Highline Historical Society

2010/2011 Annual Report

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This Year's Accomplishments

Board of Trustees

The Board has recently elected new officers: President Mike Emerson; Vice President Gary Long; Secretary Lloyd Herman and Treasurer Lynda Isernio. The Board has begun a self-assessment program sponsored by the American Association of State and Local Hisotry.

Grants

We received $45,000 in operating grant support this year. This support was received from 4Culture, the Cities of SeaTac and Burien, and the DV and Ida McEachern Charitable Trust.

Programs and Events

Our fiscal year began with a panel about Aviation History in Highline, followed by our online auction supporting our building fund. In the spring we hosted Joan Wolfberg's presentation of Eleanor Roosevelt, and a reprise of our popular Antiques Roadshow combined with an Artifacts Identification program. Our annual Highline Garden Tour turned a profit! A special effort was made this year to continue taping Oral Histories. Our teams are out every month adding to our collections. This year we featured the 10th Anniversay of 9/11 and taped quite a few remembrances at the Burien Fire Station. Asst. Barbara McMichaels has been responsible for much of the success of these programs.

Exhibits

Curator Nancy McKay continues to shine with exhibits at Burien City Hall, and with three exhibits at SeaTac City Hall. The exhibits at SeaTac featured the 100th Anniversary of the Port of Seattle, World War I music and Highline Schools - Then and Now. Nancy also prepares collections for our new museum, writes articles for our quartely newsletter and manages a dozen volunteers every week.

Collaborations

We have been pleased to work on our various exhibits with the Cities of SeaTac and Burien. The Highline SeaTac Botanical Garden and Discover Burien collaborate with us on the Highline Garden Tour, and this year the UW/Burke Museum participated with an Artifact Identification program.

Volunteers

The Society honors our volunteers each summer at a picnic. This year the Hi-Liners provided the entertainment. At the event we honored Building donors as well as 60 volunteers that contributed to our success this year. Volunteers donated almost $70,000 worth of time to our bottom line.

Museum Building Campaign

Building Permit Applied For

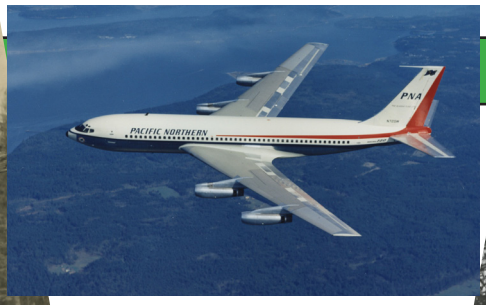
The Society has applied for a building permit for the Highline Heritage Museum. When the permit is granted we will have 18 months to break ground.

Fundraising Steering Comittee

A committee of individuals from throughout the Highline community, Co-Chaired by Mike Emerson and Sally Nelson, meets regularly to review fundraising and make recommendations.

Members

A Charter Museum membership campaign began in August with a goal of reaching 1000 members by the time the museum opens.



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Balance Sheet
As of September 30, 2011

Assets	
Cash in Banks	38,762
Accounts Receivable	
Pledges less uncollectable allowance	73,462
Grants receivable – operations	5,000
Grants receivable – capital	10,000
Total Receivables	88,462
Other current assets	2,018
Total Current Assets	129,242
Fixed Assets	
Fixtures & Equipment, net of Depreciation	17,829
Depreciation	
Leasehold improvements, net of Depreciation	816
Building, net of Depreciation	304,113
Land	187,087
Construction in progress	566,092
Total Fixed Assets	1,075,937
Other long term assets	250
Total Assets	**1,205,429**
Liabilities & Equity	
Accounts Payable & Accrued Liabilities	19,424
Equity	1,205,429
Total Liability & Equity	**1,205,429**