

**Called Meeting for Business
Asheville Friends Meeting
6th Month 3, 2021**

Present: Bob Lackey, Clerk; Beth Eddy, Recording Clerk

present via zoom: Margaret Normile, Steve Livingston, Patti Hughes, Jim Cavener, Margaret Farmer, Jim Barham, Mike Eddy, Morgan Murray.

Meeting opened with Silent Worship

Opening MH for use by Ethical Society on 6/20/21: Patti Hughes informed us that the Ethical Society (ES) has approached us to use the Meeting House for an inside meeting on 6/20/21. At the 5th month AFM meeting for business it was agreed that AFM was NOT ready to approve the opening of the Meeting House to others at that time. After the M&C committee addresses the issues raised during that discussion they will return to BM with their request to open for use by others and AFM members. The next BM will be on the same day as was requested for inside usage (6/20) by the Ethical Society.

After discussion and a review of current NC covid vaccination rates and illness reports, it was agreed that for this one time event the Ethical Society can use the MH inside

Patti will inform Larra Wall that MH will be used on the 20th so she can clean the porch .

Steve Livingston will work with the Ethical Society on how to set up for their technical needs.

Patti will wipe down the door handles and bathroom before and after.

The doorway to the upstairs will be labeled 'NO ENTRY'; The ES will be informed that the upstairs is a construction area and should not be used.

The Ethical Society will determine their policy about vaccinations and masking.

Patti informed us that AFM members are invited to join them for their meeting.

IT WAS APPROVED THAT THE ETHICAL SOCIETY COULD USE THE MH INSIDE FOR THIS MEETING ON 6/20/21.