**Meeting Minutes of the**
**Outreach Committee of the**
**Board of Directors of the**
**Arizona Historical Society**

September 13, 2023

*Mission: Connecting people through the power of Arizona’s history.*

**Minutes**

1. **Call to Order** – By Committee Chair, Sherry Rampy

2. **Roll Call** – Sherry Rampy
   a. Present- Tom Foster- joined by phone, Kerri Rumsower- joined by phone, Sherry Rampy, Amy Hartman Gordon, Janice Bryson
   b. Absent- Robert Ballard, Lorna Brooks
   c. Staff- Jason Mihalic, Shelley Coriell, David Breeckner, Kaydi Forgia

3. **Minutes** – Discussion and action, if any, to approve the draft minutes of the August 9, 2023, Outreach Committee meeting.
   a. Motion to approve the August 9, 2023, meeting minutes as written by Kerrie Rumsower and Janice B. Motion passed unanimously.

4. **Call to the Public** – Consideration and discussion of comments from the public.
   a. No members of the public present

5. **Arizona Military Museum: Update** – David Breeckner, Jason Mihalic
   a. Brief discussion of current standing of AZMM.

6. **CHI Grants: Amendment**- Jason Mihalic
   a. The committee was given the following informational brief by Jason Mihalic; FY24 CHI Small Grants GF allocation is $32,900, a 14% decrease from the previous 2 years ($38,400).
   b. Action Item: Approval to fund, in part and/or whole, 23 CHI applications.
      i. The Outreach Subcommittee (OS) voted to fund, in part and whole, 23 applications but was approximately $2,000 short. Rather than eliminate a potential grantee, the OS opted to reduce all grantees by 6%, an additional 3 by an $100, and the grantee on the cusp of elimination by 40%. Proposed grantee payout = $32,893.
7. **Al Merito Awards**– Shelley Coriell  
   a. Final review of award ceremony
8. **Announcements** and other matters for consideration in future Board or Committee meetings.
9. **Adjournment** – By Sherry Rampy at 11:04 am

Dated this 13th day of September 2023

Arizona Historical Society

Sherry Rampy, Outreach Committee Chair

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**Outreach Committee Schedule: 10am and Virtual unless announced otherwise**

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[**October 11, 2023**]  
[**November 8, 2023**]  
[**December 13, 2023**]