

**Schuylkill River Park Community Garden  
Steering Committee Meeting  
Markward Recreation Center  
August 4, 2011**

**Present:**

Derek Freres (A-1), Chair  
Fran Levi, Treasurer (J-7)  
Linda Zaimis (B-4)  
Chris Henningsen (F-3)  
Al Kelman (J-6)  
Cecily Kihn (K-3)  
Allison Rulon-Miller (C-2)  
Joan Wells (K-5)  
Leslie Young (C-5)

**Not Present:**

Joyce Frye (H-6)  
Doug Ross (H-6)

The meeting was called to order by Derek at 7:05 pm.

Fran made a motion to approve the minutes from the July meeting. Seconded and approved.

Treasurer's Report: The available balance of the regular Garden Budget is \$592.91. The available balance for the Maintenance/Capital Budget is \$273.91.

Groundhog/Woodchuck: The groundhog was caught in a Havaheart trap and was picked up by the PA SPCA.

Drinking Fountain: The drinking fountain is now working but needs some parts to fix the leak.

City Gardens Contest: The judges visited the garden on July 17 and were favorably impressed.

City Harvest: As of July 31 a total of 212 pounds of produce has been delivered to the Lutheran Church, our local food cupboard.

Waiting List: There are 40 names on the Waiting List.

The community potluck supper will be held on Sunday, August 28 at 6:00 PM.

Leslie will contact a local beekeeper who inquired about putting a hive in the garden to see what that would entail.

Meeting adjourned 7:29 pm.

Linda Zaimis,  
Recording Secretary