



Ames Contractor Council

Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, June 03, 2026

11:06 – 11:30 Pacific

Virtual

³⁵₁₇ **NASA Ames Center Management & Operations Updates: Tommy Payne**

- **Significant re-org at the Agency level happening now**
- **VPP work is a large part of our work. Going on for next few months**
 - **Safety**
 - **Mission assurance issues**
- **Last week Blue Origin incident – how will that impact the mission. Still a lot of unknowns**
 - **Seems like less damage than originally feared so that's positive**
 - **This will have an impact on AMES**
- **Formulation has already ramped up Mission PRGS being released**
 - **Less input from the center this year**
- **AMES Picnic Monday, June 17th**
 - **We will have a bunch of interns starting this and next week so the picnic will be great kickoff.**
 - **Volunteers are needed so please help if you can. Contact Jinesh if you are available**
 - **Happy Hour will be on the same day June 17th**

³⁵₁₇ **Small Business Office Updates: Rob E. Watts Sr**

- **Not present**

³⁵₁₇ **ACC Business Items:**

- **Introduction/Approval of Minutes: May 2026 Motion made by Faten, seconded by Saba**
- **President's Report: Jinesh Jain - Need volunteers for the ACC Table/Booth for the AMES Picnic on June 17th.**
- **Vice President's Report: Bob Vermillion**
 - **Nothing to report**

- Secretary Report: **Sandra Rasmussen**
 - **Nothing to report**
- Treasurer's Report: **Miriam Rahimi**
 - May previous balance \$13955.61
 - Only charge was our internet
 - Ending Balance: \$13930.61

³⁵₁₇ **Committee Reports:**

- Ames Calendar: **Faten Mansour**
 - ³⁵₁₇ We need volunteers to help with the Picnic
 - ³⁵₁₇ We also need volunteers
 - ³⁵₁₇ Looking for ideas for next year's theme
- Marketing Communications: **Renee Mitchell**
 - ³⁵₁₇ **Nothing to report**
 - ³⁵₁₇ **Reminder about AMES picnic**
- Imagination Foundation: **David Cornelius**
 - ³⁵₁₇ **No new grant application**
 - ³⁵₁₇ **Received a report from Santa Theresa last year for 7th grade physics class. They went to a Semiconductor company by bus and enjoyed learning and watching. They participated in workshops while there.**
 - ³⁵₁₇ **Next day they received construction engineering training with speakers**
- Public Policy: **Saba Hussain**
 - ³⁵₁₇ She will send out the report for everyone to view
- Safety Outreach: **Mike Weiss/Linda McCahon**
 - ³⁵₁₇ **Not much to comment on**
- ACC Golf Tournament: **Kari, Jinesh, Craig, Sandra, Renee, Mariam**
 - ³⁵₁₇ Work in progress. Looking for volunteers. Looking at Moffet
 - Needs sponsors
 - Drive participation and program
 - Trying to get costs close to previous years
 - Looking for volunteers to help with planning and running

New Business:

Micheal Weiss – NASA considered that the Adams contract will be closing. Work will be handled by Civil Servants. Extension through October 2026. This will affect work at AMES. Hoping some team members can be picked up on other contracts.

Meeting adjourned: 11:30 am.

Next Scheduled Meeting:

July 01, 2026