This growth has surely come - - - From pioneers who first came
• Very welcomed by both Washington City Council members and the Washington County Sheriff’s Office on behalf of W.C.H.S. Jesse Stocking confirmed the validity and lack thereof in the various concerns about threats or possible threats to historical sites, monuments and statues in our county related to passionate civil activity that arose this year. In maintaining personal contact with the County Sheriff’s Office 2nd in command who is the Deputy Chief over Patrol throughout the year Jesse has been able to easily keep tabs on any potential issues. Glad to report that to my knowledge no vandalism was done to any of our historical sites or monuments of any type in Washington county.

• Allison McCord, Loren Webb and others developed a new a historical walking tour in the St George Historic District. This was developed to take place in conjunction with St. George City Founding day held each year in January. Although neither founding day or the tour was not held this year to Covid-19 restrictions it is now a great resource that will be used going forward.

• Added approx $40,800 to the $19,600 raised previously for the Juanita Brooks Statue. Paid out $20,000 to Sculptor Annette Everett for the maquette to be sent to foundry and full size cast clay and sent back to her for final sculpting and design.

Grants Received and Approved
• Art Around the Corner - $10,000.00 (Received)
• Wa. County Rap Tax - $8,000.00 (Received)
• Sorensen Foundation - $7399.00 (Received)
• St. George City Rap Tax- $3200.00 (Approved)
  (To be allotted in 4 Quarterly payments in 2021)
• Walmart- $500.00 (Received)
• Beckam-Ashe Foundation - $200.00 (Received)

Pioneer Courthouse Project
• Pioneer Courthouse Project had a great turnout in January when partnering with the Arts to Zion annual Art Studio tour and the wild west shootout put on by the "Lawmen and Muddy River Gang". Historical lectures, musical performances, a city council meeting, DAR book club and Historic St. George Live characters along with numerous board meetings from multiple historical organizations in our county were held throughout the year. Fantastic displays in rotation, a large piano from years ago was donated and returned to its home in the building and over $11,000.00 in grants approved for this project. Overall a great first impression made by us to the city of St. George garnering further support to continue occupancy of their building.

Thanks to each who have given so much time and energy to work on the various projects and committees you have served in. You are greatly appreciated! Although Covid-19 and the civil and societal issues of 2020 had such an impact on all areas of life we were able to adapt well and continue to operate and be productive. It was a great year overall and we look forward to another great year in 2021.