

## Eco Gardeners September 18, 2023 Minutes of Meeting

### 1. Quorum

15 members were in attendance, constituting a quorum (10 required).

### 2. Minutes of May Meeting

The minutes of the May 2023 meeting were read and approved.

### 3. Treasurer's Report

a. Opening Balance	\$1962.07
b. Income	\$ 50.00
c. Expenses	\$ 25.00
d. Closing Balance	\$1987.07

### 4. Old Business

- a. New Club Website Released (<https://eco-gardeners.org/>)
- b. Pot Luck meal was held in lieu of the April Club Meeting

### New Business

5. All club officer positions will be elected at the December meeting. All current officers are eligible for re-election to one more term. Anyone that would like to run for a club office should identify themselves at an upcoming club meeting or via email at [gardenc58@gmail.com](mailto:gardenc58@gmail.com)
6. The status of the birdbath conversion into a flower garden plot was provided. It will now be a flower plot with a birdbath in the middle. The birdbath needs to be repainted or replaced. The cost of each will be provided at the October meeting.
7. Lynn Nobles from the UF/IFAS Extension – Marion County made a presentation covering where the Extension is located, as well as the various services they provide. The Extension can be reached online at [UF/IFAS Extension](#)

### Remarks for the Good of the Club

8. Many members stated that the tool area in the garden plots looks neat & sharp
9. A Fall Gardening education opportunity provided by UF is available. Members can register for "In-Person" attendance at [In Person Attendance](#) or Online attendance at [Online Attendance](#).
10. The issue of non-Maintenance of garden plots was raised. The board will re-visit this issue and provide comments at the October meeting