

## Plumas Sierra County Fair Board

**FEBRUARY 26, 2025**  
**MEETING MINUTES**

PLUMAS SIERRA COUNTY FAIR BOARD MEETING  
HELD IN THE MINERAL BUILDING, AT 204 FAIRGROUNDS ROAD  
QUINCY CALIFORNIA

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1. **CALL TO ORDER:** President Griffin
2. **ROLL CALL**  
**Present:** James Griffin, Susan Neer, Cynthia Lusk, Vincent DelBarba, Libby Ryan, Clint Koble  
**Absent:** Susan Neer, Annie Ceresola, Michelle Blackford, Jenay Cogle, Cindy Noble
3. **ADDITIONS TO OR DELETIONS FROM AGENDA**  
*None*
4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM OCTOBER 16, 2025**  
Motion to approve by Director Ryan, seconded by Director Del Barba. Passed unanimously.
5. **PUBLIC COMMENT**  
*No public comment*
6. **MANAGER'S REPORT/FAIRGROUND TOUR**  
An update was given regarding the 2025 Western Fairs Association Convention held in Reno in January. It was the close of Fair Manager Steffanic's term as Chairman of the Board for WFA. A benefit of the position was that several vendors and entertainers were interested in coming to the Plumas Sierra County Fair in 2025 and were signed up.  
  
A brief outline of the signed entertainers was presented, including Dangerously Fun Juggling, Barnyard Bash, Skip Banks Balloon Man, Powerhouse, Ryan Nielson Magician, Alan Sands Hypnotist, Wildcat Band and Quircus. Layout of entertainment was discussed with favor towards setting up three stages on the West Lawn and one on the corner across from the schoolhouse. The motorcycle races are planning on returning, but there is no word yet as to the status of a car racing promoter, which is in the selection process. The Board was asked to suggest bands for Old Town and several possibilities were presented at the meeting. There is nothing planned yet for the Mineral Building and several suggestions were made and will be followed up on. Other ideas for attractions were brought up, including Native American dancing and displays, fireman's muster and corn hole tournament. Several Board members promised to follow up on making contacts and passing them on to the fair manager.
7. **NEW BUSINESS**
  - A. **Form 700**  
Fair Manager Steffanic explained the purpose and process of filling out this form that is required of all members of an elected or appointed board, as well as certain employees.
  - B. **2025 Fair Logo**  
The temporary artwork for the 2025 Fair was presented on the cover of the exhibit guide, depicting the classic "I want you" Uncle Sam declaring "It's your fair, be there and share". Most Directors liked the artwork, except Director Ryan who is planning on creating better artwork and presenting it to the Board. The Board decided to keep the Uncle Sam artwork, but was willing to

consider another idea from Director Ryan. She has until Tuesday following the meeting to pass on her idea.

### C. 2025 Exhibit Guide

A proof copy of the 2025 Exhibit Guide was given to each Director. Fair Manager Steffanic requested each Director to check it out, especially dates. He also asked that Directors look at specific departments they may have entered into before and go through the process of entering to make sure all the information is there and correct. He asked for feedback by the middle of the following week.

Of interest was the cancellation of all poultry shows. Superintendent Desi Guardino created an alternate program for poultry exhibitors which included presenting showmanship with stuff chickens. There were also art and educational alternatives as well. Also, Superintendent Wilson and the Fair Vet are making a change in animal bedding, requiring exhibitors to bring their own coarser shavings. There has been respiratory issues with animals due to the current shavings which are very fine. Efforts are being made to make the proper shavings available at the fair for purchase..

## 8. **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Next Fair Board meeting Wednesday, April 16, 2025

## 9. **ADJOURN**

**Motion:** Director Lusk made a motion to adjourn at 6:28pm, seconded by Director Neer. Approved.



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