



Harrington Opera House Society

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**Minutes**  
**January 7, 2008**

Gordon called the meeting to order. Present were Bunny, Billie, Gordon, Linda, and Sheryl. The notes from last meeting were read and the treasurer's report was given. Bunny made a motion to accept reports as given, Linda seconded and a 4-0 yes vote was taken.

Thankyou Gordon for spending time pulling wires to hook up temporary heat for the bank corner. The contractors working on the stairs need heat to finish woodwork. Gropp Electric gave a bid of \$3850. Gordon wants to get a few more bids before deciding who will get the job.

Work has stopped after Christmas on the bathrooms. 2 more walls and ceiling joists need to go up before wallboard can be put up.

Gordon reported that some damage was done to the roof during the last wind storm and there is leaking. We need to find someone to repair this, Tom Vanderende of Diamond Construction was suggested.

Thanks to Billie's grant writing the Society received \$12,500 from the Lincoln Co Economic Development Fund!!! We discussed joining the Economic Dev. Council. Linda moved we join the EDC at \$100 for the year, Sheryl seconded and a 4-0 yes vote was taken. Building for the Arts grant is due in May. Mertz, Gordon and Pam need to meet to address LEED requirements.

Discussion was held on bringing in more people to our meetings. Linda will send out a few postcards inviting others to our next meeting in Feb. The importance of letting folks know we are still here and good things are happening is important. A newsletter was suggested.

We still have the elevator carriage in Gordon's shop. If any one could use it they could probably have it cheap or free, contact Gordon.

The next meeting will be Feb 4 at 7:00PM.

Sincerely,  
Sheryl Stedman, Secretary