FALL 2006
MVOR MINUTES

Meeting called to order at 10AM by President Mark Andrich. V.P. Korey Hart, Treasurer Jim Donley, Sec Carl Thayer. Sec Report: Motion to accept as printed in the flyer, seconded and passed. Tres. Rpt.: as of 05/06/06- $11,944.83, as of 02/10/06- $10408.16 (printed detailed copies available on request) Motion to accept, seconded and passed. Pres Andrich announced the loss of Bob Reynolds this July. Bob was the editor for MVG for many years and will be missed by many. He also announced that Alicia Lewis gave birth to baby caver Ethan. Upcoming events: Fall 2007 Oct 19-21 to be hosted by MMV. Spring 2007 not yet bid. OHG Pres Charley Rey said they might bid and would let the board know in a few weeks. OHG also returned $500 to the conservation fund from a grant for cave gating projects. There was a refund from "Zoe" for the banquet (that wasn't). This spring Cave Plate update: only 65 applications so far and we need 200 to get plates. Lester B. Dill Award: Steve Garrison donated a lamp, Al Quamen donated several walnut bases, and Kerry Rowland has several lamps ready to chrome plate. This year's Lester B. Dill Award is presented to Don Dunham for his many years of service to our caves. Announcements: Contribute to Howie's hospital fund—upcoming Cave and Karst Management Symposium Oct 8-14.
2007 in St. Louis. Jim Kaufman asked for $1000 for co-sponsorship, would allow MVOR to send 2 people. Motion to give money, seconded and passed (web-www.NCKMS.org). Presidents Award given to Earl Hancock. 350 people in attendance and thank you MSM and the Shriners for a job well done. Election of Officers: There was only 1 nominee for each office so the winners are: Pres-Korey Hart, VP- Alicia Lewis, Treasurer-Jim Donley, and Secretary-Paul Mills. Mark thanked the crowd and passed the mic to Korey. Korey thanked the crowd. Motion to adjourn, seconded and passed at 10:50AM. Respectfully Submitted; Carl Thayer MVOR Sec.

PS: It has been a honor to serve the Region this past 5 years, thank you all, and cave softer!!