## **Meeting Minutes**

Recorded by Evan Metler – African Lion Safari

Date of meeting: May 6th 2022

### Who attended the meeting? What CAZA institute are they from?

- 1. Amy Chabot
- 2. Apapineau
- 3. Gheylen Daghfous
- 4. Jeff Mitchell Saskatchewan Forestry Park and Zoo
- 5. Kevin Kerr Toronto Zoo kkerr@torontozoo.ca

## **Contact information for main speakers:**

- Amy Chabot African Lion Safari achabot@lionsafari.com
- Ginger Elliott African Lion Safari gelliott@lionsafari.com

Call to Order/Start: Amy Chabot at 2:05pm

Main topic of discussion: CAZA SharePoint Use and Access

# **Summary of points:**

- SharePoint (Ginger)
  - O Created to share and celebrate CAZA achievements and collaborate
  - How to upload
    - Project name
    - Ongoing or not
    - Lead and facilitator
    - Email
    - Genus
    - Common name
    - Consent for publication
  - Drop down for
    - In situ
    - Ex situ
    - Focal taxonomic group
    - Project file itself is separate

- Template
- Drop down on SharePoint
- Definition page for in/ex situ
- Project file
  - Project name
  - Year or start year approx.
  - Status /ongoing/complete
  - CAZA collaborates and non caza
  - Short description of 500 word
  - Abstract of pub
  - List of publications and presentations
- Link to CAZA Collaboration projects
- Microsoft
  - Hotmail account not necessary
  - Password
- Homepage
  - Page options on left
  - Ex/situ role, in situ being added
  - SharePoint/one plan approach info
  - Conservation projects
- o Information checklist
- Edit in grid view to adjust parameters
- Sections can be left blank
- SharePoint Amy)
  - o 2019 meeting need identified
    - In situ and ex situ need
    - What are other CAZA members doing
    - Changes in progress
  - Legacy of CAZA member work
  - Survey of CAZA projects
  - Negate loss of information
  - Archive
  - o Conservation and Research leadership and initiative
  - o Future collaboration
  - o Peer-review
  - o Prevent circular motion
  - Query and sorting

## **CAZA Discussion/Collaborative suggestions?**

- Sharepoint (Ginger) Questions
  - Curator for sharepoint?
    - Someone hired by CAZA, HQ will take over, Amy taking a role, in transition
    - Current: Backlog of information, ALS taking role in reaching out (Zoom) discuss projects and template sheets
    - Curator/archive after information uploaded
    - Primary Literature included
  - o Reminder emails necessary
- Once information is compiled (ideas)
  - Annual bulletins
  - o Recurrent annual summary
  - Current research or recently completed
  - Review of activities
  - Scale of project, boundaries of unit to be uploaded, (e.g breeding included or independent research programs)
  - o Large umbrella projects and small subprojects need definition
  - Large programs not overwhelming system and overshadowing

#### BUSINESS FROM PREVIOUS MEETING(S):

- Discussion of World Caribou Day with Toronto Zoo
  - Interest in taking part
  - Questions about materials

**ADJOURNEMENT TIME: 2:40 pm** 

Next Meeting Date: Friday, June 3rd, 2022 2pm ES