



May 1, 2025 Minutes
Meeting began at 7:03pm

1. Attendance
 - a. **Board members:** Janet Manry (President), Luis Santiago (Secretary), Stephanie Elliot (Treasurer), Chris Schepker (Board Member)
 - b. **Neighbors:** Peter Rice, Sooz Hoffman, Douglas Kerr, David Tinker, Markela Clinton, Dana Reichman, Alison Franks, Larry Skylar, Jessica Stone, Sara desJardins, Anita and Tony LaCour. Thom Allena,
2. Minutes for April 2025 approved
3. **Spring Clean Review**
 - a. **Participants:** 13 or so
 - b. **Media Coverage:** Featured on the news!
 - c. **Impact:** An estimated 15 bags of trash collected
4. **Sila Avcil – Global Shapers ABQ**
 - a. **Open Primary Bill:** Independents can now vote in primaries without changing their party affiliation.
5. **About Global Shapers ABQ:** <https://www.instagram.com/globalshapersabq/>
 - a. Members are between **16–26 years old** and connected to the **World Economic Forum**.
 - b. Focus on **community development projects** and **resource fairs**

Upcoming Events

6. **May 4 – Run for the Zoo:** <https://www.cabq.gov/artsculture/biopark/events/run-for-the-zoo>
 - a. **Cheering Station** at Beva Driveway, 1304 Park Ave (between 13th & 14th)
 - b. Arrive by **8:30 AM**
7. **May 4 – Jane’s Walk:** Hosted by **RANA**
 - a. A guided neighborhood walking tour
 - b. **Free sign-up available:**
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C054CAAAE23AAF4C43-56078445-albuquerque#/>
8. **Community Art – DNA Tree Plaques:** Community art project involving plaques on selected trees
 - a. Suggested tree: **Stephanie Elliot on 14th and Gold.**

RANA Bike Valet needs volunteers(from any part of town) every Saturday while the Downtown Grower’s Market is open! Sign up Here: <https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/515756900078/false#/invitation>

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NEXT MEETING: April 3rd, 7pm at OffCenter Arts