

## Benton Co Republican BPOU Meeting Minutes March 15, 2023

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Dan Stephenson at 7 PM.

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Executive board members present: Judy Hackett, Paul Doten, Carol Rupar, Dan Stephenson, and Jim Howe.

Others present: Kim Christen-Mattson, April Doten, Beth Schlangen, Jodi Welsh, Philip Kameo, Alan Fones, John Ulrick and Kevin Arnold.

Motion was made by Jim Howe and seconded by Judy Hackett to approve the minutes of the February meeting. Motion approved.

Motion was made by Carol Rupar and seconded by Judy Hackett to approve the treasurer's report. Motion approved. There was no change in the treasurers report since October with \$700.26 in checking and \$1,114.86 in savings for a total of \$1,815.12 in funds.

As the BPOU Convention is set for Saturday, March 25, 2023, a motion was made by Carol Rupar and seconded by Judy Hackett to wait until after the new board is in place to set the BPOU meeting dates and schedule of full committee meetings for the rest of the year. Motion approved.

There was discussion of disbursement of lists of delegates to the BPOU board candidates. Motion passed to table this for future discussion.

Blake Paulson reported that the DOJ has made a determination of how funds from FTX donations to candidates can be returned.

Motion to adjourn by Judy Hackett and seconded by Jim Howe. Motion approved.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40 PM.

Respectfully submitted,  
Carol Rupar, Secretary

Note: Per Jim Howe: [32auctions.com/freedomflight2023](https://32auctions.com/freedomflight2023) is the website to check on auction items.