



Georgia ANREP

JCEP Board Meeting Minutes

Rock Eagle – March 16, 2022, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Call to Order—10 a.m., Heather Kolich

Members present: Bryan Fluech, Doug Collins, Kasey Bozeman, Ashley Brantley, Heather Kolich

Current board members:

Past-President – Bryan Fluech, MAREX, Associate Dir.

President – Heather Kolich, Forsyth County

President-elect – Doug Collins, Lee County

Treasurer – Ashley Brantley, Muskogee County

Secretary – Kelli Cody Brookins, Columbia County

Northwest District Director – Laura Mirarchi, Troup County

Northeast District Director – Alicia Holloway, Barrow County

Southwest District Director – Tucker Price

Southeast District Director – Richard Evans, Bryan County

State Staff Director – Kasey Bozeman, 4-H State Staff

State Staff Director – Jessica T.R. Brown, MAREX, Stormwater Specialist

Approval of Minutes—February 2022 meeting

Reports of Officers

Treasurer:

- Transition update – Ashley Brantley is now on the Georgia ANREP account; previous treasurers have been removed. Laura Mirarchi will be added as a second signer if needed.

Secretary – not present; Kasey Bozeman took notes.

Past President – is trying to recruit more Marine Extension folks to join ANREP

President Elect – will assist with conference

Georgia ANREP 2021 Conference Update

- conference speakers are confirmed

Website update – Kasey Bozeman gave presentation of alternative website built in Wordpress through UGA IT with better access for editing by GANREP members. The board agreed to pursue transition.

GANREP Newsletter – winter/spring issue distributed in January 2022. Request has been emailed to members for articles for a summer/fall issue.

Other Strategic Plan Initiatives – Heather Kolich

- Monthly Webinars – the monthly continuing webinars for Master Naturalists are continuing this year with good attendance for the first three.
- Database of Grab & Go programs in Natural Resources – discussion among members

Review of policies and procedures

- Financial – need to have audit annually and with change of treasurer. Audit completed by past-president and state staff member in April.
- Bylaws – last review and update was August 1, 2017

2022 National ANREP Conference Location – Kalamazoo, MI

- three GANREP members plan to attend
 - 3 Accepted posters and presentations
 - 3 GANREP members earned national awards

Recruitment opportunities

- Discussed potential to recruit at other association conferences: 4-H, ESP, NACAA

Dates to Remember

GA ANREP State Conference – April 26-28, 2022

ANREP National Conference—May 31-June 3, 2022 – Kalamazoo, MI

ANREP National Conference – 2024 – Penn State

Adjourn – 12 p.m. adjourned for JCEP luncheon meeting