

Draft GPAMA Meeting Minutes November 14, 2019

Meeting was called to order at 6:16 PM. The following individuals were in attendance: M. Mudd, R. Yost, E. Ward, S. Verchinski, F. Cronshaw via conference call, and R. Buckman. Treasurer reported \$191.59 in checking, \$23.97 in Paypal. Grand total is \$220.66 including petty cash and savings account.

Old Business

- 1. Yost will contact Charey to find out about ways to volunteer assistance for The Source .
- 2. Secretary vacancy will be posted to FB and web site. Will be included in next mass e-mail if not filled by the time it is sent.
- 3. Regarding the 1970 UNM bayonetting remembrance event, it was agreed that the event needs to start taking shape. Inviting Jane Fonda to attend and/or speak, building a monument at UNM commemorating the incident, contacting former Governor David Cargo's family for the rationale behind activating the NM National Guard, getting the UNM Peace Studies Dept. involved, and filming the event and giving a copy to the UNM Archives were ideas that were put forth. J. Lockridge (not in attendance) will check the ABQ Journal Archives, Cronshaw and Mudd will check the UNM Archives, and Yost will check The Report of The President's Commission in Campus Unrest for pertinent information. Ward will check with Peace Studies for student or professor interest. A total of \$50 was approved for search expenses: Verchinski will provide list of names, and Ward will try to contact the people. Verchinski will follow up with UNM Art, Theatre, Architecture about an art presentation or a play. A follow-up conference call regarding the remembrance event will take place on November 21, 2019 at 6:00 PM.

Green Council Report

Ward reported that the IPRA request for the plan from the Climate Change Task Force was made and that post cards were sent to San Juan County. She reminded everyone about the upcoming 2020 Platform conference call.

New Business

- 1. Verchinski attended the fracking wastewater (produced water) meeting in Santa Fe. Officials are attempting to reclassify it in order to facilitate easier disposal. Upcoming meetings in Carlsbad and Las Cruces. A 30-day public comment period was to follow the meeting. Verchinski will write a brief summary to post on line.
- 2. Ward provided an update on the KAFB jet fuel plume cleanup. The ethylene dibromide contamination is allegedly 91% cleaned up. A final remediation plan has not been implemented. The next public meeting will be held in the spring of 2020.

Announcements

The next vegetation/glyphosate meeting will be held on December 4, 2020. Greta Thurnberg will not visit New Mexico.

Meeting adjourned at 7:57 PM.