Whitewater Quarterly Meeting First Month (January) 21, 2024 Bloomington Friends Meetinghouse, Bloomington, IN

- 1. Opening worship. Friends gathered at the appointed time in waiting worship.
- 2. Roll call of monthly meeting representatives
 Bloomington Friends Meeting, Bloomington, IN: Marci Ankrom
 Clear Creek Friends Meeting, Richmond, IN: Peggy Spohr
 Fall Creek Friends Meeting, Pendleton, IN: no representative
 Fort Wayne Friends Meeting, Fort Wayne, IN: Terre Holada
 Lafayette Friends Meeting, West Lafayette, IN: Joy LaSuer
 North Meadow Circle of Friends, Indianapolis, IN: Dinah Duvall
 White Rose Friends Meeting, Wabash, IN: no representative
- 3. Introductions. All those in attendance were invited to introduce themselves.
- 4. Review of agenda. The Clerk reviewed the agenda, which Friends approved with the addition of one item.
- 5. Treasurer's report. David Duvall presented the report, noting that there is currently \$788.54 in the Whitewater Quarterly Meeting treasury. Friends were reminded that contribution checks for Whitewater Quarterly Meeting should made out to North Meadow Circle of Friends with the note "for Whitewater Quarterly Meeting." Checks can be mailed to North Meadow Circle of Friends, 1710 N Talbott St, Indianapolis, IN 46202 or to David Duvall, 7811 Kimlough Dr, Indianapolis, IN 46202. Friends accepted the report.
- 6. Joint Quarterly Meeting Planning report. The Clerk reported that Whitewater Quarterly Meeting had reserved Happy Hollow Camp near Nashville, IN, for the weekend of Tenth Month 19 to 20, 2024. Friends named Diann Herzog, Peggy Spohr, and Gloria Stearns-Bruner as a Planning Committee. The Clerk has been advised that Friends in Miami Quarterly Meeting are also willing to help. Friends accepted the report.
- 7. State of the Meeting reports. The Clerk requested that monthly meetings submit State of the Meeting reports to the Clerk and to Ohio Valley Yearly Administrative Assistant SusanLee Barton no later than Fourth Month 15, 2024. They will be shared at the Spring Quarterly Meeting session on Fourth Month 21, 2024, which will be hosted by Lafayette Friends. Friends were reminded that Ohio Valley Yearly Meeting Religious Nurture and Education Committee reviews State of the Meeting reports in drafting the State of Society report and that the State of the Meeting reports/ help to inform Religious Nurture and Education Committee of needs and concerns to be addressed in the following year. Friends accepted the report.
- 8. White Rose Meeting concern. Friends expressed concern because we have not heard anything substantial from White Rose Friends Meetings for several years, and it is our understanding that they have not been holding meeting for worship for several years. It was agreed that the Clerk would seek to contact White Rose Friends and report back at the Spring Quarterly Meeting session.
- 9. Closing worship. The meeting for business concluded at 2:00pm with a period of waiting

worship.

Friends in attendance

in person at Bloomington Friends Meetinghouse: Marci Ankrom, Karen Atcheson, Peter Burkholder, Christine Carver, David Duvall, Dinah Duvall, Gini Emigh, Elaine Emmi, Phil Emmi, Melanie Hunt, Joy LaSuer, Tunia McClure.

on Zoom: Chris Bobbitt, Holly Cedar, Debbie Heaton, Terre Holada, Peggy Spohr, Rex Sprouse, Mike Squires, Peggy Squires, Elizabeth Starr, Gloria Stearns-Bruner, Jane Stowe.