

Minutes of the 2022 SATC Annual Meeting
March 31, 2022
6:30 pm

The meeting was held on Thursday, March 31, 2022 at 6:30 PM. The meeting was conducted via the Zoom platform. The meeting had been previously announced and promoted in the official newsletter, The Bushwack Bulletin, on the club's web site, in the club's weekly Trail Mail communication, as well as a specific reminder email sent on March 30, 2022.

Gail Brossman, outgoing club president, welcomed the participants to the evening's meeting. She then gave a summary of the many things the club was involved in during the past year. She acknowledged the many members who led hikes, those who volunteered as trail maintainers and stewards. She thanked outgoing board member Dawn Warden for her 6 years of service on the board and as Hospitality chair and hike leader.

She closed with thanking everyone for their support during her presidency.

The second agenda item was announcing the results of the recent Officer and Board elections. After the March 24, 2022 deadline to cast votes, the following were unanimously elected to office by the votes from 84 members.

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| President | Andrea Viazanko |
| Vice President | Bob Keen |
| Secretary | Mark Press |
| Treasurer | Gary LaBelle |

Board Directors

Class of 2022-2024

Kevin Dunleavey
Cindy Mundis
Jonathan Gere

Gail also announced that at the April 5, 2022 board meeting Danielle Todd and Tim Younes will be appointed by the board to complete the one year remaining on terms of Andrea Viazanko and Bob Keene.

The third item of the agenda was the announcement of the winner of this year's Giant Boot Award. Gail introduced Cindy Radich to present the award.

Cindy announced that the Giant Boot committee comprised of Karen Balaban, Jeff Buehler and Cindy Radich selected Gail Brossman for the 2022 Giant Boot award. Cindy then read the information that was submitted for Gail's nomination. A copy of the information will be published in the next Bushwack Bulletin.

Gail brought the business part of the meeting to a close and then introduces the first guest speaker, Brook Lenker, the new director of KTA. Brook shared with SATC the various activities and projects KTA is involved in and looks to continue with a positive relationship with SATC.

Rob Shaw introduced the second speaker for the evening, Katie Hess, who is the director of the South Mountain Partnership. Katie gave a broad overview of how SMP fits in with the ATC/AT in land and landscape conservation.

At the conclusion of the guest speakers, Gail closed the meeting.

There were 23 participants for the meeting.