

**RACINE/KENOSHA BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION  
MEETING MINUTES  
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2010  
HELD AT THE KENOSHA COUNTY BUILDING  
19600 75<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
BRISTOL, WISCONSIN**

The meeting was called to order by President Randy Chase at 7:00 p.m.

Randy announced that the Club's Secretary, Maggie Friery, had resigned. Randy then asked for a volunteer to take over the position of Secretary until the next election of officers was held. There being no volunteers, this business was tabled until the next meeting.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

Randy asked if there were any announcements to be made.

Tim Fulton stated that the next Annual Meeting of the Wisconsin Honey Producers would be held on November 6, 2010, in Manitowoc, Wisconsin, and would feature Marion Ellis and Jerry Bromenshenk. Tim further stated that a grant was approved, which will help reduce costs for certifying Wisconsin honey.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

The donation to Matt Luxem on behalf of his son was tabled until the next meeting.

Jim Belli stated that the State of Illinois resolution regarding the sale of honey by individuals not bottled in a certified honey house had been signed into law by the Governor. This bill allows individuals the right to sell up to 500 gallons of honey without it being bottled in a state certified facility.

Randy then introduced the meeting's guest speaker, Lee Heine, who talked about present trends in the honey industry.

Carl Christiansen also gave a presentation on queen breeding.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Minutes taken by Jim Belli