

National Farm and Ranch Business Management Education Association
Post-Conference Board Meeting
Thursday, June 14, 2007 12:30 pm CDT

The meeting was called to order by President, John Hobert at 12:28 AM

Members present were:	President	John Hobert
	President Elect	Paul Gorman
	Past President	Jay Olson
	Treasurer	Doug Wertish
	Historian	Laurie Morris
	Membership Secretary	Wayne Pike
	Webmaster	Deb Pike
	2007 Conference Chair	Gary Thome
	2007 Conference Chair	Jim Kelm
	National Council	Rich Baumann
	Secretary	Rick Morgan
	2008 Conf. Chair	Pat Harrington

The agenda was presented by John Hobert.

Paul Gorman introduced himself as our new board member.

Deb Pike talked about our website.

Wayne Pike discussed his work with the membership. Hobert discussed the 10X16 goal.

Fall Board meeting suggestion is the Twin Cities and the date to be determined later, most likely after our group visits Fresno.

Fresno will be checked out by Laurie Morris, Pat Harrington and John Hobert. Motion was made by Doug Wertish, second by Gary Thome for these three to represent our Board in going to Fresno. Motion passed. These three will set a date to visit our 2008 site. Lyle Stewart of AgrowKnowledge is also on the planning committee along with three members of NAFBAS.

Thome discussed the 2007 Conference Wrap-up. He stated our website was very beneficial in securing our sponsors. The agenda was great and also helped in getting sponsorship. Kelm added his comments. He wants us to keep the "National Farm Management Conference" theme going forward. Wayne Pike added his comments about the website registration and conference tours.

Pike gave signed Honker baseballs to Kelm and Thome for being the 2007 Conference Chairs.

Hobert commented on getting sponsors for the 2008 Conference, sometimes referred to as "Destination Fresno".

Harrington discussed the 2008 Conference. He stated the bigger our group, the easier it is to get bigger and better sponsors. Morris also added her comments.

The meeting adjourned at 1:12 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Rick Morgan
NFRBMEA Secretary