

Iola Historical Society

Board Meeting Minutes, July 30, 2018

Board members present – Cliff, Lee, Tom, Charlie T. and Sharon.

June meeting minutes read. Approved by Lee, Charlie second.

Treasurer's report. Cliff approved, Charlie second.

Cliff talked to Alliant Energy about the underground wiring on the IHS property and an easement by winter.

Motion made by Lee to accept the 1923 Case 12-20 tractor to display in the Machine Shed – on loan from Oscar Goli family, it having been purchased new by and spent its entire life on the Oscar Goli farm.

Sharon explained about the donation of dishes from Dorothy Psoter, from the Budsberg family, from early 1900.

Lee commented on having an electrician in to repair the light switches in several places, also need to replace firehouse door.

Lee suggested we discontinue the Carbonite backup for the IHS computer. Not in use any more. Will save about \$60 yearly.

Caboose project is making progress. Louie Adams and Lee have been painting boards.

Lee will talk to Al Domask (golf course president) about a donation for the historical marker on Slaughterhouse Hill.

Meeting adjourned.

Membership Meeting Minutes, July 30, 2018

Cliff opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. Fourteen people were present.

Joanna Rheingans approved the minutes.

Tom gave a Treasurer's report. George Cuhaj motioned to accept, Roger Nassen second. Motion approved.

Cliff reported on the Towne Collection. He and Bob Stamstad plan to visit Wayne Towne, hopefully to honor the collection soon. Joanna suggested we include it with one of our events.

Cliff talked about the easement to Alliant Energy in the future.

Historical marker #12 unveiling for Firehouse will be held August 25. Historical marker #13 will be done on Slaughterhouse Ski Hill – it will be by #2 tee on the golf course.

Cliff explained about the 1923 Case 12-20 tractor from Oscar Goli family, on loan to IHS. Charlie Thompson will have it on display during events.

Robbie Louison reported on the Stave Church presentation. About 25 people attended.

Lee reported on the caboose renovation. Lee, Louis and George painted the boards. It will be finished to the point it can be reopened for visitation by guests at the Taste of Norway Event in early October.

Approximately 80 people attended the Taste & Tunes program here last Saturday.

Strawberry Fest went very well.

Meeting adjourned. Turned the program over to Lee – very good, interesting to all.

Minutes recorded by Acting Secretary – Sharon Peterson