

FEATHER RIVER RAIL SOCIETY

DATE: February 2016
ITEM: Event Reports
FROM: Eugene Vicknair
SUBJECT: **Convention, Chili Cook-Off**

2016 Convention

Registration has been open for about 3 weeks for the Modesto joint convention. We have nearly all of our presentation slots filled and information on presentations and clinics will be out soon. We are still seeking a banquet speaker. Hotel rooms are filling fast, but registrations are coming in slower.

Chili Cook-Off

Working with Big Fish on planning and details for the event. A preliminary budget is in place. We are preparing to finalize our invitation list.

Due to timing, I was not able to have a final budget and plan for approval by the Board. The goal is to start advertising by beginning of March. We may need to call a phone in Board Meeting to get final go / no-go from the Board once the budget and plan are finalized.