

Minutes of Canaan Naturally Connected, Inc. Side Meeting on Grants, November 26, 2019 5:00-6:00

Attendees: Georgiana Carr, Frankie Sawicki, Terrie Herr

This meeting was to review the grants received and to project for 2020.

Tillotson Grant – we have been awarded \$2000 targeted for the welcome signs. The next grant is due mid January 2020.

NEK Fund Vermont Community Foundation – we have been awarded \$2500 (co-fund). The target is Young People Moving Forward – publicizing/advertising, transportation, brochure, posters, fliers, other materials, pens, equipment

NH Charitable Foundation – in the wings

New England Grassroots Environment Fund – we have been awarded \$900

Bangor Bank Foundation – will/have applied for \$3800 grant

G2Overchivers.com (Pilot Pen Company) – applied

USDA Training Invitation – Georgiana attended December 5 from 2-3 at the Catamount Arts in St. Johnsbury; will update at our monthly meeting.

It was discussed that when we have the Board meeting January 23, 2020 the following needs to be on the agenda:

- Review the 5 values to focus on Canaan's wants/needs
- Brochure - recommend at December's meeting to make this a side meeting for those interested after gathering opinions
- Fundraising – recommend at December's meeting to make this a side meeting for those interested after gathering opinions
- Pavers for the fountain should be a direct “door to door” request as well as social/newsletter
- What are CNC's needs?
- Does Canaan need a community building?
- Diana and Terrie need to get together to update the contact list of businesses/organizations specific for CNC