

# **Tampa Friends Meeting**

## **Meeting for Worship with a Concern for Business**

### **Minutes**

#### **13 Eleventh Month 2005**

##### *OPENING SILENCE*

##### QUERY 11 CARE OF THE NATURAL WORLD

Do we live in harmony with nature? Do we live in keeping with the spirit of the unity, sacredness and integrity of all creation?

Do we seek to minimize my consumption of the Earth's resources? Do we encourage equitable and sustainable use of those resources?

Do we walk gently over the earth, seeing that of God in all of Nature?

Do we seek to educate ourselves, our children, our Meeting, and our community about how our lives can be more in harmony with the Earth?

Does the meeting strive to bring all its practices in harmony with the natural world?

##### *RECORDING CLERK*

Cynde Mercer recorded minutes of this Meeting for Business.

##### *OLD BUSINESS*

Minutes of 2 Tenth Month were read and approved as submitted.

The Treasurer's report was presented by Tom Blackburn and accepted.

It was suggested that we make additional payments on the principal of the Meetinghouse loan.

#### **Minute 1 Eleventh Month 2005**

**Tampa Monthly Meeting approves adding Thomas Blackburn as an authorized signer to our bank account number 001110021180. Meeting member Nil Wilkins will continue as an authorized signer on this account.**

##### *NEW BUSINESS*

Worship and Ministry – M.J. Arnaldi has requested Meeting membership; a clearness committee has been formed.

Friends approve collecting gifts for disadvantaged family again this year; Nancy Triscritti, Andrea Walsh, Cecelia Yocum and M.J. Arnaldi will coordinate the project.

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*ANNOUNCEMENTS*

10-13 Eleventh Month	FCNL Annual Meeting
12 Eleventh Month	Community Dialogue: Mapping a culture of Peace in Tampa Bay
13 Eleventh Month	Meeting for Worship with a Concern for Business
16 Eleventh Month	Survivors of Torture in America
20 Eleventh Month	Potluck lunch
24-27 Eleventh Month	Half-Yearly Meeting
12-16 Fourth Month	Southeast Yearly Meeting

*CLOSING SILENCE*