

**Colorado Driving Society
General Meeting, February 12, 2015
Franktown Firehouse**

Board members attending: Fred Wehrli, President; Cathy Allen-Shinn, Vice-President; Marie Harrity, Treasurer; Pat Lamprey, Secretary; Heike Bartlett; Susan Tyler

Speaker: Bill Scebbi, Executive Director of the Colorado Horse Council

Fred called the meeting to order and introduced Bill Scebbi, who spoke till 8:30.

Al spoke briefly about the upcoming derby driving event.

Fred reviewed upcoming events and confirmed that Susan has agreed to be Volunteer Coordinator.

Erik asked those attending to put the word out that he is looking for (paid) part-time help for about 20 hours per week.

Cathy moved to approve the minutes of the Jan. 8 meeting as written; Marie seconded the motion. Motion approved.

Fred stated that we still need a budget and that Marie is working on collecting figures to help create one.

General information:

- Douglas-Elbert County Horse Council and the Douglas-Elbert County Animal Response Team are hosting a no-cost Emergency Preparedness Clinic on Saturday, April 11.
- Lee reported that if you call 911 about a missing horse in Douglas County, you won't be given the location of the animal if someone has reported that they found it. Bill said that instead of 911, it's best to call the State Brand Board instead of the county Sheriff. By law, all counties are supposed to report recovered animals to the Brand Board, and they'll give you the location of the animal.

Lee volunteered to bring refreshments for the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15.

Submitted by – Pat Lamprey.