

League of Northern Colorado Quilters
General Meeting Minutes
Best Western Hotel, Loveland, Colorado
Monday, March 2, 2026 – 6:00 PM

1. Joan Fulton (“Joan”), President, opened the general meeting with a welcome and introduction to Alycia Carmin (“Alycia”), representing Quilts of Valor (“QOV”), the program presenter for the meeting.

Alycia explained the history of QOV, her roles throughout the years and recounted first-hand stories of how quilts had brought healing to veterans and their families. She explained how to nominate a “touched by war” veteran for a quilt.

Alycia displayed QOV quilts that she had designed and noted that many of the patterns are available on Etsy. She organizes QOV quilt-alongs and mystery quilt programs. There are QOV blogs, a FaceBook group and other resources listed on the information sheet that was circulated, a copy of which is attached. She recognized LNCQ member, Cynthia Hagan, a local Loveland QOV Group Leader.

Three quilt tops assembled by LNCQ members during the program immediately prior to the evening meeting were displayed and it was estimated that about 80 quilt blocks for future QOV quilts were completed as well. Joan noted that the net proceeds of the afternoon’s program, about \$370, were being donated to QOV.

2. Joan explained the bank’s requirement for a physical address for LNCQ and introduced the following proposed language to address this requirement:

Be it resolved that Joan Roberta Fulton is the President of LNCQ (the “Entity”) and in that role is signer and Key Executive with control of the Entity; Ellen Kay Rankin is the Treasurer. Joan Roberta Fulton and Ellen Kay Rankin, as elected officers of LNCQ, are active on all the financial accounts at Wells Fargo Bank, as Signers and Key Executives of the Entity. The mailing address for LNCQ is Box 272593, Fort Collins, CO 80527. When a physical address is required, the address of the acting treasurer shall be used. The address of the current treasurer is 4109 Plum Creek

Drive, Loveland, CO 80538 and shall be used as the physical address for LNCQ until such time as a new treasurer is elected.

Motion to approved the above language made by Kathy Money; seconded by Dawn DeLong. Language approved unanimously.

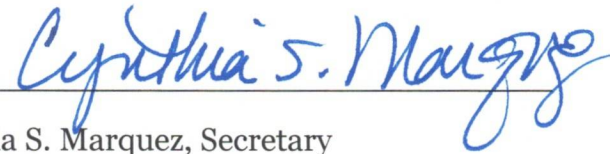
3. Door Prizes – four door prizes were awarded to members chosen at random.
4. Crystal Wentz, 1st Vice President, provided updates on the following:
 - a. The Quilted Forest held a successful February workday with another to be scheduled for March. She described the project for recent members.
 - b. The Block of the Month (“BOM”) has been extremely successful and now has 67 participants. Joan encouraged members to view and post their blocks on the BOM Facebook page. Members may join at any time throughout 2026.
5. Joan presented a PowerPoint slideshow of programs scheduled for the balance of 2026 illustrating the scheduled textile artists along with samples of their work.
6. Logo – Joan noted that the existing LNCQ logo is now 30-years old and showed a slide of a possible updated logo. Members will be asked to vote to either keep the existing logo or choose the updated one. If members choose the updated logo, products with the existing logo will be used up before items with the new logo are ordered to keep the change cost-neutral. There will be a link in the March newsletter for members to vote. Results will be announced at the April meeting.
7. Ways and Means – a garage sale is scheduled for June 5th to coincide with the Wellington community garage sale. Kathy Winter will be collecting items from now through the date of the sale. Larger items should be delivered closer to the sale date. Both quilting and non-quilting items are welcome. Additionally, a silent auction is being considered for this year’s holiday party.
8. General Business
 - a. Joan is meeting with representatives from the Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum to discuss joint opportunities to expand their “Kid’s Camp” to our area;
 - b. Joan is discussing a joint quilt show opportunity with Front Range Contemporary Quilters and LNCQ for 2027; and

- c. Seats at a LNCQ table at the RMQM May 9th fundraiser at a cost of \$75 are available for any interested LNCQ member.
9. Web Communications – Beth Soderquist advised that all new members should have access the LNCQ website by this week. If any new members are still having access problems, she asked them to reach out to her for assistance.
10. Show and Tell – Four quilts were shown by members.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted:

Cynthia S. Marquez, Secretary



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