The meeting was called to order at 1816. Quorum was present. Call-in participants were present. Minutes from March 2019 (Annual Meeting/Convention) approved. Minutes from April not available. Treasurer reported total balance of $168,62 including accounts and cash.

A summary and update of the glyphosate effort was given by Francine and Em. Stephen recommended Letter to Editor from co-chairs.

Regarding fracking, Stephen reported that state land office has put off limits land around Chaco Canyon and information from a speaker at UNM. Em reported study and policy effort by MRCOG. Stephen will ask Don Hancock about the Oil & Gas industry’s position on the proposed Holtec nuclear repository in the Permian Basin.

There was a discussion about the effort adopt ranked-choice voting in ABQ. Michal will collect editorials. Stephen will check with GPUS about current status. Em will e-mail her table about methods of voting and link to source.

Stephen expounded on various talks he has given and an invitation he has to a climate change conference. Em reminded that speakers need approval for speaking on behalf of GPAMA.

Stephen reported from National Committee about pending proposals on a minimum age to serve on National Committee and on a procedure for disaffiliation of state or local parties that stray from core values too much.

New business discussed included tabling events of Bees & Seeds (Saturday, May 18 2:00 p. m. to 8:00 p. m.) and Red & Green VegFest (Saturday, August 10, 9 a.m. to 6 p. m.). Michal will look into Bees & Seeds. Rich will check if Railyard Market still has community table.

Michal brought up book study group as a social gathering; a couple of titles were mentioned. Em proposed an amateur radio event as a social gathering.

Rich opened discussion about PCSC proposal to limit access to national resources and data sharing. Stephen will check if if there is any FEC rule that states value of donor list.

Announcements included Move to Amend meeting Thursday, May 23; Tim´s trip to LC on May 18 to discuss the GND; plastic bag ban in ABQ; donation of USB network adapter.

The meeting adjourned at 2018.