# Feather River Rail Society Board of Directors Meeting – June 5, 2021 – 3:00 PM Western Pacific Railroad Museum Meeting Room – WPRM, Portola, CA

Vice-President Steve Habeck called the meeting to order at 3:14 PM.

# **Attendance**

#### The following Directors were present:

Kerry Cochran Charlie Spikes Janet Steeper

Bob Sims - phone Eugene Vicknair Steve Habeck Matt Elems

7 directors present at meeting start – Quorum achieved.

Greg Elems – arrived at 3:37 PM

## **Guests present:**

Randy Morton

Bart Hansen - arrived at 3:37 PM - phone

## Correspondence

- Habeck Received note from Amazon Smile, we received \$190 in the last month. Got renewal for Workman's Comp Insurance. Made updates on insurance info. Locals really talking about reopening of museum.
- Vicknair General inquiries on opening July 1.

# **Consent Calendar**

Approval of the minutes of the May 2021 Regular Meeting.

Tabled to July 2021 Meeting.

#### **Old Business**

none

# **New Business**

none

## **Good of the Order**

#### **President's Report**

Written report provided.

# **Financial Reports**

• Written reports provided.

## **Director's Reports**

- Vicknair written report provided.
  - o Thank you to David Elems, Ann Morningstar and Greg Elems for their assistance.
  - o Janet reported on epoxy floor contractor. Looking to start Jun 14.
  - o Bob Sims is going to move the Z scale layout before floor starts.

## **Event Reports**

- 2021 WP Historic Convention
  - Had to move dates up one week due to hotel conflict.

#### **Department Reports**

- General Superintendent written report provided.
- Historical / Archives written report provided.
- Signal written report provided.
  - Discussion about AT&T internet backbone issues on line between Portola and Chico. Considering conversation with Plumas Telecom to offer museum as community hotspot location.

Bart Hansen arrived on phone – 3:37 PM Greg Elems arrived – 3:37 PM

- Train Sheet written report provided.
- Webmaster written report provided.
- Funding written report provided.
  - Just got grant for \$1,500 approved from Common Good Foundation.
- Mechanical
  - Not much change from 2 weeks ago.
  - Got all sand out of the nose of SP GP9 2873.
  - o Injectors for WP GP7 707 will be about \$3,500, add about \$4,500 to include filters and oil.
  - o Has filters on hand for WP SW1500 1503, will do those next week and have it back in service.
  - o QRR TR6A in service, but needs to go down for annual soon.
  - Need to send stuff down to San Diego for air brake work.
  - o WP 1503 ready for RAL by end of next week.
  - o Got price for Hatch and Kirk for water pump for SP 2873. \$1,250 plus \$3,500 for injectors for 2873.

## **Committee Reports**

David Elems mentioned that Safety Committee meetings need to start soon.

## **Legal / Insurance Report**

Update on insurance renewals.

## **Status of Surplus Property Report**

none

## Safety Report

- Got critical facility fire extinguishers done last week. Before we open, will be getting extinguishers in cars done.
- Greg Elems has call into ABC about servicing Archive FM-200. Inspection and service time coming up.

#### **Public Comments**

none

#### **Notices**

Members Dinner – 5:30 PM Annual Membership Meeting – 7:00 PM

# **Closed Session**

none

#### <u>Adjourn</u>

Meeting adjourned at: 3:58 PM (Vicknair / M. Elems)
Next Meeting: July 10, 2021 – 4:30 PM

Location: WPRM Conference Room, Portola, CA

Respectfully Submitted, Eugene Vicknair - FRRS Secretary