



## April 2026 General Meeting

### Meeting Minutes

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#### Call to Order

Past President Tony Hanson opened the meeting.

#### Minutes from the prior meeting

There were no changes to the minutes to last meeting minutes.

#### Quorum:

#### Agenda:

- Financial Updates
  - Balances of Checking, Savings, and Investment CD accounts
- Cemetery Indexing Project
  - 53% of goal completed (*equivalent to 22,189 records*)
  - All records have been completed except Oakland Cemetery
  - HELP WANTED! See DGS Website to sign up
- Successful Spring Seminar with Michael D. Lacopo
  - If registered, recordings still available for another week
- SAVE THE DATE - DGS Summer 2026 Seminar
  - Saturday, July 25th, 2026
  - “*Finding Your Revolutionary War Connection*”
  - Craig Scott, presenter
- 2026-2027 Board Nominations
  - Beri Schwitzer - President
  - Chris Bryant - Vice President
  - Terry Turner - Secretary
- Thank you to the nominating committee!
  - Kim Edge, Nancy Pardo, Suzan Younger, and Bernard Mizner



## **MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

- Jewish Genealogy Group
  - Monday, April 13th, 2026 @ 10:30am at Aaron Family Jewish Community Center (7900 Northaven Rd., Dallas, Texas)
- African American SIG Meeting
  - Saturday, April 18th, 2026 @ 2pm-3pm (In-Person on 6th Floor - Classroom B of J. Erik Johnson Central Library)
- Best Practices SIG Meeting
  - Saturday, March 25th, 2026 @ 10:30am - 1pm (In-Person on 8th Floor - McDermott Room of J. Erik Johnson Central Library & ZOOM)
- German Genealogy Group
  - Saturday, May 9th, 2026 @ 10:30am - 12:30pm (In-Person on 6th Floor - Classroom D of J. Erik Johnson Central Library)
- DNA SIG Meeting
  - Thursday, May 21st, 2026 @ 7:30pm (In-Person on 6th Floor - Classroom D of J. Erik Johnson Central Library & ZOOM)
- Thank you to the Tech Team, Hospitality, and Dallas Public Library!
- May 2026 General Meeting
  - Saturday, May 2nd, 2026 @ 11am (In-Person on 7th Floor - O'Hara Room & ZOOM)
  - Election and Annual Awards with Light snacks served
  - Speaker: Patricia Coleman "Getting Started with DNA Painter" [Virtual]

**SPEAKER:** Sarah Cochran "Suddenly Scotland! An Introduction to Scottish Research"

Submitted by Christopher Bryant, Secretary