



## **Platteville Museum Board Minutes**

June 18, 2025

**Board/Friends Members Present:** Brad Brogley, Garrett Jones, Tom Nall, Larry Bowden, Dick Davies, Deb Jenny

**Others Present:** Director Cody Grabhorn, Christina Grev, Gene Tesdahl

**Call to order** at 4:45 by Brad Brogley

**Minutes** of the May 2025 Museum Board meeting approved on motion by Larry Bowden, seconded by Deb Jenny.

### **Collections Monthly Report**

- Christina Grev provided an update on collections cataloging and registration, as well as collections care projects.

### **Director's Monthly Report**

- Director Cody Grabhorn provided an update on museums programming, operations and grounds, as well as a progress report on the Strategic Plan.
  - Students visiting on field trips significantly increased this year, exceeding strategic plan expectations.
  - The Museums received a \$1,438 PCF Grant to help fund mannequin enhancements. The UW-P theatre department will also help with clothing the mannequins.
  - Several maintenance projects around the campus have recently been completed or are ongoing, including an AC repair.
  - The Visiting Curator Intern program has been initiated. The new Visiting Curator Intern will work with the Museum staff to develop a new East Display exhibit. A reception will be held when the exhibit is complete.
  - The Museums are beginning to create a comprehensive plan for revenue streams.

### **Friends of the Mining & Rollo Jamison Museums Report**

- Deb Jenny shared an update on the Friends Board. The Pick and Gad raffle (tickets \$20 each) are on sale now, the drawing will be at Mine Day in August.

### **New Business**

- Thanks to Brad Brogley for his service as member and President of the Museum Board!
- Brad Brogley called for nominations to serve as the next Mining and Rollo Jamison Museums Board President. Deb Jenny nominated Dick Davies for President; seconded by Larry Bowden. The motion passed.

**Adjournment** at 5:07 p.m. on motion by Dick Davies, second from Tom Nall. The next board meeting will be Wednesday, July 16, 2025, 4:45 pm.

Submitted by Garrett Jones, Board Secretary