March , 2014 BMGT monthly meeting minutes—as this was not a quorum, this was not an official meeting, so these items will be confirmed at the April 15th BMGT exec meeting

Attending: Janet Bryant, Richard Cobb, Kara Allen, Lissa Dulany

A recommendation was made that both Kara and Dan be listed as joint program chairs in PACS for the Fall 2014 National ACS meeting San Francisco.

The Praxair grant is underway. BMGT is hosting the 2 inaugural Praxair/BMGT/Dicciani award recipients, Abbey Bacak and Persefoni Kechagia, at the Spring 2014 ACS National meeting in Dallas. This is Part I of a 2 part program with Praxair in Nance Dicciani's honor as the 2012 Whalen Award recipient.

The BMGT Awards committee will meet soon to choose the recipient of the next Whalen Award, to be awarded at the Fall ACS National meeting in San Francisco. To date 4 nominations have been received.

Respectfully submitted, Lissa Dulany BMGT Secretary