# Fair Board Minutes of the Proceedings

## - Final

Historic Courthouse 310 W 19th Street Cheyenne, WY 82001



Monday, September 13, 2021

6:00 PM

**Commissioners Board Room** 

#### Call To Order

#### **Roll Call**

**Present** K. N. Buck Holmes, Gunnar Malm, Linda Heath,

**Ronald Gregory** 

**Excused** Cody Nusbaum, Troy Thompson

## **Approval of Minutes**

1. Approval of July 12, 2021 Meeting Minutes

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Attachments: Draft Minute of Proceedings July 12, 2021

A motion was made by Trustee Gregory, seconded by Trustee Malm, that this agenda item be approved. The motion passed on a 4-0 vote.

## **Reports**

2. 4-H Educator 21 - 433

Kristy Nagy

4-H Sale sold 251 animals; total sales \$699,294

The Internet Sale had some early glitches but were worked out before the sale began. There were some issues with Herdsmanship, particularly with the stall cards.

**3.** FFA Advisors **21 - 434** 

Joe Allen East High FFA,

The changes they made went well this year. Overall, the sale was higher than last year. The new location at the Hereford Ranch was well received. The advisors will meet in late September to go over Parental Comments. FFA is preparing teams for National FFA Competition, they have 1 member who is in the top 16 in the National in Extemporaneous Speaking. The new TOP FIVE Class was a success and will continue in the future.

Tommy Cress, FFA Advisor, Central High School,

commented he has a lot of catching up to do after being away from the FFA program for several years mostly in relation to the new technology, but truly appreciated the cooperation with 4-H all the Advisors, Commissioners/Board, Event Staff, Nicholle Watkins, Dan Ange and Larry Milbourn. He feels they need to work on getting the word out about the new sale location.

**4.** Staff **21 - 435** 

Nicholle Watkins, Fair Manager

Feels the fair was an overall success, some of the changes will need to be evaluated. She has sent out 514 premium checks for a total of \$26,014, premium adjustment forms are available on the Laramie County Fair website if you believe there was an error in your premium check.

Larry Milbourn, Ground's Manager Felt there was good teamwork on everybody's part.

#### **New Business**

5. Discussion on 2021 Laramie County Fair Recap.

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**Public Comment** 

Sheala Roof, suggested we install a hard surface path between the north door of the Event Center and the M&K Building to facilitate those in wheelchairs and with strollers to access the buildings. She also presented written comments from the members of The Helping Hands 4-H Club concerning the Fair.

Jodi Milbourn will be holding a meeting with her Class Superintendents in the next couple weeks to go over their comments and possible changes and updates to Open Class section of the fair book.

## The meeting adjourned at 6:30pm.

## **Adjournment**

Next Meeting; Monday, October 4, 2021, in the Commissioner's Board Room at 6:00 PM

#### **CERTIFICATION**

True and correct copy of the Minutes of the Proceedings for Monday, Sept 13th, 2021. Approved by: K.N. Buck Holmes, Chairman