

# GSP Committee Meeting Minutes

November 10, 2022 via GoToMeeting

Called to order: 7:04PM

Committee members in attendance:

Scott Pavey	Werner Jud	Fred Ball	Dan Zubal
Neena Jud	Jerry Brandenburg	<del>Josh Heinbuch</del>	Chris Redmon

Other attendees

Jimmie Hampton	Debi Pavey	Kevin Lorms	Sean Cain
Stephanie Suen	Jared Embree	Pete Stow	Patrick Gibson

## Announcements:

None

## Secretary Report:

Motion to accept amended October minutes: NJ

Seconded: CR

## Treasurer Report:

Expenses exceeded income in the month of October due to Caretaker's Residence expenses. Contact WJ for full report.

Motion to accept treasurer's report: DZ

Seconded: CR

## Caretaker Report:

WJ is working on residence. It's getting close to flooring!

NJ reported that it's getting close to time to shut the water down in the shower house.

NJ reminds folks that if you are in the shower house, check the top of the water heater to see if something is trying to stay warm.

## Old Business

**Merchandise:** Green Logo Hoody Sweatshirts, Black long sleeve Atlas Pillar T-shirts and Map T-shirts are in stock at GSP and available for purchase, but we have sold out of X-Large Hoodies and are will order more. See NJ at the Preserve. If you want to order on-line and pay for shipping, be prepared for \$10 shipping cost for each sweatshirt. We will need to fully restock before Open House.

**School Field Trips:** Done for the year. Will resume again in April.

**Daughters of 1812:** No update.

**Halloween:** No report, other than it was a success. We made \$2,481.

**Open House:** Nothing new to report

**WiFi & Phone:** The Internet is working, albeit slow at times. Nothing to report about wiring to the Shelter.

**Masons:** Jimmie Hampton reported that the event went well. 96 people signed in. They would like to do this again next year, but on a different date due to the large Lodge meeting that immediately followed this. They requested September 23, 2023. When Fred joined the meeting, he agreed to sponsor them again. There might be as many as 150-200 people.

Jimmie would like to get involved since he lives 15-20 minutes from the Cave. WJ recommended visiting our website to read our documents. They are an enormous benefit to those wanting to get involved and see how we operate. NJ also suggested the Friends of GSP.

**DUG:** No updates.

**Caretaker transition:** Amethyst has rescinded her offer. Jean and Wally have been notified. Contract Negotiations with Josh will start shortly. WJ suggests telling folks who inquire that we have a decision.

**Ticket House:** No update – hopefully can get to the ceiling before Open House.

**Cameras:** Meg put DZ in touch with her guy, but he has not responded.

**Gravel:** No further action. This expense to be deferred.

**Stormwater Management:** Juds will get a measurement for culvert addition when they can.  
(NJ measured 65')

**Freedom Bus:** No update.

**Posts for Trail Markers:** No update.

**Cave Maintenance:** No update.

**Dumpster:** The large dumpster at the Caretaker's Residence is almost full. But we're going to hold off on getting rid of it until the flooring is done.

### **New Business:**

**Convention:** There is a group in Corydon, Indiana that would like to host an NSS Convention in 2025. They would like 15 minutes of our time for presentation to ask for additional volunteers to help with their effort.

**OCR:** SS presented the dates of April 15-16, 2023 to the NCRC for approval. We have it reserved on the calendar at this point. This training will be announce-able when they have made a decision.

### **Next Meeting:**

December 8, 2022 @ 7 pm

<https://meet.goto.com/796713309>

Motion to adjourn at 8:05 PM: FB

2nd: WJ

Minutes recorded by DZ

**Calendar:**

April 15-16, 2023 – OCR Training Weekend

May 20-21, 2023 – Open House

June 26-30, 2023 – NSS Convention Elkins, WV.

July 14-16, 2023 – KOR

August 4-6, 2023 – Cave Capers

September 9-10, 2023 – Caver Appreciation Weekend

September 23, 2023 – Masons Cave Degree