

**Rural Revival Minutes: June 27, 2022**  
**Freeman City Library**

**Directors Present:** Dennis Lehmann, S. Roy Kaufman, Lillie Eisenbeis, Brent Brockmueller, Dee Millar

**Directors Absent:** Andre Eisenbeis

**Members Present:** Glen Wollman, Dennis Jurkovich, Tim Eisenbeis, Richard Ensz, Phil Eisenbeis, Beth Kaufman

**Guests Present:**

**Minutes:** Dee moved to accept the minutes and Beth seconded. Passed unanimously.

**Treasurer's Report:** Lillie reported the current balance is \$8281.70. Lillie plans to give an updated accounting report by the next monthly meeting. Donations are welcome from members to pay down the balance of the land payment. \$27,363 is the principal balance on the land with a variable rate of 6.25% as of today.

**Committee Reports:**

1. Land Access
  - No report.
2. Local Foods
  - Parking has been mentioned as a negative to the move to the park for the Farmers Market. Accessibility for parking or assistance to the elderly was brought up as a way to combat that.
  - Plans are in the works for music to be played at an upcoming Farmers Market. There is no money budgeted to pay musicians but likely it will come out of the vendor fees. The Yankton Market does not pay musicians but they solely earn from tip jars. Suggestions were made to have multiple tip jars around the Market to help offset the costs.
3. Education
  - August 27th activity is still on schedule at the Community Center.
  - Lillie offered to write another article for the Rural Alternatives in the Freeman Courier.

**Other:**

- Beth plans on attending a prairie restoration activity in Grand Island, NE in July. She would be willing to give an update at the August monthly meeting. Beth will also talk with Lyle Preheim about the possibility of an educational activity about prairie hay on Brent's farm.

**Adjournment:** Dee made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Beth seconded, it passed unanimously, meeting adjourned. Next meeting: Monday, July 25, 2022

Respectfully submitted by Brent Brockmueller, secretary.