

7/20/26 Meeting Minutes

Attendance: Debbie Knutson, April Grothe, Kate Hoyt, Sue Kugler, Sarah Heidebrink

1. Call to Order- 6:00pm at Fergus Falls Public Library.
2. Roll Call of Officers
 - a. President Jamie Lanoue- Excused
 - b. Vice President April Grothe- Present
 - c. Sec./Tres. Debbie Knutson- Present
3. Reading of Minutes- Meeting minutes were read aloud from our meeting held on 6/15/26 along with sent via email. Minutes stand as read, motion by Sarah & 2nd by Sue.

Reports of Officers

 - a. Tres. Report- \$159,329.34. Motion made pending audit by Sue and 2nd by Sarah.
6. Reports of Staff and Committees
 - a. Our current Membership numbers are 53.4%.
7. Unfinished business-
 - a. We continue to await the approval from International regarding our dues structure changing to 150% of your hourly rate.
 - b. Any Contract Proposals need to be submitted to Jamie by August 17th Local meeting which will be held at the Eagle's Ship in Fergus Falls in person only.
 - c. The Convention will be held in September and we will discuss attendance at the August 17th meeting. Debbie, Jamie, April, Sue, Andrea, Mindy, Kathy, Allen, Jenn, Sarah and Colleen are interested in attending.
8. New Business
 - a. The Negotiations Assembly will be held in January. We will work on attendance for this event also at the August 17th meeting
 - b. Meet & Greet was held at the Bemidji Vets home on June 22 & 23 which went well. Had our first Labor Management Meeting and will have our next one in September.
9. Good and Welfare- none at this time
10. Adjournment- 6:30pm motion by Debbie 2nd by Sarah.

The next meeting will be 8/17/26 at 6pm at the Fergus Falls Eagles Ship at 120 S. Peck St. in Fergus Falls. NO ZOOM AT THIS MEETING!