FEATHER RIVER RAIL SOCIETY

DATE: December 2017

ITEM: Director Report

FROM: Eugene Vicknair

GRANTS

It turns out the grant for the roof was more complicated than anticipated and I could not complete by the December 5 deadline. I have a great start on it for the 2018 funding cycle. I will need some input on scope from the Board, so I will present a plan by the February 2018 Meeting for review and approval.

I have had some phone meetings with the grant writers on other grants and we are refining our approach. They have a new person working for them and with us who has a lot of museum and humanities grant experience.

EXHIBITS

I am working on designs and layouts for 2-3 portable exhibits using the kind of roll-up banners that we have in the Store for advertising the RAL program and the Museum. Have been speaking to Kerry, Frank Brehm and Chris Allan about them. Hope to have designs to share next meeting. They could be used around the museum and / or as travelling exhibits to other museums.