Vice President Jim Thornhill opened the meeting at 11:00 am.

Membership: Tony Hanson reported there were 22 members and 22 visitors present at the Zoom meeting today. There was a quorum present.

Minutes from the Prior Meeting: Carolyn Davis made a motion to accept the minutes from the September 12, 2020 meeting. Gloria Goodwin seconded the motion. There were no corrections or changes to the minutes. The minutes were approved.

Treasurer’s Report: September 2020 activity shows total deposits of $6145 and total expenses of $3503. The Cash in Bank is $25,298 and savings of $117,110.

Upcoming SIG meeting dates in October were noted.

Upcoming Events: Genealogy Help Desk the 4th Tuesday; November 7 General Meeting with Brandon Murray speaking about the DPL 7th floor Dallas History & Archives collection; December 5 General Meeting with Richard Schlaudroff presenting on Masonic records.

Volunteer opportunities were highlighted, including editing; audio-video, IT; social media; community outreach; project management. Training/support will be provided. Contact Volunteer@dallasgenealogy.org, Vicepresident@dallasgenealogy.org, or 866-968-2346.

Next General Meeting: Saturday, November 7.

Today’s Presentation: Gus Hinojosa - “The First Official History of Texas (1630-1690)”