



Friends of the History Center for Aransas County

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Board Meeting Minutes

November 18, 2025

5:30 PM (via Zoom)

Meeting called to order by R. Melvin.

No citizens to be heard.

Board members present

D. Kroskie

M. Winkelman

J. Fox

R. Melvin

M. Gudim

MINUTES

- J. Fox made a motion to approve October 2025 minutes. M. Gudim seconded. Motion passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT

M. Gudim:

- M. Winkelman made a motion to approve October 2025 treasurer's report. D. Kroskie seconded. Motion passed.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

R. Melvin:

- 2026 operations budget: M. Winkelman made a motion to accept the 2026 operations budget sent to the Board on 11/11/25. M. Gudim seconded. Motion passed.
- Nominating Committee: J. Fox and E. Koenig to be approved for a second 3-year term. M. Gudim made a motion to accept. M. Winkelman seconded. Motion passed.
- Event tracker: Amy has kept events updated and has been keeping Board informed.
- M. Gudim: IRS Form 990 is signed and filed through the CPA office and to Internal Revenue.

FINANCE

M. Gudim:

- Nothing to report.

DEVELOPMENT

R. Melvin:

- Nothing to report.

EDUCATION/EXHIBITS

J. Fox:

- Research has begun on new exhibits: Spanish Texas (Vaqueros), Texas Revolution. Meeting will take place in January regarding final draft for panels and their timing.
- Artifacts being sought for display from various institutions and individuals, namely Fulton Mansion and Presidio La Bahia.

FACILITIES

R. Melvin:

- Nothing to report.

PUBLICITY/MARKETING

All:

- Consider ways to increase visibility (e.g., newspaper), attracting people/participation (via more speakers, events, more collaboration with other entities, etc.).

COLLECTIONS/CURATION

M. Winkelman:

- Nothing to report.

OLD BUSINESS

R. Melvin:

- Nothing to report.

NEW BUSINESS

R. Melvin:

- Dec 6th and 7th: any additional support for the Homes Tour would be appreciated.
- Next meeting – Appreciation Dinner and awards on Dec 9th at 5:30pm.

M. Gudim made a motion to adjourn the meeting. J. Fox seconded. Motion passed.

Minutes recorded by D. Kroskie