Extension Master Gardeners of Platte County
Tuesday, October 21, 2025 - Officer Meeting 12:00 pm
Carolyn Vellar's Home

In Attendance:

Carolyn Vellar - President
John Smith - Vice President
Debbie Johnston - Secretary/Treasurer

The purpose of this meeting was to discuss a new role for the Chapter. John had shown interest in developing programs for the Chapter and loves to teach, so with our members increasing, this seemed to be a good time to create a Program Development Chairman.

Carolyn explained that Glenn Reinhart has agreed to take over the Platte Community Garden responsibility and John no longer would have to be involved unless he wanted to volunteer at the garden. Definitely the garden can be used for Programs developed by the Program Development team.

Carolyn shared the document that she created (see link below). Carolyn walked through the entire document and initially John felt like this was a lot of work. Carolyn reminded him that he should recruit 2-3 members (the document provides some suggestions) from the Chapter to assist in developing educational programs keeping in mind they need to be research based.

John agreed to take on this role but asked for an editable copy of the Chairman document. He understood if changes were made, Carolyn would have to approve them.

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