Old Business - Update of Position Description for the BCOA Rescue Committee. Forwarded by KC Artley. This revision was started at the November 2011 meeting and completed by Dee Jones as follows:

"Chair, BCOA Rescue Committee Position Description

January 2012

Direct and oversee the BCOA Rescue Committee and its various sub-committees.

Create and maintain guidelines for the committee.

Support rescue activities for Borzoi.

Serve as liaison between the BCOA and organizations or individuals acting to rescue Borzoi. Provide mediation efforts for BCOA between individuals and rescue groups, if needed.

Educate owners and breeders regarding reputable animal husbandry, breeding practices, placements, and maintenance of the breed. Provide leadership to further ethical breeding and placement practices among members.

Establish guidelines and make recommendations for the allocation of the BCOA Rescue funds, which can be given to individuals or groups providing assistance for Borzoi in need. Inform the Board members of Borzoi in need, so that the BCOA may provide assistance.

Plan and execute fund-raising and act as conservator for the BCOA Rescue fund.

Maintain the BCOA In-home Visit Volunteer list, which is on the BCOA website."