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Minutes of the 5 August 2026 Meeting

The meeting was held at the Forney Museum of Transportation 4303 Brighton Blvd Denver CO. Twenty-two member-club representatives, presidents, and guests were signed in. Officers present were President Dick Thompson, 2nd Vice President John Mansfield, Secretary Nick Lundberg, Treasurer Samantha Baker.

The meeting was called to order, with welcome and introductions, by the club President at approximately 7:31 pm.

Guest Spotlight: No guests expressly present.

Minutes of 1 July Meeting: A motion to correct Tom Mansfield's name listed as 2nd Vice President in the July minutes was made. A subsequent review of the July minutes, showed that Tom was listed as John Mansfield in the July minutes. Motion to accept, was seconded, and approved with the name correction.

Legislation: Leo Boyle, the CCCC lobbyist, discussed the legislative session which runs from Early January to early May each year, so there won't be anything to report in regards to legislation until January. The CCCC political action committee (PAC) has approx. 7k in funds to possibly distribute to legislators who are favorably disposed to our issues. Have identified at least two recipients, both Republicans. Contributions are capped at \$450. Leo's job between now and January is to cultivate the new people that will be coming into office in January. The chairman of the House transportation committee, where bills that are CCCC adjacent go, is term limited, so there will be likely all new committee members. Leo and Dick Thompson to research candidates for PAC contributions.

Treasurer's Report. A motion to approve the treasurer report as presented was moved and seconded. Forty-Three clubs have renewed/joined for 2026 as of end of July 2026. As it stands right now for 2026 there are Forty-Three clubs, three individual membership and three Associate memberships. There are seven clubs that have not renewed as of yet for 2026. FYI, there were fifty member clubs, four individual memberships, and five associate memberships in 2025.

2026 CCCC Car Show and Swap Meet: Rick Ruel stated that there were no complaints and no concerns. There were approx. 200 cars, downturn in number of cars could possibly be due to date change. It was stated that the swap meet went very well. Vendors and Volunteers were checked in before coming into the show field. Tom Manfield, volunteer coordinator stated that there were plenty of volunteers. A Thank You goes out to all the volunteers. Dick Thompson stated that he will NOT be involved in the CCCC Car Show next year. It is imperative that someone will need to step up to be manager, if the Car Show is desired to occur next year. Question to ponder and to discuss going forward.....Is there another way to raise money??

Other discussion: Jim Merrit stated that there are 18 people going to the SEMA show in November. Attendees need to be a member of a member club of CCCC and SEMA Action. Dick Thompson gave an entertaining overview of the hoops that needed to be jumped in order to get the CCCC trailer registered; ie; appointments at 5 different places across the State, resolution of naming convention differences in documents and driver's licenses in order to get the registration issued resolved. Praises for Rachel at the Aurora DMV office! Rick Beets stated that the Forney Museum Dust n Shine dates for 2026 are all filled, there are various dates available in 2027. The Forney Museum exhibits for now through October is the Roaring 20's and will be Mini Coopers for November to January. A brief discussion about registering vehicles in Montana utilizing an LLC and a PO Box.

Next meeting: Next meeting will be Wednesday, September 2nd 2026, at 7:30 pm. at the Forney Museum of Transportation 4303 Brighton Blvd Denver CO.

Upcoming Events: Various shows and events upcoming: Please see the CCCC website (collectorcouncil.com) for a list of upcoming cars related events. The email blast list from Coloradocarsandcoffee.com is also a good resource for upcoming car related events. As is Colorado Car Shows (Calendar and Events) on Facebook. The Golden Cruise is the 1st Saturday of every month here on out through October. There are numerous Friday and Saturday Evening cruise-in type events each week throughout the spring and summer up and down the front range and in other parts of the state.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:20 pm.

Submitted by Nicholas Lundberg, CCCC Secretary

Member and Guest Clubs Represented in person at this meeting:

Cadillac & LaSalle Club Rocky Mountain Region
Car Shows Inc
Classic GTO Association of Denver
Colorado Chapter Pontiac-Oakland Club
Corvair Society of America (Rocky Mountain Chapter)
Denver Mustang Club
Denver Roadsters
Faith on Wheels Christian Car Club
Front Range Mustang Club of Colorado
Looking Glass Corvette Association
Mile Hi Chapter Falcon Club of America
Mile High Cobra Club
Model A Ford Club of Colorado

Pikes Peak Chapter of the Vintage Motor Car Club of America
Pikes Peak Corvair
Rocky Mountain AMC Club
Rocky Mountain Performance Mopar (Guest club)
Shelby American
Southern Colorado Mopar
Sunday Afternoon Car Klub
The Early Mustang Club
The M.G. Car Club Rocky Mountain Centre