

IXIA Chapter of the Florida Native Plant Society

Minutes of the General Meeting

November 5, 2019

Meeting called to order by Cate Hurlbut, President at 6:30 PM:

IXIA Business

- October 2019 meeting minutes accepted and approved.
- 2020 FNPS Conference May 14 – 17 at UNF. Update to the conferencing planning by Cate.
- Larry Romaine talked about Native Park and IXIA activities. Workdays in Native Park 1 are monthly, on the 2nd Saturday, year-round. RAP would like IXIA to also take responsibility for the adjacent Native Park 2.
- Lassie Lee introduced a conservation project sponsored by the Jacksonville Beach Women's Club and asked for permission to sow seed balls of *Asclepias tuberosa* (butterfly milkweed) in Native Park 1. Larry Romaine will determine where they will be placed (and do the actual sowing) during the 11/9/19 workday.
- The Native Plant sale in April 2020 is the same Saturday the RAP Home Tour is scheduled.
- Thank you to Diana Openbrier for providing food for the meeting.

Program

Terry Zinn, chair of the Florida Wildflower Foundation, presented a wonderful selection of wildflowers in a slide show focused on North Florida plants.

Adjourned – 7:20 PM

Minutes submitted by Lassie Lee.