**Linn-Benton Chapter Minutes; May 22, 2022**

**Zoom Meeting; 6:30pm**

**Present at the meeting were;**

**Kristen Jocums, Arona Rosegold, Andrea Barnhurst, Sally Utt, Loretta Roberts (guest speaker)**

**GUEST SPEAKER**

**Loretta Roberts is an Advocate Outreach Specialist who works with En-Vision America. She did a presentation about Scriptalk Prescription Service. This is a free service that provides accessible prescription labeling options as large print, braille, or audible through participating pharmacies. Labels are applied at the time the prescription is filled. Audible labels are stuck onto the bottom of the prescription container and can be read either using a device that Scriptalk can send you, or by downloading their free Scriptalk app from the App Store. For more information, or help with the app you can call; 800-890-1180, or text**

**MINUTES**

**Andrea moved to accept the April minutes. Arona seconded the motion, and the minutes were approved.**

**TREASURER’S REPORT**

**Treasurers report for Monday, May 23, 2022**

**Checking account:**

**Starting Balance : $1,750.72**

**Check to Natalie for Braille Go Expenses: $47.00**

**Braille go deposit: $200.00**

**Ending Balance: $1,903.72**

**Savings account Balance: $5.00**

**Upcoming Transactions:**

**Paypal transfer**

**NFBO donation check**

**\*\*when i get these deposits finalized will report the total report for Braille Go Fundraiser\*\***

Andrea Barnhurst

Sally moved to accept the treasurer’s report, and Arona seconded the motion, and the treasurer’s report for May was approved.

LINN COUNTY RIGHT OF WAY

There was no significant news to report here.

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The STAC, (Special Transportation Advisory Committee), and the STIF (Statewide Transportation Improvement Fund), are now required by the Feds to rebirth into one group. Unfortunately, this group will be comprised of 9 members. Of these 9 members, there will only be 1 space for 1 person with a disability, or 1 person who would represent all persons with all disabilities needing paratransit services.

There will be a meeting coming up in three days, on Thursday, which is open to all (who find out about it in time), where the public can give testimony. One can attend the meeting in person, or virtually using the Teams platform. Written testimony can also be submitted. Any of us who has the ability to join the meeting, or submit testimony is urged to do so

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**CORVALLIS OPEN STREETS**

**Corvallis Open Streets will be taking place this year, on Sunday August 14 from 12pm – 4pm. It will cost us $150 to sign up for a booth. Do we want to sign up for this, and if so, what do we want to do with it?**

**Some ideas were;**

**\*talk about braille, and use the “egg carton Braille game”**

**\*For a $5 donation one can choose from an assortment of topping packets and create a braille letter on a pre-iced cookie**

**\*The water pouring activity wit liquid level indicators**

**Arona moved to pay the $150 booth fee and commit to the event, and Andrea seconded the motion, and the motion was approved.**

**NEXT MEETING**

**We will meet next on Monday June 27, at 6:30, on Zoom.**

**Respectfully submitted,**

**Sally Utt**