



Meeting Minutes February 17, 2026

In attendance: Jordin Vieths, Katie Reynolds, Jason Reynolds, Maragaret Noble, Ramona Lough, Alan Barlow, Stacey Mozinor, Pat Robinson, Patsy Worrel, Pam Riehl, Kieth Brillhart, and Marilyn Odneal

Traps in December/January:

12/4 – 10 cats, 4 females, 6 males

1/23 – 1 female

1/28 – 1 female

2/4 – 1 male

Upcoming trap days:

2026 Vet days scheduled so far (10 cats for each appointment): -We have scheduled appointments a couple months ahead. Anyone who is able to volunteer on any of the future dates is asked to sign up ahead of time. Katie and I will fill in the gaps.

March 5th

March 19th

April 2nd

April 16th

April 30th

Goals for 2026

-Efficiency: Discuss how we can operate more efficiently. Take suggestions on how we can become a well-oiled machine. Is our line of communication working for everyone? How can we improve to make things easier for our volunteers?

SAFE foundation launched a city-wide spay neuter coupon \$15. (Springfield) Liability – pick up in animal truck – sign liability papers. Get person to give presentation and then see how we start out. Have it free or donation if they want to. (Alan brought this up).

Eventually may get a van for transport license. Missouri State may ask about vet help – Ozark Pet rescue – mobile unit. Vets in training?

-Delegation: Assign a few volunteers to take the reins on some of the events we know will be upcoming. They will be in charge of coordinating and organizing the event completely.

Upcoming events:

Game night Darren Dobbs (Grove Gamers' Guild) is willing to host a hot dog/game night. Need to get dates. Possibly sell tickets? May will be the tentative month.

Mayfest (advertise game event at Mayfest)

City-wide Yard Sale

Proposal for new event – Booth at Santa's Workshop to sell items for fundraising: Cat ornaments, cat grass/cat nip, other Christmas items. Marilyn can take reins on this if approved. If the cost of the booth is not prohibitive.

-All volunteers need to sign a new volunteer waiver. Jordin will be giving them a TNR protocol paper to have and go over on their own time. Members attending signed these.

Facebook and media update.

YouTube Channel – will be put on back burner for now. Stacey will continue to interview community members for cat stories and put the stories out in media.

Donation jar update – North Casey’s is working out. Maybe put others around – Williams to have a jar, also Reds. Walmart – rounding up to donate – Jordin will check.

Web page update. Schedule is now linked on the Events page.

Events presently posted on website:

May, 2026 Mayfest We will have a booth for Mayfest. Mountain Grove, Missouri

June, 2026 Mountain Grove City-wide Yard Sale We participate in the annual city-wide yard sale! We accept donations of yard sale items. Proceeds go to the Grove Community Cat Coalition.

August, 2026 Heritage Festival We will have a booth for the Heritage Festival. Mountain Grove, Missouri

(take off for now) October, 2026 Trunk or Treat We will hand out candy and educational materials. Mountain Grove, Missouri

(take off for now) December, 2026 Winter Festival and Parade Look for our booth and GCCC Float.

Education – video loop that talks about TNR

Fundraising – small donation pics of cats – Vote 12 cats April – Aug – pics, \$1 per entry.

Sponsored cat update: Need to start a database of sponsored cats. Marilyn will work with Katie on this.

Treasury update for November/December 2025/January 2026.

November 2025			
	Beginning Balance		\$3665.92
	Ending Balance		\$4676.41
Deposits/Donations			
	11/13 Regular Deposit		\$ 393.34
	11/14 PayPal Deposit		\$1205.00
	11/14 Regular Deosit		\$ 100.00
		Total	\$1698.34
Expenses/Withdrawals			
	11/12 GoDaddy		\$ 23.19
	11/17 #1015 Williams		\$ 560.96
	11/14 GoDaddy		\$ 131.89
		Total	\$ 716.04

December 2025			
	Beginning Balance		\$4676.41
	Ending Balance		\$4649.81
Deposits/Donations			
	12/16		\$ 70.00
	12/19		\$421.00
		Total	\$591.00
Expenses/Withdrawals			
	12/8 #1016		\$490.00
	12/22 #1017		\$123.00
		Total	\$613.00

January 2026			
	Beginning Balance		\$4649.81
	Ending Balance		\$5682.70
Deposits/Donations			
	1/15 (Bray \$150)		\$ 192.50
	1/23 David Pointer		\$ 250.00
		Total	\$ 442.50
Expenses/Withdrawals			
	1/30 Walmart		\$ 63.61
		Total	\$ 63.61

Update on number of cats spayed/neutered so far.

2024 – 122 (59 females, 63 males)

2025 - 203 (113 females, 93 males, 20 kittens) – *Need to double check these numbers.*

2025 TNR

Trap Date	TNR # cats	Females spayed	Males neutered	# cats adopted
1/29/25	19	9	10	3 kittens
2/27/25	16	10	6	8
4/2/25	17	10	7	2 kittens
4/28/25	2	0	2	1
4/30/25	16	7	9	2
5/15/25	1	0	1	0
5/29/25	17	11	6	2 kittens
6/1/25	1	1		
7/17/25	25	12	13	2 kittens

8/4/25	3	2	1	
8/7/25	1	0	1	
8/8/25	1	0	1	
8/14/25	14	6	8	
8/21	1	1	0	
8/28	1	1	0	
9/4	10	6	4	
9/18	11	6	5	
10/2	12	11	1	
10/9	1	0	1	
10/10	1	0	1	
10/23	12	12	5	
11/6	9	4	5	
12/4	10	4	6	
Totals				
	203	113	93	20

2026 TNR

Trap Date	TNR # cats	Females spayed	Males neutered	# cats adopted
1/23	1	1		
1/28	1	1		
2/4	1		1	
Totals				
	3	2	1	

Fundraising

Important to get costs of event centers.

Donut sale.

Mtn. Grove Community Foundation – October 2026 application.

The next Pet Friendly Application is in February 2026. Jason Reynolds will write the grant proposal.

Senior center spaghetti dinner, silent auction, slide show of sponsored cats. Sponsor mother/son dance.

Wish list items:

- Wet food Litter
- Dry food Sharpie markers
- Zip ties Used sheets, crib sheets
- Trap dividers Clip-on food/water bowls for wire cages
- Masking tape Dewormer and other meds.
- Tomahawk traps Any additions??
- Transfer cages Possibly a step stool for the animal shelter??

Photo contest – businesses – cat photo jars. Ask businesses if they would be willing to participate. Pam and Jordin are working on it.

Sponsored cats – cat photo jars, once a year.

Adjourn. Jason made motion to adjourn, Marilyn seconded.