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# Friends of Platteville Municipal Auditorium Meeting Minutes

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**Attendees:**

Kerry McCabe, Celeste Moore, JoAnne Schlicher, Cheryl Schmieder, Patrice Steiner

**Date:** 6/10/2015**Time:** 6:30 (Wednesday)**Place:** City Park**Last Meeting Date:** 5/10/2015**Next Meeting Date:** 7/8/2015

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**Meeting Minutes from April 8, 2015 approved****Financial report:**

No change since last month.

**501(c)(3) update:**

Building Platteville closed out our account and sent us our funds. The organization is no longer our 501(c)(3) umbrella. There was debate over whether we should continue to pursue non-profit status ourselves, or go under the Main Street program. Kerry McCabe said she is asking Bev Johansen for recommendations.

**UW-Whitewater intern:**

The report was completed, but undergoing revisions for its final draft.

**Lighting upgrade status:**

The project is complete. Celeste Moore would like details of the changes so she can update the website.

**What's Next?****Window expansion for the Sound/Light Booth:**

No updates. Dick Davies was not in attendance.

**Seat numbering:**

No updates.

**Ticket booth remodel:**

JoAnne Schlicher suggested we make this our summer renovation. Others agreed.

The box office needs plastering and requires a plate to cover the electrical junction near the door. We're not sure if Dick Davies could do these tasks for us or not. The office also needs painting. We will use the cream paint from the auditorium, if it is okay with the city. Patrice Steiner said she will talk to Howard Crofoot regarding the use of the color in the auditorium in the ticket booth.

**Start planning for Dairy Days photo shoot:**

We decided to go with a green screen/bar scene/Victorian backdrops for photographs. Perhaps Tina Davies can furnish us with scenic backgrounds from her photo collection. We will need to run in shifts from 11-6. Perhaps we can find an organization will to help us (Pioneer Players?)

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**Storage – basement?**

Need to get costumes cleaned out.

**'The Unexpected Gift' – December 2015:**

Mike Willis' play 'The Unexpected Gift' looks like a likely prospect. Need to verify dates.

**'Bingo the Musical' – Spring 2016:**

This show will be playing in Maquoketa in mid-July. Perhaps we could go down to see it. We need to confirm stipend rates for musicians before doing this.

**Adjourn at 7:15**