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Joe Maltese Commander 2019-2020



Barry Litsky Adjutant 2019-20

MARCH 11, 2021

General Assembly Meeting Minutes

General Assembly meeting was convened at 1900 hours.

Meeting was opened by Commander Joe Maltese and a quorum was present.

A motion to approve the minutes of the Executive Committee was made by Steve Easton and seconded by Dan Hempsall.

Membership Chairman Bernat provided membership showing us at 195 paid members which is 92.86% of our quota of 210. We are 10th in the district for membership.

Twenty-one new members were unanimously voted in:
Albert Wilson, Jason Boyett, Jonathan McMullen, Daniel Wilson, Larry
Edwards, Johnny Sanland, Scott Stevens, Robert Cunningham, Johnny Gurley,
James Dumphy, Steven Diets, James McConatha, Randall Webb, Wilson
Martinez, James Beardsley, Russel Langel, Leonard Doerler, Allen Merritt,
Kenneth Kirkpatrick, Robert Sutemeir, Sherman Wiliams.

Finance Officer Bernat sent the Post 372 Finance Report report to members via email. A motion to approve the financial report subject to audit was made by Dan Hempsall and seconded by Patricia Patrick.

Executive committee member Karen Tracy reported on the new website. A motion was made and seconded for approving the cost of the new website for a 5 year contract in the amount of \$395.64, which was passed unanimously.

The commander gave a brief on "How to approach the head table and other protocols.

2nd Vice Commander Patricia Patrick gave a briefing on the school medals program.

Executive Committee member Karen Tracey gave a briefing on the ROTC Medals program.

There was no news on the blood drive.

There was discussion on the Firefighter and Police Officer of the Year presentations.

SAL Director Carl Zuber advised that the shooters program is moving forward and that the SAL will work on a new roof for the summer kitchen.

ALR Director Chuck Benham gave a briefing on upcoming events which are posted on the 5th District Website.

Members should help Karen Tracey keep up the calendar of events.

District Commander Troy Horsley is running for Northern Area Commander.

Paul Armbula gave a briefing on the POW/MIA flag for Elks which will cost \$45. A motion to approve the purchase was made by Dan Hempsall and seconded by Steve Easton, which was approved unanimously.

Craig Bernat asked about entertainment for the Fireside Chats in the future.

Dan Hempsall asked about food being served at our meetings. He is now in charge of perusing that option.

The meeting was adjourned at 1955 hours.