Welcome: Kathy Henderson called the meeting to order welcoming 32 people. She asked that people ask questions during the meeting when there is a reference to something unknown, such as acronyms.

Reports:
Treasurer’s Report: Cindy Stone provided the report stating the current total of checking and savings accounts is $13,494.82.
Field Trips: Vicky Husband will count as the June Berry Springs Park plant survey the information from June 10, when Sue Wiseman and a group visited the park. On Sunday, July 13, plant survey #10 of 12 will be conducted from 9 to 11 a.m. to avoid the heat.
Programs: July 10 is the annual chapter meeting and potluck. The Board is providing the agenda: prioritizing chapter activities for the coming year and discussing the state newsletter; this agenda is in place of the annual brainstorming session.
Nominating Committee: Kathy Henderson expressed appreciation for the committee and for members who considered accepting nominations. Committee members are Kathy Galloway, Christie Gardner, and Kathy McCormack, who presented the slate of nominees: President – Cindy Stone; Vice-President – Christie Gardner; Secretary – Pat Donica; Treasurer – Lori Merlino; Directors – Jim Abreu and Kathy Comer.
Standing Committee Positions: A new program chair is needed; contact Kathy Henderson if interested. A new webmaster is also needed. Bob Kamper has posted details for this position on the website; a clip board was passed around for sign-ups or questions; Bob will do the follow-up for this position.
Old Business:
Bamberger Foundation: Agnes Plutino read a letter of appreciation from the Bamberger Foundation for the seed sponge children’s activities at their event in May provided by Dennis and Marilyn Perz, who have coordinated our team for several years, and Vicki Zardiackas. The chapter was given a check for $500. The money will be used to purchase children’s book for Wilco public libraries.
Library Books Committee: Members are needed to help with activities like book deliveries. A list of previously donated books is being compiled. Kathy Henderson will order the new books.
Library Garden Brochure: Stephen Brueggerhoff has completed the new brochure. The library will provide printed copies at the front desk.
Native Certification Landscape Program: NCLP classes will be taught in Georgetown in the fall. Stephen Brueggerhoff and Randy Pensabene will be attending training in San Antonio; they will be the first instructors for Wilco classes.
New Business:
Taxonomy Classes: Sue Wiseman reported that the Taxonomy classes will be the 4th Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, June through September. Dr. Flo Oxley will teach the classes which are offered with the Austin NPSOT chapter at the Wells Branch Library. The fee is $15 per class, which covers an honorarium and refreshments. The classes are open to anyone interested. June 28 will be a review; basic instruction is on the website. A review lesson will be posted. (npsot.org/wp/wilco)
Lake Granger Prairie: Gail McAdoo shared information about efforts to replace the KR bluestem with Little & Big Bluestem, which will be a 30 year process. There will be dig for Little Bluestem in Temple on June 14.
Central Texas Native Prairies Association of Texas: A meeting will be held in July to organize a new chapter. Details will be posted on the website.

Program:
Plant ID Activity: Stephen Brueggerhoff presented photos of lace cactus and anacacho orchid for audience identification.
Program: Diane Sherrill of Native Earthscapes and long time NPSOT member presented “Gardens in Public Spaces”. She covered the process of designing and installing the new Georgetown Library native plant demo garden.