

Pueblo Friends of the Arkansas River

**Wednesday, September 14, 2022
5:00pm at BloBack Gallery
Agenda**

9/14/22 Meeting Attendance

-Carla
-Cynthia
-Jeff
-Eric
-Daniel
-Corinne
-Greg Smith

Absent

-Lindsay Martin – Excused
-Michael Hazel – Not Excused

Call meeting to order- Corinne

Secretary's report- Lindsay

Daniel made a motion to approve, motion seconded - passed

Treasurer's report-Daniel

**Income to date \$8,270 Expenses - \$3,952 BAL- \$4845.48
(attached is report from Daniel)**

Old Business

Update on signatures on checking account-Daniel

Carla, Lindsay and Daniel are on account at ENT

Bylaws-Corinne (attached for review)

Corinne presented bylaws

Daniel made a motion to approve the present bylaws, motion seconded by Jeff - passed

New Business

New board members- all

**Cynthia invited Greg Smith of Smitty's Greenlight Tavern to be on the board.
smittysgreenlight@gmail.com**

Website proposal- Corinne

Max \$1200 – reviewing monthly cost with Justin Bregar – he also needs content.

Suggestions include

-Connection to FB & website

-A monthly blog

-PayPal account for membership

Motion was made to approve, motion seconded by Carla - passed

Event on Levee 9/15- Carla

All set

Creek Week- 9/24- 10/2 Carla

Attending meeting 9/15 will provide group with update

Lottery river clean-up- 10/8 Mary and Jeff

Corinne will contact Maria with Lottery

-next cleanup in November

Adopt a mile of trail- Corinne

Per Barbara Alphin with Parks Dept. the sign to adopt a mile is still in process

Winter Solstice- Cynthia

Date is 12/17 from 2pm-8pm Cynthia will work on a budget and an ask letter for sponsors. She thinks the cost of the event will be about \$2000. Need a paid photographer. Will have lantern making tables at event. Looking at 2-3 food trucks

Membership/membership drive- Mary

Current membership is 12 membership applications will be at events. Corinne will do a mailing
-membership meeting

Committee chairs- River cleanups, fundraising, marketing

Refer to next months meeting

Discussion and updates:

*Goals for organization-short and medium term

Have a meet and greet meeting.

Auborn Society- birds in the area

Runners Club

Imps-a Chautauqua type presentation

Ghost walk event

A tour of the river by kayaks

Contact president of Kiwanis

Kim C. – Paddle board

Sculpture Talk -Eric

*Updates on brochure, murals, new trail, highway signage, Waveshaper, bridge names

Brochure-Recommend color in heavy stock about \$480 for 500 brochures.

Chamber has asked for support.

Mural-lots of interest with more being painted

City didn't get waveshaper grant

New trail more benches are being installed

*What else?

Adjourn

Next meeting PFAR meeting October 12th at 5:15