## Membership Meeting Minutes 11.20.24

## Meeting was called to order at 10:05am

The meeting was held indoors due to the cold weather, we had 22 people in attendance.

**President: Rhonda Marazzo** Our holiday party is coming up. It is on Wednesday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 5pm, at Tuscany on Eastern. \$39 per person, we still have 10-12 seats available.

Membership Report: Jo Phillips We've had 25 new members this year. We had three sign up this month.

**Treasurer's Report: Jo Phillips Our** bank balance is \$2,609. Bingo still owes us about \$600 and that will be paid by March, April at the latest. Dues are due for 2025; they are \$15 for the household.

**BINGO:** We have 90 people already signed up for Bingo for next year. Bingo is hot! Everybody loves it, the players love it, the volunteers love it, and the rescues love it!

**Debbie Blonder:** Elections; Debbie is running the elections this year; she is stepping down because she times out from the leadership team. She is thrilled that so many people stepped up to join our leadership team this year!

There are no contested positions so the vote will be by acclimation. All those in favor, raise your hands, everyone; all those opposed, none; motion passed. President Rhonda Marazzo

Vice-President Jan Ceselli Treasurer Jo Phillips Debby Haase Secretary Membership Director Joni Wingenbach Director-at-Large Mary Lou Bannister Marsha DeVaney Director-at-Large Judy Griffin Director-at-Large Peggy Lynch Director-at-Large **Ginny Poehling** Director-at-Large Joanne Swadron Director-at-Large Director-at-Large Mi-Lou Trask Director-at-Large Sherry Yetter

Guest Speaker: Our guest speaker was to be Bryce Henderson, "Realtor to the Dogs" although he was unable to attend the meeting today.

## We opened the meeting up to discussions:

Someone asked about Mr. Bingo, Phillip Rosen. While he is recovering from a recent injury, it was asked if there were any volunteers interested in helping to walk their dogs, a list was started to sign people up.

Bingo questions were discussed. Suggestions of speakers for future meetings were discussed; Fire Dept., Wildlife Dept., Self Defense, Pet Psychic? Pet DNA, Microchip Scanner for the club?

## Meeting was adjourned at 10:50am

Holiday party 12/4 Leadership meeting 12/6

Respectfully submitted, Debby Haase Recording Secretary