



**Sheridan Historical Society
Trustee Meeting
Tuesday at 5:30 PM
September 24, 2024**

Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Dallas in the “I Explore Room” in the Sheridan Recreation Center at 3325 W. Oxford Avenue at 5:27 pm

Board members present: Ernie Camacho, Dallas Hall, Andrew Rogge, and Roger Rowland. There were two guests: Steve Nadler and James Taylor.

Steve’s company Lochness Properties, Inc. owns the property at 3701 S. Santa Fe. This is the property with the round (twelve sided) building. He is a history buff with information on US post offices in the area. He presented a couple of items with “Petersburg, CO” postmarks. This was new information has no board member was aware that Petersburg had it’s own post office.

A motion was made by Ernie and seconded by Andrew to approve the minutes of July 23, 2024. The motion was approved.

Treasurer’s Report

Roger presented the Treasurer’s report. Roger reported the Colorado Secretary of State annual periodic report filing had been completed in June. The current balance is \$5,793.89. A motion was made by Dallas and seconded by Ernie to accept the report. The motion passed. Roger requested reimbursement for the annual all class picnic expenses of \$361.56 and the \$10.00 state filing fee for a total of \$371.56. A motion was made by Ernie and second by Dallas to approve the reimbursement. The motion passed.

Correspondence

There was a letter from the police department thanking the society for our participation in the National Night Out event.

Historical Projects

There has been no activity in the Alice Terry Elementary School history. Roger is planning to visit the school to meet with Adrian Vigil.

Roger has completed about one third of the writing of the police department supplemental history.

The digitization of the Fire Department journals is still in progress and is expected to be completed by the end of the year. Andrew indicated the vendor had been given a November completion deadline.

Sheridan Retirement

Judge Kimmel is retiring at the end of this year. His last court room date is expected to be December 19, 2024. It is planned to be a short docket for a celebration for his retirement at the end. Roger passed around a bio on Judge Kimmel. Kimmel was appointed on October 15, 1975 and is one of the longest tenured judges in Colorado. Including this year, he will have served the city for forty-nine (49) years.

The previous longest tenured judge (city magistrate) was Edward N. Bean at thirty-eight (38) years from 1890 through 1928.

Sheridan Celebrates

The parade and festival is scheduled for Saturday, September 28, 2024. The theme is “Fiesta in the City.” The Grand Marshall is our own Dallas Hall.

Cancellation of November Meeting

A motion as made by Dallas and second by Ernie to cancel the November meeting. The motion was approved. Meetings will resume in January, 2025.

Other Items

Roger inquired about the music museum and asked Andrew for contact information for the owner, Gordon Close. Gordon is the owner of Melody Music and Elite Sound. Gordon has a significant number of historical guitars within his personal collection.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:04 pm.

Submitted by Roger Rowland
Secretary/Treasurer

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