

## Biogaian Meeting Minutes

### Check-in

Facilitator: Douglas  
Note Taker: Patricia

### Budget

Patricia printed out an expenditure to date report.

The largest unexpected expenditure was the fence. Suggestion that we make an application to the abundance fund for some money to help with the cost of the fence. Need to put together a proposal for the final version of the fence and request funding from the community. Some of those funds could defray some of the costs from this year.

Goat Money – there is a question about the debt that the goat fund is in and how the money from the fundraiser should be used. Brent will write a proposal for using the .

### Burlap Bags

Need to wait until we look at the budget after all of the members of the committee have submitted their receipts.

### High Tunnels

The NDRC is supporting the cost of building of high tunnels. Brent is suggesting that we make an application to this program. He will invite the woman from the local office to visit to see if she thinks we would qualify for the program.

### Special Gathering Space Meeting

We held a meeting about the design for the proposed gathering space. The suggestion is that the next step is that we model it in clay so that people can see the current suggestion and make comments and ask questions.

### Exit Interview with Bryan

Brian's last day of work is tomorrow – July 29<sup>th</sup>. He will be leaving us on Saturday the 9<sup>th</sup>. The community will say goodbye on Saturday the 9<sup>th</sup> and we will have a debriefing meeting with him after breakfast on Saturday.

### Next Biogaian Meeting – August 25th

Brian is Facilitating  
Helen is scribing