FINNISH GENEALOGY GROUP MEMBERSHIP MEETING Via Zoom – 15 April 2023

9:00 AM Marianne Wargelin presentation on FinnFest

Call to order 9:44 AM Guest: Laura DeMarais Changes to agenda and minutes: none; approved

Carol:

Newspapers.com: \$4296/yr. for full group access; renewal in Jun \$109.90; cancel per board agreement Financial Report, Mar – Deposits: \$20.00; Expenses: \$227.26; Balance \$7547.06 Membership: 66 family groups, 65 paid, and 1 honorary. Dues \$20/yr, will send membership packet to new members

Linda:

John Hanson – how 20th century warfare impacted Finnish people – after this mtg May – Mary Erickson himmeli Summer gathering at FinnFest Board mtg on presentations in May or June

Diane: Communications - Diane will meet with the website developers on Monday

Old business: FinnFest – There will be table topics during lunch at genealogy day. Marianne Wargelin asked FGG to organize and lead discussions at the tables. 5 people are on list to participate. We are looking for others. The five are Mary Lukkarila, Diane Pearson, John Hanson, Linda Mell and Barb Wilson.

New business: none

Member announcements: Mary Lukkarila presentation on 18 May at Cloquet library Adjourned 10:19 AM, break, John presentation at 10:30 AM

Respectfully submitted by Kathy Adamson and Greg Isola, co-secretaries, 03 May 2023