



BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA
February 12, 2026 – 11am – 12:00 pm

1. Welcome and call to order	11:00 am
2. Review Minutes of 2025 VNLA Business Meeting	11:05 am
3. Recognition of 2025 New Members & Oliver Gardner	11:10 am
4. Awards Presentation	11:15 am
a. VNLA 2025 Horticultural Achievement Award 2025– Sally and Tobi von Trapp, von Trapp Greenhouse, Waitsfield, VT	
b. Allen B. Crane Horticultural Employee Acknowledgement Award, 2025 – Karen Krjaic, Rocky Dale Gardens, Bristol, VT	
c. VNLA Young Nursery Professional of the Year Award 2026 – Guinnevere Hand-Boniakowski, Perseid Gardens, Bristol, VT	
d. VNLA 2025 Environmental Awareness Award – Wasted, Williston, VT	
e. VNLA 2025 Retailer of the Year Award–Glebe Mountain Gardens & Landscaping, Martha and Curtis Cowles, Londonderry, VT	
f. VT Presentation of UVM Student Merit Award 2025	
g. VNLA 2025 Industry Awards Presentation	
1. Dicot Land Studio, LLC – Brett Towle - Excellence Award	
2. GBR Landscape Design, LLS – Gavin Boyce-Ratliff - Excellence Award	
3. Church Hill Landscapes, Inc. – Nate Carr – Honor Award	
4. Gabriel Bushey – Honor Award	
5. Ginkgo Design, LLC – David Burton – Honor Award	
6. Landshapes – Caroline Dudek – Honor Award	
5. Committee Reports	11:30 am
a. The VNLA 2025 Annual Report: emailed link/QR Code on table	
b. Treasurer's Report	
c. 2025 Vermont Flower Show	
d. Evaluation & Planning Committee	
e. Marketing Committee	
f. Membership Committee Report	
6. Other	11:50 am
a. Jamaica Central Labour Organization – Kareeme Morrison	
7. Election of Officers and Board Members	11:55 am
8. Adjourn	