

New England Biological Safety Association

Board Meeting Minutes

May 11, 2021

Present: Ted Myatt, Anne Sallee, Rhonda O’Keefe, Jessica Healey, Julian Farland, Laura Mark, Mary Sabolefski, Pari Arokiaraj, Judy LeDuc, Bill Greene, Andre Lowe

Absent: Kathy Gilbert

- I. Call to order 2:03pm
- II. Approval of minutes- approved
- III. Open issues
 - a) Update on project with consultant
 - i. need finalized information about the bank account for 501C3 account
 - ii. PayPal could work for reimbursement now
 - b) Speakers/topics for fall virtual, panel-style, discussion, for annual meeting slated for: Wednesday September 22, 2021
 - i. occupational exposure to biologicals in industry
 - ii. lab space is being built-out in Boston at a rapid pace, building/lab design/lessons learned, commissioning, funds are coming from state and are contingent upon accepting the plans
 - c) NEBSA emails are being used for event notifications (BBUG), and save the date for NEBSA annual symposium and call for speaker ideas
 - d) NEBSA Website updates
 - i. Biosafety job opportunities are being posted
 - ii. NEBSA council member pics/bios- in the process of being posted
- IV. Adjournment – 2:50pm