## NDGCF Meeting Minutes 4/8/23 Held at Mary Moores Home, Riverview, Florida

**Attendees:** Joe and Linda Austin, Joe and Shirley Welch, Diane Klieger, Linda Davis, Mary Moores, Sami Ray, John and Moe Moelhman

**Prior to Meeting** - Guest Speaker Topic - Goat Health by Dr. Haley Ercoli. Her Presentation is available online for those who missed meeting.

Call to Order: Sami Ray, President, Called Meeting to Order: 12:15 pm

**Minutes:** Minutes from 4/8/23 Reviewed. Joe Austin motioned to accept minutes as read. John Moelhman seconded. Minutes approved as written.

**Treasurer's Report** - Diane Klieger, Treasurer, Reviewed report. Copies of report available at meeting. Beginning Balance - \$5816.33, Ending Balance \$6523.94 Joe Austin, motioned to accept Minutes as written, John Moelhman, seconded, Motion passed to accept minutes as written.

**Show Committee Report** reviewed by Mary Moores, Show Committee Co Chair. Copies Available at meeting. Summary - Total Expenses - \$6076.83. Total Income - \$4515.00. Show Loss - \$1561.83. Goats Entered - 122.

## **Show Discussion**

Venue discussed: Everyone preferred the show to be held at Hillsborough Venue rather than Pasco County. Would prefer 1st weekend in March. Mary to contact venue and and make deposits. Suggestions - Most difficult was putting and taking down pens. Many Thanks to Marian and Andrew who went up and put together the pens! next show. Thanks to helpers who cleaned up and also took down pens next day. Need to organize better next year. Set up Raffle Table night before and lock in building. Make better use of Social Media. Do we need someone who will do just Social Media for show. PA System worked well. Lots of parking. Many folks didn't pay for pens, but set up their own pens. Work harder to secure sponsors. Food by 4H group was great and everyone would like to have them next year. Should we do a survey of members to see if we need to maybe add another breed or mini breed or if Show is still something members would like to continue, or any other ideas. Extra attention to sponsors and thanking sponsors is very necessary to continue relationships with sponsors as well as develop new relationships. Thank you notes have been ordered and will be sent out. Sponsors to be recognized on Facebook and on website as well. Will continue this discussion as well as fundraising at next meeting.

Joe Motioned to place deposit for next years show at Hillsborough. Diane seconded. Mary make deposit to reserve show grounds for first weekend in March 2024 or March Mini Madness

Motion passed.

John and Moe volunteered to host next meeting in Sarasota. 6/10/2023 Place to be decided Diane motioned to dismiss meeting. Joe seconded. Meeting ended at 3:20 pm