



CGRA Board of Directors Agenda and Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: Jun 12, 2026

18:42 Time - Roger Courtemanche brings the meeting to order.

Agenda Item	Time	Notes
President's Report - Roger Courte...	19:09 - 19:10	• Reminder to check your roles in the By-Laws and make sure to ask any questions
Vice Presidents Report - Mark Arnold	19:10 - 19:14	• Reminder to the royalty team that they need to be in attendance for the rodeo • MOTION that the Board of Directors accept as a Policy to be adopted the attached document (See Attachment A). - Seconded by Monique Zimbelman - Motion Passed
Secretary - Devon Garcia	19:15 - 19:19	• BOD Meeting Minutes have been posted to the website, any comments or concerns? I therefore MOVE that the BOD Meeting Minutes from last month be approved - Seconded by Robert Thurtell MOTION Passes • Email Voting between board meetings included: ◦ I MOVE that CGRA pay for the ribbons for RMRR#43, at a total not to exceed \$1230. Seconded by Monique Zimbelman - Motion Passed ◦ Ribbons were ordered and the estimated bill of cost including shipping was \$856.34, which was under the original requested funds
Treasurer - David	19:19 - 19:20	• The Financials for last 2 months have been posted to the Website, please feel free to ask any questions

Hill		Utah Registration closes tonight
Trustee - Robert Thurtell	19:20 - 19:29	- Request for Stock Contract - Request a copy of all printed advertisement material - Robert has returned the sound equipment from the trailer to AJ Malcolm MOTION - to purchase a new Sound system for the Harbenger, VARI V3415 - 400W - Seconded by Monique Zimbelman - Motion Passes - Package is \$994.99 Bundle includes - 2 speakers, 2 stands w/bags, 1 microphone not to exceed \$1550. From Guitar Center - She will ask the court to borrow their raisers - PRIDE Parade - Last position Red - meet at 12th and Race, step off at 9:30pm - HORSES meet up at 20th and Lincoln between 7 AM - 7:30 AM MOTION to spend no more than \$100 to create large banners for the side of the Wagon. - Seconded By Monique - MOTION PASSES - Working on another fundraising campaign and we will have a spot at Charlies
Rodeo Director - Tommy Channel	18:43 - 19:08	MOTION to accept Butler Rents at a price of \$5879. - Seconded by Robert Thurtell , MOTION PASSES MOTION Sunbelt rental for \$237. Seconded by Monique MOTION at the expense of the beer truck not to exceed \$1000 - Seconded by Sebastian- MOTION PASSES - This would be the ready to drink bar. - The liquor cost would be billed to CGRA from Charlies after purchase and usage. MOTION for Masek Golf Carts \$1102. - Seconded by Sebastian - MOTION PASSES MOTION 6 porta - potties at the cost of \$1420 - Seconded by David - MOTION PASSES MOTION for 80 bags of shavings @ \$9.00/bag - Seconded by Robert - MOTION PASSES MOTION to sell the bags at the cost \$10 - Seconded by Monique - MOTION PASSES - Next Rodeo Committee Meeting on 6/22/2026 @ 18:30 via Zoom
Public Relations Chair - Sebastian Matthews	19:57 - 20:05	- Posters/Business Cards are being printed. - Junior Rodeo - Boots and Boxers have been made into events on Facebook, so those can be shared openly. MOTION to host the the Peruvian Riders - would like to come on Saturday to perform - Seconded

		Request - Booth at the rodeo that will do a 3D camera that is the size of 13x13
Fundraising Chair - Ashley Unruh	19:31 - 19:46	- Updates to more fundraising - Devon MOTION to approve the underwear auction that has been organized with the following details. - Seconded by Sebastian Matthews - MOTION Passess - Emcee Michael Vrooman and Charis Loren - David Hill will be handling funds - Time of 7-9pm - Currently with 5-6 guys lining up. - Denver Eagle - Ashley MOTION to have a fund of \$50 to purchase back up underwear. - Seconded by Sebastian Matthews - MOTION PASSES - Ashley MOTION collection of additional items/giftcards - Seconded by Tommy Channel
Rodeo Events Chair - Jackie Kemp	19:47 - 19:52	- Junior Rodeo planning is well underway - Discussion about water MOTION that the JeffCo 4H Club to do Rodeo stall Clean-up - at the cost of \$10/stall. -Seconded by Devon Garcia - MOTION PASSES
Membership Chair - Monique Zimbelman	19:52 - 19:57	- Membership lists have been validated against Wix and Financials, the Membership committee "Moves that the BOD approves and accepts the 7 new as presented according to Attachment #2." (Seconded by - Devon Garcia Passes unanimously - After said voting the following are our Current Membership # - Roster Total: 136 - Total of current renewable members: 95 - Total of current Lifetime members: 35 - Monique Zimbelman has donated the flowers for the riderless horse - Lamar Cooper is on Saturday. Sunday is Venus Sextan MOTION Desiree Gronwald to become a Lifetime Member - Seconded by Monique Zimbelman MOTION Passes to go to General Membership - No Membership Quorum was met and this will be deferred to the next General Membership

		Meeting.
Special Committee Reports		See Below
CGRA - By-Laws Committee - Devon Garcia		•
IGRA Committee - Robert Thurtell		•
Audit Committee - No Chair Person		•
Royalty Committee - No Chair Person		•
Old Business		•
New Business		• Charity Partners presence?
Recess of BOD	20:08	 Person Called Meeting to end, General Membership to start @
Readjourned	20:51	 Roger Courtemanche Called meeting back to order
Topics discussed		•

End of Meeting		Person
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Attendance Records	
Quorum Requirements for BOD is 6 of 10	Quorum Attendance is Met
Roger Courtemanche In Person	Tommy Channel Virtual
Mark Arnold Virtual	Jackie Kemp In Person
Devon Garcia In Person	Ashley Unruh In Person
David Hill In Person	Sebastian Matthews In Person
Robert Thurtell In Person	Monique Zimbelman Virtual
In Person	Virtual
1. John Beck 2. Edd Schommer	1. Doug Edwards

Attachments/Appendix:

Attachment A:

Motion to Adopt Policy and Refer Bylaw Amendment

I move that the Colorado Gay Rodeo Association hereby adopt, effective immediately, a policy prohibiting any Board member, committee member, royalty title holder, or general member from organizing, conducting, or promoting individual fundraising activities for the purpose of raising personal funds for travel, lodging, or other expenses during their tenure.

Further, I move that this policy be referred to the Bylaws Committee for consideration and drafting of appropriate amendments to the Association's Bylaws, with such proposed amendments to be presented to the membership in accordance with the procedures prescribed by the Bylaws.

Policy: Individual Fundraising Restrictions

Section 1. Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to ensure transparency, fairness, and equitable support of all members and title holders and to avoid actual or perceived conflicts of interest.

Section 2. Restrictions

No Board member, committee member, royalty title holder, or member of the Colorado Gay Rodeo Association shall organize, conduct, or promote any public fundraising activities for the personal benefit of covering travel, lodging, or other expenses incurred during their tenure or service to the Association.

Any fundraising efforts intended to support official Association activities for members travel shall be conducted through, or with the approval of, the Board of Directors or its designated committee.

Section 3. Enforcement

Violations of this policy may result in disciplinary action as provided under the Bylaws and applicable policies of the Association.

Suggested Bylaw Amendment Motion

When the Bylaws Committee is ready, a separate motion could read:

I move that the membership adopt the proposed amendment to Article ____ of the Colorado Gay Rodeo Association Bylaws, establishing restrictions on individual fundraising by Board members, committee members, royalty title holders, and members, as recommended by the Bylaws Committee and presented in accordance with the notice requirements of the Association.

Attachment B

First Name	Stage Name	STATE	Expires	Status
Evan	PHOENIX	AZ	05/31/2027	NEW - PROVISIONAL
JULIET	ARVADA	CO	05/31/2027	NEW - PROVISIONAL
HARRISON	CO SPRINGS	CO	06/30/2027	NEW - PROVISIONAL
ROLAND G.	ERIE	CO	05/31/2027	NEW - PROVISIONAL
JERRY	ERIE	CO	5/31/2027	NEW - PROVISIONAL
TEAGAN	ARVADA	CO	05/31/2027	NEW PROVISIONAL JR
KAITLAN	LITTLETON	CO	05/31/2027	NEW PROVISIONAL JR
Current Membership # after approvals				
Roster Total	136			
Active	95			
Provisional	7			
Lifetime	35			
Total Active (+Lifetime)	129			
Expired	35			



CGRA General Membership Agenda and Meeting Minutes Meeting Date: June 12, 2026

20:14 Time - Roger Courtemanche brings the meeting to order. - No Quorum was met, see above for details on the meetings.

	Time	Notes
President's Report - Roger Courtemanche		
Vice Presidents Report - Mark Arnold		•
Secretary - Devon Garcia		• GM Meeting Minutes have been posted to the website, any comments or concerns- will need to be motioned at the next meeting
Treasurer - David Hill		• Financials were posted, please direct queries to David Hill.
Trustee - Robert Thurtell		•
Rodeo Director - Tommy Channel		•
Public Relations Chair - Sebastian Matthews		•
Fundraising Chair -		•

Ashley Unruh		
Rodeo Events Chair - Jackie Kemp		•
Membership Chair - Monique Zimbelman		• Welcome to our newest members: • After the above the following are our Current Membership #'s are ○ Roster Total: ■ Total of current renewable members: ■ Total of current Lifetime members:
Special Committee Reports		Summarize - BOD presentations • CGRA Bylaws Committee - Devon Garcia ○ • IGRA Committee - Robert Thurtell ○ • Audit Committee - No Chairperson ○ • Royalty Committee - No Chairperson • Wayne Jakino Scholarship Committee ○ We did have one applicant - Nicholas Bennalo - We have Motioned to honor the recipient with a scholarship in the amount of \$2000. ○
IGRA Committee - Robert Thurtell		•
Audit Committee - No Chair Person		•
Royalty Committee - No Chair Person		•

Old Business		•
New Business		•
Recess of BOD		👤 Person Next set of meetings scheduled for

Attendance Records	
Quorum Requirements for General Membership 20 persons or 20% (whichever is smaller)	Quorum Attendance is Not Met ▾
Roger Courtemanche In Person ▾	Tommy Channel Not in Attendance ▾
Mark Arnold Not in Attendance ▾	Jackie Kemp In Person ▾
Devon Garcia In Person ▾	Ashley Unruh In Person ▾
David Hill In Person ▾	Sebastian Matthews In Person ▾
Robert Thurtell In Person ▾	Monique Zimbelman Virtual ▾
In Person	Virtual
1. John Beck 2. Michelle Hood 3. Edd Schommer	1. Doug Edwards 2. Patrick Terry 3. Desi Hollingsworth