AGS Board Meeting – April 15, 2014

Board Members present (minimum 7 for quorum):

Anchorage

Matt Frankforter President Monte Mabry Vice-President Al Hunter Treasurer Eric Cannon Secretary Chad Hults Director Director Richard Lease Tom Morahan Director Kirk Sherwood Director

<u>Fairbanks</u>

Trystan Herriott Director

Committee Chairs, Delegates, and Members

None

Call to Order 11:26 am (Matt Frankforter)

1. Approval of March 2014 Minutes (Eric Cannon)

- Review of draft minutes.
- Motion for Approval of minutes, by Monte Mabry, 2nd by Al Hunter. VOTE unanimous and motion passes.

2. Treasurer's Report

- LCD projector purchased for \$650.
- Scholarship checks have been distributed, including PSAAPG checks.
- Monte Mabry will check with Nana catering regarding possible double-billing for December 2013 luncheon.

3. Luncheon Report (Monte Mabry)

- Speaker slots are filled up to May 2014.
- The speaker schedule includes:
 - April 11, 2014 Allison Thurmond, AAPG, Distinguished Lecturer, evening meeting at 6:00 pm. 23 people attended the presentation at the Snow Goose.
 - April 14, 2013 John Kaldi, University of Adelaide; Distinguished Lecturer, "Carbon Capture and Storage", (Joint meeting with Society of Petroleum Engineers Alaska Section), Location: First floor Conference rooms A,B,C at BP Exploration Alaska
 - o May 15, 2014 David LaPain, Alaska DGGS, "Cook Inlet", AGS Spring Tech Conference at UAA, featured luncheon speaker
- Fall speaker slots are open.

• Discussion of venue options for dinner presentations: LoneStar Steakhouse (holds about 20 people), Glacier Brewhouse (holds about 30 people), Bear Tooth (holds about 200 people), BP Energy Center (non-profit groups only).

4. Old Business

Elections

- o Keith Torrance to coordinate nominations.
- VP has typically organized the Tech conference (alternates between Anchorage and Fairbanks). However, having a conference organizer (Chad Hults in 2014) has been very valuable.

Spring Technical Conference Coordination (May 15: conference, May 16: field trip)

- o Registrations to date: 25 for the conference, 28 for the field trip (full).
- o \$250 prize for student posters. Volunteers for judging posters: Al Hunter, Kirk Sherwood, Monte Mabry, Heather Heusser.

Announcements on Website/Meeting for Upcoming Events

o No update.

Update on Historic Files and Storage

No update.

Membership Consolidation

- o Kirk Sherwood has the membership list from Ken Helmold.
- o Kirk Sherwood, Al Hunter, and Ken Helmold to meet to discuss membership database.
- Chad Hults suggests using Microsoft SkyDrive to store the membership list for ease of updating.

Pick, Click, Give

o Al Hunter has submitted the AGS Pick, Click, Give application.

5. New Business

Recognition Awards

 Monte Mabry will inquire with Bovey Trophies to use AGS credit for recognition awards.

Scholarship Award Announcement

o Scholarship winners to be announced in newsletter and at tech conference.

Science Fair

o Matt Frankforter with talk with Jana Lage about the option of inviting the science fair winners to attend the May 28 picnic.

o Monte Mabry will check with GSA on the cost of meals at the upcoming May 28th picnic, for the option of inviting the science fair winners.

6. Adjournment

• Monte Mabry motioned, 2nd by Kirk Sherwood, motion carries, meeting adjourned at 1:05 pm.

Next meeting May 13, 2014 at: 13th floor JL Towers, 3800 Centerpoint Dr., Matanuska Glacier conference room, at 11:30 am.