## NSURRHA Annual Meeting November 14, 2020 Development Committee Report

As Chair of the Development Committee I need to simultaneously keep expectations both high and realistic. My proposals for the coming year include this December of 2020:

This would be the December 1st "Giving Tuesday", a popular, fast, relatively easy fund-raiser for non-profits. We have time to pull this together with the help of our media experts, John and Anja.

Besides working with the Governance Committee on our 10th Anniversary Celebration, in January I'd like to begin assembling a Docent Handbook of "Duties and Delights" and start the search for a Docent Coordinator. This project will continue through April and include the recruitment of 12 new docents.

In March, our committee will reach out to the Clinton Co. Extension Service to plan a second and expanded African- American Garden and with the Board's approval, develop an outdoors Story Trail.

By May's opening, the garden, Story Trail and new docents wii be ready to greet the public.

During the summer I'd like to see our Book Store expanded, our 10th Anniversary celebrated and our Bus Tours promoted.

My goal as Chair is to induce excitement, education and stimulus in our beloved museum-because the public senses something vital to our Democracy is happening here

Respectfully submitted.

Bobbi Perez

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