Region 6 ANCW Meeting

Callie Martinez called the meeting to order on Thursday April 11, 2024 at 4:35 PM. Molly Watkins moved to open nominations for ANCW Region 6 Elections, Leanna Sarman seconded, the motion passed.

Melinda Sarman moved to close nominations from the floor for Budget Chair after no nominations were brought forth. Michelle Greenman seconded the motion and it passed. Instating Julie Barnett as Budget Committee Representative.

Nominations for Membership chair were open to the floor. Natoline Lee nominated Karen Allen, Genora Canon seconded the nomination. With no other nominations on the floor Trina Sue Riggs moved the close nominations. Pam Griffin seconded the motion, the motion passed.

With no nominations from the floor for PR chair Melinda Sarman moved to close nominations, Debbie Torres seconded the motion, the motion passed. Instating Haley Davis as PR Representative. Gene Barton moved to close the nomination for Ways and Means after no nominations were presented from the floor. Pam Griffen seconded the motion, the motion passed. Making Karen Allen Ways and Means Chair.

Callie Martinez, Brandee Mills, and Debbie Torres were on the ballot for Region Director. Debbie Torres rescinded her nomination, and there were no nominations from the floor. Melinda Sarman moved to close nominations, Molly Watkins seconded the motion, the motion passed. After a ballot vote Callie Martinez was voted Region Director.

During the counting of the ballots for Region Director Brandee Mills went over the region 6 meeting next year. The meeting will be taking place in Utah, she answered questions and asked everyone for possible topics. Pam Griffin went over the Region 6 2026 meeting and the option of having the meeting in Hawaii or Arizona. Melinda Sarman moved to show by a raise of hands who wanted to go to Hawaii or Arizona. Brandee Mills Seconded the motion. Leanna Sarman moved to amend the main motion so that it would read by a show of hands we will have the meeting in Hawaii. Melinda Sarman seconded the amendment and the amendment passed. The main motion that read we would go to Hawaii in 2026 failed. The 2026 region six meeting will be in Arizona.

Leslee Lohrenz gave an update on the Board of Directors. She asked for states to give an updated list of officers to Ashley and reminded State Presidents the importance of voting at Board of Directors meetings. After Leslee's update the meeting was put into a recess to be completed the fallowing morning.

On Friday April 12 state reports were given. Michelle Greenman gave the report for New Mexico, Brandee Mills for Utah, Trina Sue Riggs for Arizona and Callie Martinez for California and Nevada. The meeting wrapped up with an update on Beef Promotion from Debbie Torres. Meeting was adjourned.