MINUTES OF ST. LOUIS HOSTA SOCIETY

JULY 16, 2023 AT MEMBER AUCTION

We met at MoBot, CBEC, Room 125 for our Member Auction. Phyllis welcomed everyone to the auction. She advised the attendees that there are copies of the Treasurer's report on the table in front. She said all the minutes can be found on the website. Phyllis also thanked Melinda Ligon for the refreshments.

Phyllis talked about the test that are available for Hosta Virus X and gave a demonstration. In this case the test was negative. If you suspect any of your hostas are infected be sure to disinfect your tools before using them on another hostas to help stop the spread of this disease.

Our next gathering will be a Garden Walk on August 20 at Hostas on the Bluff. Their address is in the Newsletter. She encouraged members to car pool since there are only 15 parking spots available. Their gardens are magnificent and the view from the bluff of the Gateway Arch is beautiful.

Next Gene Pulliam and Janelle Criscione conducted the auction which was very lively and went by fast. I think everyone was happy with their purchases. Hopefully a lot of money was raised for club activities.

Respectfully submitted,

Jolly Ann Whitener, Secretary