 4 table? No.
- Ian:
- Xmas decorations need taken down
- Need to build picnic tables from 2021 grant Friday, May 5, 2023 build day?
- Maura:
 - asked about previous idea of working with Sarah on CORE board updates
 - currently not pursuing this
- Val:
- working on local emergency management plan
- all hazards mitigation plan
- ARPA plan Ian to start digging this at SB level
- Meredith:
 - new tree on green for Lauris Marie Kilbourn Chamberlain memorial

Next Meeting – 5/18

IV. Adjourn.