SCW Zymurgy Club General Meeting Wednesday March 12, 2014 Approved April 2, 2014 Zymurgy Room ~ Activities Center RH Johnson Rec Center

Meeting called to order: Gary Dawson called the meeting to order at 5:35 PM. Forty-three members attended. A quorum of the membership was present.

Membership: Crystal Tavares reported that we have 160 members to date, 43 of which are new members. Introductions were made of new members present at meeting.

Treasurer's Report: Nancy Pines Cash Flow Statement (see files) Beginning Balance: \$10,443.83 Revenues for Feb: \$1,683.57 Disbursements: \$1,261.42 Ending Cash Balance: \$10,865.98

Nancy asked members to be sure when they renew their memberships to fill out the membership form completely and give to Crystal. These forms are a necessary part of record keeping.

Nancy also reported on some Events. As of the meeting tonight, the St Patrick's Day Party is sold out.

She reminded members that Barry will be giving a Jell-O Shots Making class on Saturday,

March 29. Attendees should BYOB. They will receive helpful tips and recipes. Cost is \$5 each. Members can sign up tonight.

Nancy reported that 43 folks have signed up for the Cruise. She is hoping for 48 total, the maximum is 54. Barry has all the information at the back table at the meeting tonight.

Room Update: Randy Pace directed member's attention to the Club bulletin board where a drawing is posted. He said the County needs to review the plans and then we can move forward. He also said he has found another good deal on a cabinet purchase.

Brew System: Randy Pace said that his committee is now ready to start plumbing the system. Randy showed members a Cornelius keg which the club has opportunity to purchase. These are available for \$125 each. Updating it will cost \$30 to \$50.

Events: Donna Whiteside informed members about the Zymurgy Club Picnic to be held April 4. The picnic is free to members and \$5 each for guests. Each member is asked to pay a \$5 deposit that will be returned when they show up at the picnic. If they are paying by check for themselves and guests, two checks will be needed, so that the members check can be returned at the picnic.

Donna reviewed the menu for the St Patrick's Day Party: Corned beef (smoked and traditional), potatoes, carrots, cabbage and Irish soda bread. Three different salads and desserts will also be served.

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Gary reported that Donna has reserved the Palm Ridge Social Hall for an October Fest. This is a time when many Snow-birds are just returning to SCW. It will be necessary to get volunteers now to work on this plan. Gary asked for a show of hands from those who think they would be interested in attending this event. Many at the meeting raised there hands. There was a discussion on the idea of October Fest: past fests, inviting public, are other fests planned, etc. Randy and Gary volunteered to Chair this event. John, Dean and Kenny volunteered to help also.

Gary reminded members to bring their Rec cards to meetings so they can be scanned in at the front desk.

Gary asked membership if they wanted to continue to have Potluck's at the monthly General Meetings. After discussion and a show of hands it was decided that Potluck's every other month were a good idea.

Gary invited everyone to stay after meeting to enjoy the potluck.

Meeting adjourned by general consent at 6 PM. See notes also on file: Agenda, Cash Flow Statement

Minutes submitted by, Sheri Houck, Secretary