**Keep Glendo Great Steering Committee Meeting**

Thursday, 4/17/25 at Glendo Town Hall at 7:00pm

Attendance: Greg Burke, Jay Collins, Jessie Reece, Kurt Bohrer, Larry Collins and Benny Hill

**Approval of January 16th Minutes that were emailed to every member:** Any changes? None

* Motion to approve by: Kurt Bohrer
* Second: Benny Hill
* Voice Vote result: Motion carried

**Treasurer Report:**

* Motion to approve by: Kurt Bohrer
* Second: Benny Hill
* Voice Vote result: Motion carried

**Old Business:**

1. Actions taken since the January meeting:
   * Added more potential funding sources but need more projects
   * Learned a lot about grant writing and use of Ai through several programs
   * Wrote 50k grant to support community center with Lowe’s - both rejected because project not started. Wyoming intertie
   * Added Wave accounting program (free)
   * Wrote grants to support preschool teacher, senior center chef,and senior center driver. Preschool teacher is funded.
   * Registered with Sam.gov so we can go after Federal grants.
   * Asked town to fund $200 for [grantportal.com](https://linklock.titanhq.com/analyse?url=http%3A%2F%2Fgrantportal.com&data=eJxNjEEOgjAQAF_THpu1NBAPe0CjicZPrAWLQtlmWQ76eoknk7lNZiLW4UFQ70PogCrbYZlItd85lmQztvOnuZTTAM31aBdMr_sqY-_BgwmQMj0nFzlbwRvFtzsI87hs5n-y4qBaTNUaf95IQrMWFqVf-gVgxCpD) (nationwide access to 13,000 grant opportunities). Approved
   * Renewed our non-profit corporation with the State of Wyoming ($25). Paid by Greg Burke.
   * Joined membership in Platte County Chamber of Commerce ($100). Paid by Greg Burke.
   * Renewed PO Box ($100). Paid by Greg Burke.
2. **Status of funded projects (Pocket park, planters,school courts)**

a. Pocket Park - On hold because of community center project.

b. Planters - Received, placement soon,planting will occur mid May

c. School Courts - in progress to be completed by end of school year

1. **Status of Glendo Strategic Plan**- No progress. There will be public meetings with engineering firm TBD.
2. **Update on suggestions from Last meeting for future funding:**
   * New bleachers/restrooms for the rodeo arena. No update. Online auction might be best option. Larry Collins will talk to Paul Bauder about State Park replacement of bathrooms and availability. Jessie Reece talked about State Fair having a self contained bathroom that might be available.
   * Sound system improvements for arena and AC for crow’s nest - no update.

**New Business:**

1. **Status of Beatification and events/ Tourism Committees -**planters installed is next. No new activities given.
2. **National Historic Register -**many buildings in Glendo would qualify.
3. **Any new projects that need to be funded?**Jay Collins brought up a need for Glendo Rural Fire and 2F fire District for a fire tender truck. Greg mentioned that grants are available. Fire district will work with Greg on applications.
4. **Anything else you can think we should be doing?**Kurt mentioned any grants for our Library and Museum.

**Questions/Comments?**None

**Next Meeting: July 17th, 2025 at 7:00pm**

**Motion to Adjourn**

* Motion to adjourn: Larry Collins
* Second: Benny Hill
* Voice Vote Result: Motion carried

**Meeting Adjourned at:**7:37pm