



Allegheny County

Retirees Association

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING
March 18, 2026

Minutes

Call to Order 10:02

Present: Jack Exler, Eric Buncher, Hugh Hachmeister, Kathy Burk, Chris Carragher,
Donna Johnson, Sharon Silvestri, Connie Przybyla.

Review and Approval of December 17, 2025 Minutes
Motion to Approve: Connie, Seconded: Donna

Financial Report read by Christine Carragher
Quicken software was purchased
Donna asked about the cookbook. They have not all been sold yet, so a profit has not yet
been realized

Money was moved to the Postage account.
Bills to be Ratified and Approved
Motion to approve: Hugh Seconded: Sharon

Hugh mentioned that there has been difficulty in getting the voice mail transferred from Marge to
Hugh

Chris asked about whether money from the balance was ever invested.
Record retention: we will check to by-laws to see if there was a designated time.

Programs and Luncheons

March 18, 2026 – Growing Up Yinzer – Dick Roberts
Cookbooks will be sold at the meeting
Assignments:
Connie will present a game for the members to play.
Erik will do the 50/50 and door prize tickets
Sharon and Donna will do registration

April 15, 2026 – Western Pennsylvania Rail – Mark Spada
May 20, 2026 – National Record Mart – Erik Selinger
June 17, 2026 – ACRA Annual Picnic – North Park – North Park Lodge
Food Drive at the picnic
August 19, 2026 – Pirate Game
September 18, 2026 – Monthly Meeting and Luncheon – Speaker TBD
Linda Law went to a presentation from the FBI about scams.
October 21, 2026 – Monthly Meeting – Pension Fund and Medicare Updates
November 18, 2026 - Monthly Meeting and Luncheon – Speaker TBD
December 16, 2026 – ACRA Annual Holiday Party – We will do a food drive.

New Business and General Discussion

Eric suggested we have Duncan Financial Services speak for about 15 minutes at the October meeting.

Other Business:

Newsletter: Edna Gardner is a possibility for a future spotlight.
Eric looked into an association management firm.do some of the administrative work.
Jack suggested that we all work together to open envelopes. This would eliminate the possibility of overworking anyone.

Adjournment:

Moved: Chris Seconded: Donna
Time: 11:08 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathleen Burk
Recording Secretary
April 10, 2026