

EEN Ideal Green Market Cooperative **RKET** 34988 County Road 39, Pequot Lakes, MN 56472

Located in Ideal Corners (CR16 & CR 39 on CR 39 www.idealgreenmarket.com / 218-543-6565

MISSION: To provide access to local, sustainable and healthy food and products.

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Board of Directors: Jason Baca (2017)X_ Geoff Davidge (2017) John Ehlert (2016)	X Tiffany Elste (2018) X Dan Kayser (2016) X John Plein (2017)	X Abbie Schramm (2018) Dan Yavner (2016)
X Barb Mann, Co-op Coor GUESTS:	dinator	

Minutes - Monday, February 29, 2016, 7pm at the Co-op Store

Welcome

- 1. MINUTES OF Feb 1. GD moves to accept minutes, AS seconds. Board moves to approve.
- 2. TREASURER'S REPORT.
- 3. **NEW MEMBER OWNER ACTION per Applications:** Barb F, Jeff M, Pete & Mindy S, Lynn S, and Carol O. Brings total Member-Owners to 148. AS moves to accept new members, TE seconds. Board movies to approve new members.
- 4. COMMITTEE REPORTS
 - a. Executive. Nothing to report.
 - b. Finance. Member loan program going well. Most members with questions
 - c. Human Resources.
 - 3 Store manager interviews are scheduled
 - We would like to invite 2 candidates to brief interviews with entire BoD at March 21 meeting
 - Would like to have the store manager start around April 15.
 - Suggestion discussed: open the store on Wednesdays starting when GM is hired.
 - d. Ad-Hoc Committees.
 - d.1 Promo/Membership. Created a sub-committee for Grand Opening. Had a great meeting with volunteers.
 - d.2 Merchandising /Product Development.

5. Coordinator Report

- a. Barb gone on vacation: Apr 20-27
- b. Monthly sales report/activity
- c. Board Leadership & Policy Development grant available due Mar. 15

6. Old Business

- a. POS. Cloud based POS software called "Vend" has been suggested. It was suggested that we use a touchscreen iPad. A proposal is being put together for us. Software is \$85 per month. Has customer loyalty and inventory tracking features. This prices includes unlimited products, unlimited customers, etc.
- b. Laptop. Abbie has narrowed down the options and will send them to John to pull the trigger.

7. New Business

NEXT MEETING: Monday, March 21, 2016, 7pm

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