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## **NNNFB Minutes – May 1, 2024**

**Present: Mary Anne Walker, Lynette Thomas, Shontell MacInnis, Gillian Lewis, Andre Moreau, Paul Diamond, Reena Subba**

### **1. Call to Order**

6:03pm

### **2. Adoption of Agenda**

*Moved by Andre, seconded by Paul*

### **3. Approval of Minutes from April 3, 2024 Meeting**

*Moved by Shontell, seconded by Gillian*

### **4. Financial Report (Lynette)**

4.1 **Balance as of April 30, 2024** is \$624,306.35

4.2 UPIP funding report – Paul will send the last report and Lynette will put something together.

*Financial Statement Moved by Shontell, seconded by Paul*

### **5. Grants - update (Mary Anne & Shontell)**

Shontell spoke to FBC about the Mosque receiving Emergency Funding Top Up funding from FBC (\$40,000) but it would have to flow through NN-NFB. Shontell will work with the Mosque and order the food on their behalf.

Motion: NN-NFB will administer \$40,000 from FBC for the Mosque.

*Moved by Shontell, seconded by Andre*

Pet Food Grant will start in May. Logistics are still being worked out.

Mary Anne was contacted by Jason Stevens - FBC has extra food and are going to send us 10 pallets. Mary Anne chose the foods.

Mary Anne talked to Stephane from Arctic Ventures - has funds and they want to help the food bank out by sponsoring food boxes.

Menstrual Product Pilot project – survey was filled out and sent to FBC. The \$700 will be used for taxi vouchers.

### **6. Distribution of Food**

Bannock supplies (baking powder & oil) will be given out at the May 18 distribution.



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**7. Distribution – Numbers review and observations comments**

Last distribution was approximately 135 people. Continue to order for 150 clients.

The room upstairs is getting full so concentrate on distributing that before we bring more over.

The school has beans that are best before in April so they need to be switched with the newer cans at the warehouse.

**8. Volunteers**

Andre put a call out on Public Service Announcements and there were lots of new volunteers for the last distribution. Mary Anne got email addresses and will send it to Paul.

**9. Sealift with ATB (Shontell)**

Should start planning our next sealift soon.

Apex Food Bank – it has slowed down; Currently distributing 2 families per week. Shontell asked for their house numbers to cross reference with our system.

**10. ACL Free Flight (Shontell)**

No new information since last meeting. ACL didn't get back to us and Nolinor didn't get back to FBC.

**11. Warehouse and seacan inventory**

No more klik; One red sea can needs to be emptied. Mary Anne will see if we can empty it without NU Moving.

**12. Taxi Vouchers**

Mary Anne bought vouchers.

**13. Open - Board Members**

No comments

**14. Planning of AGM**

AGM – Food Centre not available on May 15; Could have the AGM after the distribution on May 18. Posters and announcements on FB will go out this week.



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**15. Next Meeting**

May 18 @ 1:00pm - AGM

**16. Adjourn Meeting**

7:25pm