

# Greene County Fair Board Meeting Minutes

## Monday October 27, 2025

**Attendance:** Carol Adamson, Tammy Brookover, Jared Edgreen, Scott Hackenburg, Courtney Hursey, Kevin Jacobs, Betsy McClure, Kelley Morris, Robin Costa

There was a community presence of 1 individual.

President Carol Adamson called meeting to order promptly at 6:30 pm.

- Welcome everyone to the meeting.

Commissioner Jared Edgreen lead the board in a Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

**REORGANIZATION of Officers:**

Courtney Hursey will be the new Fair Manager, per job requirements of being the County of Greene Parks and Recreations Director.

Commissioner Jared Edgreen motioned for Carol Adamson for President, Tammy Brookover 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and the motion carried.

Courtney Hursey motioned for Commissioner Jared Edgreen for Vice-President, Commissioner Betsy McClure 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and the motion carried.

Tammy Brookover motioned for Robin Costa for Secretary, Kevin Jacobs 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and the motion carried.

Commissioner Jared Edgreen motioned for Tammy Brookover for Treasurer, Commissioner Betsy McClure 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and the motion carried.

Courtney Hursey motioned for Kelley Morris to be the Assistant Fair Treasurer the week of the fair. Commissioner Jared Edgreen 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and the motion carried.

Minutes were distributed and reviewed by the board and posted to the Fair Board website.

- Asked for discussion/none needed.

Scott Hackenburg motion to accept the minutes, Kevin Jacobs 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and the motion carried.

Courtney Hursey presented the treasurer's report.

Tammy Brookover motion to accept the treasurer's report, Betsy McClure 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and motion carried.

**Old Business:**

**Sponsorship**

- Sponsorship letter for the 2026 fair will be sent in January 2026
- Jared Edgreen mentioned possible names on buildings, seek sponsors that work with Parks and Recreation, determine amounts for the different buildings based on size and location, decide how long the name will remain on the building. (Courtney Hursey will speak with another county for suggestions)

## **Fair Board Conference at Hershey**

- Carol Adamson, Jared Edgreen, Courtney Hursey and Tammy Brookover - will attend in January 2026.
  - They have the registration packs and will spread over multiple events to gather more information.

## **Bylaws**

- If a board member misses 3 consecutive meetings, they are no longer on the board.
- The committee will consist of 5 individuals - the 3 Commissioners (Jared Edgreen, Betsy McClure and Blair Zimmerman), Scott Hackenburg and Kevin Jacobs.
  - Commissioner Jared Edgreen is waiting on a follow up with the county solicitor on confirmation of any regulations to update and/or change the By Laws, to ensure proper protocol is followed.
- Scott Hackenburg mentioned creating an organizational chart to perhaps help the Fair Manager/Parks and Recs Director Courtney Hursey in utilizing the Fair Grounds.
  - It was mentioned also that putting the Fair Manager responsibilities on the Parks and Recs Director may be a lot, because they are 2 positions although they do cross in responsibility.
    - Just think about if there should just be more paid Board positions

## **New Business:**

### **Derby 2026**

- Frankie Guy will do for 2025 price \$13,025.00
  - He is really expanding his coverage area, which will likely bring in more spectators
- Jared Edgreen, may want to look into getting a Nationals Championship
- Betsy mentioned to be aware of who our local community will participate with and who they will attend

Scott Hackenburg motioned to go with Frankie Guy, Kelly Morris 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and motion carried.

### **Truck Pulls**

- Discussed the event; possible dates, previous rates and attendance

Scott Hackenburg started to motion, then withdrew motion because of questionable conflicting dates.

- Tabled until next meeting, so we can gather mor information

## **Committee Reports:**

### **Track (Jared)**

- No Update

### **Fair Queen (Melody)**

- No Update

### **Midway & Attractions (Courtney- newly assigned)**

- No Update

### **Advertising/Sponsorship (Kelley)**

- No Update

### **Home & Garden (Michelle- newly assigned)**

- No Update

### **Barn (Wes) – Livestock – (Robin)**

- No Update

### **Musical Acts (Courtney- newly assigned)**

- It was suggested to change this to “Entertainment” with Kevin Jacobs as point person

Jared Edgreen motioned to change the name of this Committee from Musical Acts to Entertainment, with Kevin Jacobs as the point person, Scott Hackenburg 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and motion carried.

### **Fair Book (Kelley- newly assigned)**

- The weigh in rules come from 4-H, she needs to who is the contact for the Junior Live Stock, in order to get these new rules.

### **Fair Board Even Schedule:**

- Get dates changed on building to August 8-15, 2026
- Discussion of upcoming Fair Board Meeting dates for November and December 2025, and changing the to the third Monday of the Month for 2026.

Kevin Jacobs motioned to have November 2025 meeting moved to the 17<sup>th</sup> and December 2025 Meeting cancelled due to holidays, and for the 2026 Fair Board meetings to be changed to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month, Scott Hackenburg 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and motion carried.

### **Public Comments:**

- Bethany Tanner questioned if the fair board can sponsor fundraisers at any event at fairgrounds. example a food truck to raise money.
  - Scott Hackenburg suggested for her to make a proposal.
  - It was mentioned to get events coordinated, to help utilize unused parts of the fairgrounds.

### **Call for an Executive Session:**

- None needed

### **Motion to Adjourn:**

Betsy McClure motion to adjourn the meeting, Courtney Hursey 2<sup>nd</sup>, all approved, and motion carried.

**Next Fair Board Meeting November 17, 2024 @ 6:30 pm.**

**Respectively Submitted**

**Robin K. Costa**

**Fair Board Secretary**