



Minutes from the Board of Directors Meeting – April 15, 2026

Attendees:

Jeffrey Neal – President
Bryan Shields – Secretary
David Hering – Treasurer
Doug Graff – Director
Jason Banales – Director/Fundraising Chair
Rosemary Tomasulo-Campos – Rodeo Director

Rita Woods

Board Members Absent:

Shaun Franklin-Sewell – Vice President
Guy Puglisi – Trustee
Jason Bryant – Director
N/A

Available Positions:

Sponsorship Chair

President called the meeting to order 7:01 p.m. Quorum of Board was met. Meeting was held via Zoom.

President's Report

- Report Submitted

Vice President's Report

- No Report Submitted
- Membership: **Membership: 91 (Individual 68, Lifetime 18, Honorary 5)**

Secretary's Report

- **Doug Graff moved to approve the March 2026 meeting minutes. Second – Rosemary Tomasulo-Campos. Discussion. Approved by unanimous verbal vote.**

Treasurer's Report

- Report

Trustee's Report

- No Report Submitted

Director-At-Large Reports

- Douglas Graff – Director
 - No Report Submitted
- Jason Bryant – Director
 - No Report Submitted

Royalty Team

- No Report Submitted

Rodeo Planning Committee – RPC / Sponsorship

- No Report Submitted
- **Rosemary Tomasulo-Campos moved to approve NGRA pay for Sammy Van Galder to make us a new full set of ropes for Rodeo. Total Cost \$490.86 (quotes included in report) This includes: 2 Goat Ropes, 6 Wild Drag Ropes, 4 Steer Deco Ropes. Sammy is only charging us for the material not the time he is taking to braid them and make sure they are all within the guidelines. Second – Doug Graff. Discussion. Approved by unanimous verbal vote.**
- Please, please, like and share all BHR2026 posts to help our reach! Thank you
- Black Rodeo will take place the first weekend in October 2026 (*October 2-4, 2026*). Anyone interested in volunteering to assist with the bar, please contact Rosemary or Doug.
- Sam's Town has extended our deadline to April 17, 2026.



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- Next RPC meeting will be on Saturday, April 25, 2026, at 11am at Casa de Baygo for bag building. *Please join in person if you are able. There will not be a zoom component.*

Fundraising

- Report Submitted
- Attendance at other community events is noticed and impactful. Please attend when able! Thank you to all who are out and about representing.
- Savers fundraiser for collection of goods will run 5/15-6/19. Drop off will be on June 19th. Collecting lightly used clothing, media (books, CD's, movies), and kitchen/home goods (smaller than 18 inches). Promotional materials to be coming from Savers.
- The next fundraising meeting will take place the week of Rodeo via zoom. Please see ngra.com/events for details.

Marketing

- No Report Submitted

Unfinished Business

- N/A

New Business

- N/A

Quorum was met.

General Membership – Unfinished Business

- N/A

General Membership - New Business

- N/A

Quorum was not met.

Board and General Membership meetings adjourned at 7:09 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,
Bryan Shields, NGRA Secretary 2018-2028