

Rocky Mountain Bible Mission
Minutes for the Quarterly Meeting
October 21, 2005
Lolo Community Church, Lolo, Montana

Opening

President Gray Repke opened the meeting with prayer at 1:05 p.m. Scott Ambo introduced the Hot Springs Praise group (8 members) who shared several special musical numbers and led Mission members in several hymns and praise songs.

Jeff Boschmann shared a devotional entitled *What is Success?* from Ezekiel chapters 1-3. He described four keys to success in ministry: **1) Proclamation**, 2:1-7; **2) Digestion** (of God's Word), 2:8-3:3; **3) Determination**, 3:4-9; **4) Attention**, 3:16-21.

Members in attendance were Scott Ambo, Sid Bartell, Steve & Myrna Bicknell, Jeff & Miriam Boschmann, Bill Cramer, Jake and Rachel Cremer, Steve & Brenda Fawcett, Walter & Denise Floch, Gray & Katy Repke, Edwin & Linda Grinder, Jim Hunter, Bill Huotte, Frank & Betty Jackson, Verlan Jesse, Dave & Millie Knight, Arthur & Connie McCafferty, Don P. Oberg, Kathy Simmons, Paul & Mary Skoglund, Cindy Snyder, Clark West, Bill Wohlers.

Guests present were Christina Breipohl, John Bras, David & Debby Donnerberg, Tobie & Lienes Elder, Leota Fred, Keith Indreland, Rosina Jesse, Terry & Rhonda Longerknecker, Jim & Paula Stobie, Betty & Susie West.

A motion for a time to adjourn of 4:45 p.m. was made by Don Oberg and seconded by Edwin Grinder. Motion carried by voice vote.

Minutes

Following review of the April 19, 2005 minutes by Mission membership, Steve Bicknell moved for approval, seconded by Don Oberg with the change in name spelling from Dan to Don (Oberg). The motion carried by voice vote.

Financial Report

Leota Fred reported that the Fiscal Year report (10/01/04-09/30/05) will be available later. She praised Warren & Michele Edson for their budget surplus. She also asked for donations of firewood for use at the Mission Office. Direct deposit of paychecks for those interested will be available beginning with the November 2005 payroll. Applications will be mailed with the next news notes. Fred asked for prayer for Marion McHatton concerning her renewed battle with cancer and for her husband Ed's salvation. She is too weak to volunteer. Don Oberg led in prayer for these requests. Oberg made a motion for approval of the report, seconded by Bill Huotte. Motion carried by voice vote.

Updates

Moody Radio is planning to change to satellite. They need \$15,000 to do the job.

Old Business

There was no Old Business.

New Business

A motion was made by Dave Knight and seconded by Don Oberg to set Tuesday, April 18, 2006 as the date for the Quarterly Meeting in conjunction with the Shepherd's Conference. The motion carried by voice vote.

Art McCafferty shared an informative session on the Philosophy of Rural Ministry.

Nominations for two vacancies on the Executive Board (one missionary and one non-missionary) must be received in the Mission Office no later than December 19, 2005.

Ministry Reports

In the time remaining, ministry reports were given by Jim Hunter, Rachel Cremer, Katy Repke, Cindy Snyder, Sid Bartell, and Steve Fawcett.

Closing

Following the singing of the hymn *Standing on the Promises*, Steve Bicknell moved and seconded by Don Oberg that the meeting be adjourned at 4:29 p.m. Motion approved by voice vote.

Respectfully submitted

Edwin H. Grinder

Acting Secretary

Note: These minutes were approved at the next meeting, January 20, 2006.