

Northern Rocky Mountain Retiree Association
2026-07-07 Minutes
Fort Missoula Museum Park

Tim Love called the meeting to order at 11:30 am, at the Fort Missoula Museum Park, on July 07, 2026. Those present were Larry Cron, Michael and Sue Cummings, Willis Curdy, Pat Garbutt, Barry Hicks, Rich Lasko, Tim Love, Vicky Maclean, Ed Monnig, Mike Oliver, Jack Walton, and Jim Wickel.

Michael Cummings gave the Treasurer's Report. The bank balance is \$7,904.68. Year to date revenues are \$2,500.00, expenses are \$2,123.30, and a net of \$376.30.

Vicky Maclean is requesting news articles and photos be submitted by September 30th for the fall newsletter.

Tim mentioned that Jack Pluckett has moved and if you plan to visit you will need their new address.

National Museum of Forest Service History will be having their grand opening of the Legacy Center on July 17th.

Willis Curdy mentioned that the Environmental Quality Council was having a public meeting on waters in the state. The public meeting can be accessed virtually. Willis has asked the Montana Legislative Audit Committee to audit the cost of the Windy Rock Fire. Windy Rock Fire was in a Department of Natural Resource protection area. The Windy Rock Fire cost was about \$55,000,000 to fight a 6,175 acre fire. Willis encouraged association members to write to the Montana Legislative Audit Committee and request an audit be done on the Windy Rock Fire.

Members shared some stories from the past.

NRMRA will meet at 11:30 am on August 4, 2026, at the National Museum of Forest Service History Legacy Center in Missoula, Montana.

Respectively submitted

Jack Walton
Secretary