Meeting was called to order at 10:48 a.m. on Friday, November 12th, 2010 with eight member associations in attendance.

The two items that the committee wants to see in the next year are a web-based centralized membership system and a Windows version of the rodeo program. These items have been discussed for the last several years and need to move forward.

The Windows version of the rodeo program is planned for implementation during the winter break.
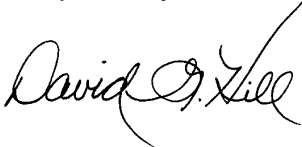
What is needed for the centralized membership system is to determine the scope of the project and the needs of each member association. This system would be used by member associations to input membership data into the web based system. The rodeo secretary would be able to access the system only to determine contestant membership eligibility for each rodeo. This would make membership data more secure, accurate and timely.

With a centralized system, more data would be available such as total membership numbers, gender percentages and aging trends. This information is very useful when approaching sponsors and requesting monies for a possible grant.

Any attempt at implementation will have to address the data needs and privacy concerns of the membership data. This also is a high priority and I will be tapping each membership for resources.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

David G. Hill
Chairperson