Marysville Historical Society (MHS)

General Meeting Minutes

Date: July 20, 2026 • Time: 6:00 p.m. • Location: MHS Museum, 6805 Armar Rd, Marysville, WA 98270

Call to Order

In the absence of President Peter Condyles and Vice President Steve Edin, Treasurer Dennis Burman called the general meeting to order.

Nick Stampfli led the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Reading and Approval of the Previous Meeting Minutes

A motion to approve the June 15, 2026, General Meeting minutes as presented was made by *Marie Nelson* and seconded by *Jodi Hiatt*.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Dennis Burman reported that copies of the monthly Treasurer's Report were available for review by interested members.

Correspondence

No correspondence was reported.

Old Business and Committee Reports

Gehl Home: Additional volunteers are needed to staff the Gehl Home from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. on Saturdays, August 15, August 22, and September 5. Sunday volunteer coverage is generally sufficient, although additional Sunday volunteers are also welcome.

America 250 Patriotic Tea: The Marysville Historical Society will host a Patriotic Tea on Saturday, September 26, as part of the community's America 250 activities.

Cemetery Tour: The third annual Marysville Historical Society Cemetery Tour will be held on Saturday, September 12. This year's tour will feature local veterans. A planning meeting is scheduled for Sunday, July 26. The meeting time will be announced after President Condyles returns.

Marysville Globe Digitization: The Society previously received a $6,500 grant to continue digitizing historic editions of the *Marysville Globe*. The digitization vendor is expected to begin the next phase of the project soon. The grant is expected to cover approximately ten or eleven additional years of newspapers, making most of the Society's public-domain editions through approximately 1930 digitally available.

Centennial Quilt Display: Jodi Hiatt reported that plans are underway to display the Society's historic quilts, including a Centennial quilt created for the City of Marysville. The display layout has been

planned and funding has been approved. A scissor lift and curtain rods will be used to safely install the quilts on the Great Hall wall.

Memorial Plaque: The Society is working to obtain a memorial plaque honoring longtime member and former Trustee Morrie Sachsenmaier.

New Business

August Membership Barbecue: The next General Meeting will be the Society's annual membership barbecue. It will be held on Monday, August 17, at 6:00 p.m. at the museum.

Tuesday Cleaning Volunteers: Additional volunteers are needed to assist with cleaning at the museum on Tuesdays. Members willing to help were encouraged to speak with the current cleaning volunteers.

Announcements

Everett AquaSox - Christmas in July: Jack Taylor announced that the Everett AquaSox will hold a "Christmas in July" event during their upcoming Saturday evening game.

Program

A short break for refreshments and a guest presentation followed the conclusion of the formal business meeting.

Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the formal business meeting was made by *Daniel Lucier* and seconded by *Jessie Webb*.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 6:12 p.m.

Next Meeting

Monday, August 17, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. at the museum. The meeting will include the Society's annual membership barbecue.