

Uinta County Jr. Livestock Sale Committee Minutes  
March 1, 2021  
Fair Board Office

- I. Call to Order:
  - 7:02 p.m. by Denise Lester, President
- II. In Attendance:
  - Denise Lester, Angela Sweep, Debbie Fitch, Jason Palmer, Ami Barker, Brandon Day
- III. Elections:
  - Motion by Debbie, second by Angela to nominate Rhett Groll for President, Jason Palmer as Vice-President, and Angela as Treasurer; passed unanimously
- IV. Agenda:
  - To be filed as presented
- V. Minutes:
  - To be filed as presented
- VI. Financials:
  - To be filed as presented
- VII. Public Input/ Correspondence:
  - Harper Hewitt sent a postcard in appreciation of the scholarship she received.
  - Colter Camphouse sent a letter in appreciation of the scholarship he received.
  - Hunter Groll sent a letter in appreciation of the scholarship he received.
- VIII. Old Business:
  - Ren Bluemel and Denise Lester both resigned as committee members. Angela commented that she could get the word out to see if other individuals would be interested in joining the committee. Jason reached out to Randy and Cara Trees about joining.
- IX. New Business:
  - Ami made a request to have a set deadline/ time that purchase destinations will be FINAL in an effort to avoid more issues that take place every year. It was approved to print on the Purchase Order and on the back of the buyer number cards "All destinations are FINAL at 11:00 P.M. the night of the sale".
  - 2020 Livestock Sale summary statistics were reviewed and it was noted that sale averages were higher than they had been in recent years due to huge support from the buyers.
  - Brandon expressed support from Fair Board and a willingness to extend help or support in any way.
  - Angela wonders what might be ways to draw more attendance to the fair and sale both to make it worth their time and money. She again suggested donating a booth space to buyers over a certain dollar amount from the previous year, so they could get more business to validate their higher purchases.

- After reviewing financials for the past 5 years, Debbie suggested continuing to mail dinner gift cards/certificates to buyers (126) that actually purchased animals that year, rather than providing dinner for 350 individuals “hopefully buying animals”, and buyer gifts that are not usually a needed item. It was agreed, and will be discussed with the other LSC members at another meeting. Sale location will also be discussed further at an upcoming meeting with more members present.
- Meeting adjourned at 8:48 pm