

February 2025 Meeting Minutes

Introductions- Danny Senn, Chairman; Sylvia Holguin, Vice Chair; Glen Salas, Treasurer; Beverly Salas, Secretary; Kelly Hogeland, Karen Foss, Ben Bean, Mark Mylo, Peter Rice

1. January meeting minutes Approved

2. Treasurer's reportApproved\$460 for website = \$11,721 currently in our account.Huge thanks to Nancy and Eric for Website creation

3. Plans for Annual Meeting For Discussion Mayor confirmed + Markela + Joaquin Baca + Peter Rice Danny will notify ONC Glen will ask Cafe Lush for finger food for 60 Danny will purchase water from Cosco Board should plan to be at FUSION! at 4:30 Recruitment will make a presentation Door prizes available all attendees = two \$50 gift prizes by drawing

4. **Club Runner review** For Discussion Danny showed attendees aspects of our website

5. **New bulletin board at Mary Fox Park** For Discussion Keys to go to......all board members. If you want to post contact: info@abq.dna.og Ben will add a note telling people **who** to contact if they want post inside the Bulletin board Sylvia will reach out to Parks and Rec

6. **Projects Committee** For Discussion "Living in ABQ part of my DNA" We will have stickers made + add to our website

7. Lew Wallace Presentation For Noting Our Lew Wallace representative could not attend.

8. Alley Activation For Discussion
Clean up our alleys. The City gives out grants
Mulch, etc. Earth Day Keep Albuquerque Beautiful
Danny to form a committee at the annual meeting he will ask for volunteers to participate on the committee

Find out from CITY when is the Spring clean-up Choose a few alleys to be the yearly focus

9. New member recruitment For Discussion

Recruitment Team: Kristin Shiplet, Eric Carson, Karen Foss, Glen Salas, Margaret Connealy Notes:

- Important to continue asking:
 - Who is our audience?
 - What do we stand for?
 - Why should non-property owners join the DNA? What's in it for them?
- Discussed old ideas as good new ones!
 - DNA to sponsor bike racks outside of apartment buildings, business, and other locations with a plaque stating "sponsored by the DNA"
 - Share the bike-valet with Raynolds Neighborhood Association switch off every other week.
- Identify raffle prizes for recruitment event in May (who would like to help reach out to local businesses requesting a gift card?)
 - Lowe's Market
 - Ex Novo
 - Castle Coffee
 - o Lush
- Create bumper stickers "Living in ABQ is part of my DNA"
- Goals before March annual meeting:
 - Have fliers printed and posted around the neighborhood.
 - Print a large map of the DNA boundaries.
 - Welcome Ben as a new board member on 2/10.