

This document summarizes the Brownwood Birders Board Meeting held on May 8, 2025, covering financial updates, event planning, and future initiatives.

- **Financial Overview:** The checking account balance is reported at \$4656.13, and the minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed.
- **Successful Events:** A recent trip to Gatorland was attended by 26 members, highlighting the growing interest in birding activities.
- **Zoom Implementation:** The board approved a budget of approximately \$320 for equipment to facilitate Zoom meetings, aiming to enhance participation and accessibility.
- **Upcoming Outings:** Plans for a group outing to Crystal River National Wildlife Refuge were discussed, with details on pricing and scheduling provided.