

## Zoom BREA Meeting Minutes May 12, 2020

Minutes recorded by Patricia Flood

### Contact Information:

Brookhaven Retired Employees Association BREA:

BNL Bldg. 400A

BERA Recreation/ Attention BREA

Upton, NY 11973

### Attendees:

Pat Flood, Lillian Kouchinsky, Bill Leonhardt, Ed Sperry, Don Sievers, Liz Seubert, Barry Siskind, Cheryl Conrad, Dave Cox, Beth Yu Lin, Mark Israel, Les Fishbone, Gwen Williams, Anita Cohen, Ed Kaplan, Arnold Moodenbaugh, Ronnie Evans

Officers 2020-2022: President: Arnold Moodenbaugh, Vice President: Lillian Kouchinsky; Secretary: Pat Flood; Treasurer: Les Fishbone; Membership Secretary: Beth Lin; Newsletter Editor: Mona Rowe.

A Zoom meeting hosted by A. Moodenbaugh began at 1:00pm

1. March 2020 minutes were approved.
2. Status of membership report: Beth Lin

We have 319 members in good standing until December 2020.

3. Newsletter: Mona will continue reporting any updates.
4. Treasury Report:

Accounts are in good standing. We were able to receive a refund from the Bellport Country Club on the monies spent on our canceled luncheon.

There was a discussion and approval concerning a \$5,00.00 charitable donation for COVID. It was decided to use one of the BREA CDs to cover the decided amount. It was reported that BSA will match personal contributions.

Arnie informed Chris Carter about our plans.

We also received the sad news that BNL retiree Morris Strongson and his wife have succumbed to COVID.

5. It was noted that BNL is working with reduced employee support on site. Currently 80% of the Lab's work force are working from home. Some staff are reporting to the Lab to maintain essential services and equipment.
6. CAC (Community Advisory Committee) report.

The CAC is using Blue Jeans for communication and meetings. Subjects discussed included the HFBR stack status and the Covid Study. There were questions as to whether the meeting is open to the public and who can participate.

The Tesla project remains on hold.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned by voice vote at 1:45 pm

Until further notice the Meetings of BREA are regularly scheduled by 1:00pm on the second Tuesday of each month (but no meeting in August) Meetings are usually held in Bldg. 400 of BNL in Rooms 1 and 2, but location should be confirmed by checking the agenda for the upcoming meeting. The remaining Second Tuesdays for 2020 are June 9, July 14 (no August meeting), Sept. 8, Oct. 13, Nov. 10, and Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>