

## **Harrington Opera House Society**

### **Minutes**

June 4, 2012

Linda called the meeting to order at 7PM.. Those in attendance were Bunny, Edwin, Gordon, Billie, Paul, Carol, Amy, Karen, Celeste, Cassandra, Linda, and Sheryl. The minutes of May's meeting were given and there was a correction on the spelling of Eileen's name. Ed made a motion we accept the minutes with the correction and Gordon 2<sup>nd</sup>. Ed gave the treasurer's report. The report was accepted as given. We discussed the insurance payment of \$2,349.22 which would give the Opera House the ability to serve beer and wine. The alcohol could not be sold, but we could ask for a donation. We also talked about whether the insurance would cover vandalism. Celeste made a motion to accept the original quote for insurance and Cassandra 2<sup>nd</sup>. A unanimous yes vote was given. Ed will find out if the insurance covers theft and vandalism.

#### **Building:**

Thanks to Linda Mielke and Beth Oestreich for the curtains in the bathrooms. They look great. Joyce Dinwiddie painted the back drop, and it will need a coat of flat black to finish. The problem with the flickering lighting has been fixed thanks to Avista. Carol has been in contact with Sue Lani Madsen and will meet with Sue and Melissa on June 27<sup>th</sup> in the afternoon to start on the engineering for the elevator.

#### **Grants:**

Celeste reported that the Wasner grant will be bumped up from \$5,000 to \$8,000 for the stage lighting. Gordon found the pictures he needed for the Building for the Arts Grant.

#### **Events:**

Amy will follow through on the Gonzaga camera club. Will need cleaning for the Larmer wedding. Travis has been in contact with the 5Times Over band – hopes to set something up after July 21<sup>st</sup>. Carol and Amy volunteered to head up the movie night July 19 with the Homemakers Club.

#### **Other:**

This year, 2012 is the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Opera House Society. We need ideas for celebrating this milestone!

Jim Kershner will be here to tour the Opera House June 6 at 10AM. Maybe we could ask him if he would do a lecture to benefit the Opera House.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30PM The next meeting is July 2, 7PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Sheryl Stedman, Secretary