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President's Message

Snow is falling as I start this letter. It must be spring in Utah!

Your UGA board and many other volunteers have remained busy on several worthwhile projects. As a brief update to the president's letter from January of this year, progress continues (on schedule) on our next Guidebook (39 – Geology of South Central Utah) and the "geology road-sign project" on the south slope of the Uintas.

The Third Edition of Guidebook 28 (Geology of Utah's Parks and Monuments) should be going to press soon and should be available to the tourists, geology students and all of you by summer! UGA is planning to produce a third edition CD of Publication 29, the Roads, Trails and Lakes Guide of Utah's Parks and Monuments.

Work has also started by the editors of the 2011 guidebook on the Sevier Orogen and a "Call for Papers" has been issued.

Thanks again to all volunteers that are making so many things happen!

Speaking of dedicated volunteers, it is with mixed emotions that Rebecca Gustin, who has been serving as our treasurer for over 18 months will be leaving our board as she will soon be defending a 2nd Masters Thesis and is contemplating a transfer to California. The board and I have appreciated her dedicated service, insight and good humor over these many months and we wish her the very best in this next chapter of her career and life. Thank you! Tom Faddies is on the lookout for a replacement! Call or email him with your best ideas or submit your own name!

Finally, it is time to consider submitting nominations for the recipient of the 2010 Lehi Hintze Award, given for "Outstanding contribution to the understanding of Utah's geology". If you would like to nominate someone, please contact Rick Allis at the Utah Geological Survey for details.

Have a great May! I hope to see you at the luncheon.

Randy
UGA President

***** **LUNCHEON LOCATION** *****

The May luncheon meeting will be at 12:00 noon, **Monday May 10th**, 2010, at the Utah Department of Natural Resources, 1594 West North Temple. *Enter on south side.*

Please make your reservations (537-3300) no later than 4:00 p.m. on Thursday May 6th.

Click to make reservations for the Luncheon Meeting by sending email to reservations@utahgeology.org.

Lunch at 12:00 noon. Meeting begins at 12:30. Cost: \$10.00 w/ reservations; \$5.00 for students. *Cash or Checks only please.*

