

ORNCC Board Meeting Minutes
March 19, 2022

Mark Babson, Gary Baran, Elly G, Mary Kate Land, Carlos Sathler

Treasurer's report Due to his trip to Brazil for a family emergency, Carlos has been unable to create a treasurer's report. Carlos and Mark to meet to seek out history data from quickbooks. Carlos will check if Elly needs a tax form.W-9?
Carlos finished the report during the call and shared it on screen share. He will submit the file.

Web management (Elly)- Drupal 7, our web platform is not officially supported as of November 2023. We need to migrate to a different platform before then. Elly recommends Backdrop, an improved version of Drupal 7. It is cost effective, prioritizes simplicity and is user friendly. The Backdrop community has been very welcoming to Elly, unlike larger organizations.
Elly gave us an estimate for the cost of the work. The board voted to authorize the work.

Mark discussed the possibility of offering training to Marshall Islanders in Portland. There is a feeling that participants might not participate unless they are paid. The Board talked about barriers to training, including finances and user perception regarding the usefulness of training.

Meet next on May 23. Meet in person in July? Salem? Eugene?