

FEATHER RIVER RAIL SOCIETY

DATE: August 2018
ITEM: Director Report
FROM: Eugene Vicknair

FUNDRAISING MAILER

Mailer is at the printer and should be mailed toward the end of next week.

LOCOMOTIVE TRADE and DISPLAY

The swap for the Feather River and Western Plymouth 1 now owned by Brett Tallman for the Whitcomb locomotive that will go on display along Highway 70 tentatively looks to be happening in early September. The city works department plans to have the location at the Williams House cleared and graded by August 17.

MUSEUM TOUR IMPROVEMENTS

I have been working with Paul on providing QR codes to be placed on equipment for quick access to online information, including audio histories. These codes will be on magnetic panels and I should have the first 10 ready for placement and testing later this month.

EQUIPMENT PAINTING

Chris Fussell has been in contact and is looking at some time in September to come to the museum to paint equipment. Roger Stabler is working on plans to paint WP SW1500 1503 in September. I am hoping to have a conversation soon with Roger, Chris, Steve Habeck, Greg Elems and some others to see if we can coordinate getting the 1503 and WP GP9 725 painted together since we will have two painters on hand and have enough paint rigs.

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2019 WP-PCR CONVENTION

Display rooms for presentations and events at the convention venue are being finalized. Once all rooms and costs are factored, advertising for the convention will be starting.