

Rural Revival Minutes – February 24, 2025

Freeman City Library

Directors Present: S. Roy Kaufman, Dennis Lehmann, Tim Eisenbeis, Phillip Eisenbeis, Dennis Jurkovich

Directors Absent: Brent Brockmueller, Spencer Bradford

Members Present: Dee Millar, Megan EisenVos, Lyle Preheim

Minutes: The Minutes of the January 27, 2025 meeting were reviewed. Motion to approve by Dee, seconded by Phillip, passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report: Report included with these minutes. Motion to approve by Dee, seconded by Phillip, passed unanimously.

Committees:

Land Trust/Access

Mennonite farmers near Mountain Lake are donating land to a Native American tribe.

We discussed recent land sales hindering access to young farmers.

Roy and Megan are looking into a presentation on land stewardship and land transfer issues.

Local Foods:

No report

Education:

The Courier published an article by Roy on February 6 titled “Community-based social services”

A Freeman Courier article written by Sadaf Cassim about the work of Will and Sherilyn Ortman egg producers was published on February 13.

Dennis L moved that we donate \$100 to Dakota Rural Action as a thank you for Megan's presentation on the Farm to School program in January. Motion to approve by Dee, seconded by Phillip, passed unanimously.

Motion to adjourn meeting by Phillip and seconded by Dee

The next regular meeting will be on March 24, 2025 at 8:00 pm

Respectfully submitted by Dennis Jurkovich, Secretary

TREASURER'S REPORT

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Correction to January 27 Treasurer's Report

The January 27, 2025, treasurer's report incorrectly recorded the balance on hand as \$9,445.90. The correct balance on hand was **\$9,445.29.** You should have a treasurer who knows how to add!!

01-27-2025	Corrected balance on hand.	\$9,445.29.
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Expenses

01-27-2025	South Dakota Specialty Producers (Farmer's Market)	30.00
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Income

01-27-2025	Membership dues, Megan EisenVos	20.00
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02-24-2025	Balance on hand.	\$9,435.29
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02-24-2025	Farmer's Market Balance	\$859.13
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S. Roy Kaufman, Treasurer

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