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The meeting was called to order by President Karen Skinner. Cynthia Seyler introduced Marie Vandenberg, Director of Hope Community. She stated that the one of their goals to present every child who enters the program with a quilt to use and keep, and they have so far given 1406 quilts or blankets. She thanked members for their assistance, and asked for help in raffling a Lone Star quilt to raise funds to pay for storage while they are currently without a place to store sewing supplies.

Members had been reminded to vote on changes to the by-laws, and results of the vote were announced. The changes were approved, and changes to Policies and Procedures will go into effect simultaneously.

The slate of officers for 2016 was presented and opened to nominations from the floor. None were made and a motion was made by Roberta Granville and seconded by Michelle Hackmeyer to approve the slate as given. The vote was affirmative, and new officers will be Pam Doffek, President; Peggy Allen, President-Elect; Susan Dickerson, Membership Vice-President; Judy Stricklin, Secretary, and Heather Strickland, Treasurer.

Chairpersons are needed for Door Prizes, Silent Auction, and the Spring Opportunity Quilt. Jessica Duke is compiling a Resource List, and requests names of people who do custom quilting and other services.

The City Hall Show will be held April 27 through June 21. Suggestions for a theme were reviewed and "Art in Quilts" was chosen.

Pam Doffek is not able to do her Trapunto class on November 14, so the Community Center at Chaires will be utilized for another Sewing Party from 10:30 to 4:00. Sue Skornia is coordinating.

Michelle Hackmeyer, Philanthropy Chair , requests donations of fabric and supplies for the 4-H Quilt Club at Palmer-Monroe Teen Center.

Marsha Walper and Jeanne Brenner showed examples for classes to be held the first Saturday in March of 2016 at the Cooperative Extension Office. Those chosen were a House and Tree paper pieced block by Marsha and a Color Splash (Trip Around the World) by Jeanne.

The meeting continued with a presentation by Roberta Granville of some easy table toppers, and Show & Tell.

Respectfully submitted, Judith Stricklin