



## Washington County Master Gardener™ Association

### Chapter Meeting Minutes, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024, Virtual Meeting

Meeting called to order: December 3, 2024 at 8:00 pm by Hope Preston, President

Presentation: “The Wonderful World of Plants We Can Grow” Sean Hogan, Designer and Owner of Cistus Design Nursery, Sauvie Island, Portland.	
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#### ***Reports to Members :***

Hope reminded members that we will vote on the 2025 Budget. There is a net income deficit of approximately \$8000, although not reflected in reserve funds. Because of the income deficit members are encouraged to submit dues and donations and to support ongoing fund-raising activities such as Blue Bottle Bags collected at Fred Meyer.

**Due to a technical glitch, the vote on the budget will occur at the January 2025 Chapter Meeting.**

Reminder for Washington County Master Gardeners to renew their membership for 2025.

***Inaugural Social Event is on December 8<sup>th</sup>.*** Meeting at 11 am at The Wild Arts Festival at The Wingspan Conference Center in Hillsboro. Ideas are welcome and encouraged for ideas for additional social events for WCMGA members.

Also at the January, 2025 Chapter Meeting, Hope will present a review of the website including tips on how to find and use the information on the website.

#### ***Upcoming events announced:***

Dec 7<sup>th</sup>, 10am to 12 noon Mason Bee Cleaning Workshop at PCC Rock Creek

January 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025 7 pm James Cassidy presents on Soil and How It Works at the Zoom Chapter Meeting

**Meeting adjourned 8:10 pm**

**Respectfully submitted by Mary Hewitt WCMGA Recording Secretary**

**Approved by:** Hope Preston WCMGA Chapter President,