## **Minutes of the Williamson County Historical Commission**

A regular meeting of the Williamson County Historical Commission was held on **Thursday**, **April 3rd**, **2008** in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor conference room in the County Courthouse. Bob Brinkman was in the chair and David Hollingsworth was Secretary. Members attending were: Bob Brinkman, Chris Dyer, David Hollingsworth, Milton Liese, George Meyer, Marietta Mugford, Larry Rydell, David Voelter, Mervin Walker, Tommie Walker, Wayne Ware, and Nelma Wilkinson.

The chair called the meeting to order at about 2:04pm.

Chris Dyer **moved to accept the minutes** from the previous meeting. Marietta Mugford seconded. The motion passed.

David Voelter gave the Treasurer's report.

There was no **Old Business**.

## **New Business:**

Tommie Walker moved to increase the amount allocated towards membership in other organizations from \$300 to \$305. Milton Liese seconded. The motion passed.

David Voelter moved to **donate \$50** in honor of Fred "Coop" Smith, allocated as **follows:\$25** to the Weir Cemetery fund and **\$25** to the Weir volunteer fire department. George Meyer seconded. The motion passed.

George Meyer noted that the pioneer pictures on the floor of the conference room should be placed in a more appropriate location. Chris Dyer indicated that the Commissioner's Court wanted the pictures in here but they will be hung up on the wall soon.

## **Committee reports:**

The cemetery committee report was given by David Hollingsworth.

The museum committee report was given by Chris Dyer.

The marker committee report was given by Chris Dyer. Mervin Walker indicated that he still has the old Mankin's Crossing marker. Bob Brinkman indicated that it should be given

The infrastructure committee report was given by David Hollingsworth.

## **Commissioner Announcements:**

A discussion occurred regarding a survey of the historical markers in the county.

Mervin Walker announced the following events:

On Saturday April 12<sup>th</sup> at 2pm the Texas Rangers will be at Weir cemetery to dedicate a marker for William Ellison.

On April  $19^{th}$  the ladies group in Weir will be having its annual arts and crafts and bake sale from 8am - 2pm and the fire department will be holding a BBQ from 3:30 - 7pm.

Granger will be having their annual Lakefest on May 10th.

Jarrell will be having a community event on the 12<sup>th</sup> with a parade at 10am.

The next meeting of the Commission will be held **on Thursday, May 8th, 2008, at a time and location yet to be determined**.

The chair called the meeting closed at about 3:00pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

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David E Hollingsworth, Secretary