FEATHER RIVER RAIL SOCIETY

DATE: May 2021

ITEM: Director Report FROM: Eugene Vicknair

DOCK RAILINGS and STAIRS

In reviewing Steve Habeck's report, I approve of the railings he proposes for the dock. They are similar if not identical to something David Elem's and I discussed. With Steve's railing estimate of \$3,000, we also need to replace the stairs with IBC compliant steel stairs. A set to fit that location will cost about \$2,650 including tax and shipping. This means work to improve access to the dock will cost about \$5,700 in materials, tax and shipping. We currently have about \$2,500 approved in budget for items applicable to this. To cover the rest plus Steve's other requests, we would need to reallocate funds.

WORK DAY, SATURDAY MAY 29

With all the work needed on the store and grounds, I floated the idea of requesting assistance from the community for work on Saturday May 29. I talked to Steve and Greg and they liked the idea. I have talked to Patty Clawson and she is going to assist me in trying to recruit some help from the Rotary, The Elks and other groups. Also, I have forwarded the contact info for a professional cleaning service to Greg Elems.

MUSEUM STORE

Janet and I met with Ann Cary last Thursday and went over more store items. Ann is getting more comfortable with the online store and I think we should be able to go live by June 1.

Janet and I, with some help from Tim Steeper, also worked on boxing up all the merchandise and lots of the records and support material. We discussed plan to move most of the furnishings and all the merchandise out into the silver and orange baggage car while work happens on the store room. The stove and sink in the small room will be removed and that room remodeled as well. The fire safe, Z scale and drink cooler will move into the diesel shop while we clean the store and have a new epoxy floor poured. The roof has been repaired and next it will be sealed.

Tim, Janet and I also worked on the Archives car.