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To: Keith Argow, Chairman
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2015 Financial and Activities Statements Arkansas / Oklahoma Chapter

Activities Statement. The director was able to participate in the Directors phone conference in January, 2015. He has also been working closely with Kurt Atkinson (Oklahoma Forestry Services Assistant Director – retired in September), Maria Schleidt (Ouachita National Forest) and Dr. David Journey (Ozark-St. Francis National Forests) to compile all known Lookout Tower Information in these two National Forests for the USDA Forest Service Region 8 (Southern Region) Master Lookout Tower Inventory and History. To facilitate this, I sent letters of inquiry to the Oklahoma SHPO, Oklahoma State Archaeologist, Oklahoma Department of Forestry, Ouachita National Forest, Ozark-St. Francis National Forests, Arkansas SHPO and Arkansas Archeological Survey to solicit information and contacts. This tome will cover the entire southeastern quarter of the United States from Oklahoma and Texas to Virginia and Florida. The only drawback is that it only covers USDA Forest Service Lands.

I have also been in contact with Mr. Grant Gerondale (Director of Parks & Recreation Services) of the Keystone Ancient Forest in Oklahoma in his quest for a lookout tower for sale and rejuvenation and then forwarded his inquiree to the FFLA Answer Man.

Membership. We have 11 paid memberships for calendar 2015 with 10 of them already extending into 2016.

Financial Statement

According to Gary Weber's books, we have \$108.80 in our account. All photocopying and mailing of information, CDs, maps, and lookout plans has been paid for out-of-pocket as a donation to the Association. I have no expectations of requesting any Association funds for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted:

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