Chair, Sue Webber and Co-Chair, Jean Framke wish to add <u>Laura Rizzo as Welcome</u> <u>Party Chair</u> to the list of Volunteers for the 2024 National. <u>Laura's bio to follow:</u>

I've been a member of the Collie Club of America since 1996 but have had collies most of my life. I got started with show collies when my daughter became interested in Juniors. Boy that's a job in itself! I am currently the President of Central States Collie Club. I was the grooming chair for the National in Peoria, IL 2019. I own & operate three businesses in Illinois with my husband. Sig Manufacturing, which is a remote-controlled airplane company, Evergreen Scale Models and Plastruct that are hobby related companies that create specific shapes and sizes from styrene, acrylic & ABS plastics.

I am excited to participate in helping with our CCA National by chairing the Welcome Party. I feel it's important to kick off the week with an event that brings everyone together. A chance to see old friends and greet the newcomers! Get information to exhibitors about our host city, Peoria, IL.

Thank you, Laura A Rizzo, Cherokee Collies