Livestock Association Minutes
March 8, 2016

7:03 meeting called to order/ Pledges recited

Members present: Bob Shears, Julie Jines, Jeremy Cuddie, Jacob Risch, Amy Grice, Fred Shaver, Kaitlynn Maxwell, Joannie Willford, Melissa Maxwell, Tom Blonde, Hannah Blonde, Lisa Schwager, Tracy Curtis, Roger Willford

No correspondence

Secretary report: Julie Jines motioned to accept secretary report. 2nd by Hannah, motion passed

Treasurer report: auction account: $5,570.60.
association account: $1959.92

One check outstanding to post office. Have not heard from Bob’s Barbecue.

Fred motioned to accept the treasurer report. 2nd by Tracy, motion passed

Melissa would like to transfer $5,000 from auction account to association account.

Motion made by Julie Jines to make this transfer. 2nd by Joannie, passed

MSU Report: 4-H Exploration Days, June 22-24. We were given scholarships to give out, register early to get classes.

Farm show March 19th, we need some volunteers to help with scavenger hunt, contact Bev at the office.

4-H Online, several incomplete members, have them log in and resubmit authorization.

Spring Break day camp "4-H Palooza" March 30th and March 31st at Gladwin City Park for youth ages 7-12.

(they do not have to be in 4-H) $15 for 4-H members, $25 for non 4-H members
PQA training April 5th at Gladwin extension office, 6:00, check with Jessica if you need to know if you need this training.

Leader orientation/training is rescheduled for April 18th, 6:00 @ the extension office RSVP By March 31st
Leaders/clubs please check mailboxes at MSU office. Important information in there, some are very full!

4-H Piston game March 19th. Call the office for tickets

Old business:

Banquet committee: Banquet is March 15th. Programs are almost done. We are getting the meat for about half the cost as last year.

Post card were sent out for rsvp. Some have been sent back, need more. We need a check for GFS. We should be under budget this year.

Photography committee: no report
Letter read from Members First Credit Union about what they have to offer the livestock association.

Julie motioned to move the Livestock accounts to Members First Credit Union. 2nd by Tracy, passed

New business:

Fair news: They changed their meeting to March 22nd. They have approval to order ribbons. Fred is getting this order together. Some of the horse shows are going to be designated to pay for ribbons. They need a still exhibit superintendent.

There are 57 signed up for the merchant building. All the 4-H signs will be coming down from the fairgrounds due to the MSU request. The web site is ready, gladwinfair.net or gladwinfair.com either will work. Rodeo is coming in May. We need help with clean up around the grounds. They built a 10×10 portable concession stand for use around the fairgrounds. The camping price has went up due to the charges they have to keep up the campgrounds ($125 full hook up). Your site will be saved for you until June 1st unless you call to decline the site. They have a grant for new trees. The goat superintendent this year will be Moe Jewel.

Weigh-in for sheep, swine, prospect beef is May 14th
Next meeting May 10, 2016

Julie motion to adjourn at 7:30. 2nd by Tom, passed.