

Friends of Taylor Observatory~Norton Planetarium  
Minutes for 19 November 2018, Board meeting at the Taylor Observatory Classroom

Meeting called to order at 5:07pm for a short meeting.

Present: Bill Haddon, Tom Schleif, Eduardo Allatore, David Velasquez, David Markham, Barbara McIntyre, Emily Whittlesey. Visitor: Judy (please remind me her last name!)

No financial report today.

Minutes from the October meeting still require editing; to be resolved.

The water is ON again, and portables removed.

Bill urged attendance at the Board of Supervisor's Meeting tomorrow Nov 20<sup>th</sup> at the county courthouse, for the presentation of the PROCLAMATION of Lake County to be a dark sky destination. Supervisor Jim Steele will be reading it and speaking about the efforts to accomplish this historical occasion.

It was agreed that for December, FOTO will have two evenings at the observatory:

Friday, Dec 14<sup>th</sup> at 8pm for viewing Geminids meteor showers

Saturday, Dec 15<sup>th</sup> at 8pm for showing of the Christmas Star show in the planetarium.

Bill reported re: telescope repair:

Chris Erickson in Hawaii will not be coming, and two alternative repair solutions are under investigation.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:55 pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
Emily Whittlesey