

Cedar Valley Nauvoo Mission Center Board  
Meeting – Sunday, August 8, 2021

Attendance – John Saur, Robert Cook, Dan Spray, Todd Batey, Dale Warner

The meeting began with an opening prayer by Robert Cook. Robert read a letter from a child published in a recent Herald. He talked about how our camping program are an outreach and a safe place for our youth to be.

Financial updates on camps- With the sale of the Maquoketa church CVG is self-sustaining and not much has changed for that campground.

Camp Nauvoo has managed to get through 2020 with assets they had collected from previous camping season of 2019.

2021 has been more challenging. The proceeds that have been received from camper and tiny house rentals will sustain the campgrounds until approximately October of 2021. Camp Nauvoo has been making interest only payments to the World church, but will not be able to do that after October without additional proceeds.

The Mission Center will be relisting the Quincy, Illinois church building after a month hiatus for a reduced price of \$169,900. One half of the proceeds will go to Camp Nauvoo.

There are ongoing negotiations for the sale of the retreat house and I Dig Nauvoo group for approximately \$150,000. Robert is negotiating with World Church as to how much Camp Nauvoo is able to receive. A motion was made by Dale and seconded by John. The vote was unanimous to move forward.

Robert discussed the history of the caretakers at Camp Nauvoo. With the sudden death of Tom Durgin we are left with a void as of now. Dawn is working very hard and we are learning to work together with her. However, we are in need of an additional maintenance person. Camp Nauvoo Operations Group has decided to attempt to pursue bringing a couple for at least the summer months to help on the campgrounds. This couple will also be volunteer workers. The Camp Board voted unanimously to allow the operations group to move forward. Dan made the motion and Todd seconded it. The vote was unanimous to allow the operations group to move ahead.

Robert Cook is going to draft a statement about volunteers receiving vaccinations and circulate this among the board members before further review.

Respectfully Submitted by Todd Batey

Sunday, August 8, 2021

