



United States Army Warrant Officers Association
FORT LOWELL - APACHE CHAPTER



- MEETING MINUTES -

NOVEMBER 14, 2022

Call to order:

1800 hours by the President. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Bob Ozier gave the Invocation. The Secretary verified a quorum was met.

Secretary's Report:

The September 12, 2022 minutes had been published electronically on October 3rd. Those minutes were reviewed to refresh the attending members' memory.

Treasurer's Report:

As of October 31, 2022 the operating account balance was \$18,854.85.

President's Report:

The president requests chapter members RSVP to the monthly announcement of meeting sent out approximately two weeks prior. This will provide an estimate of the quorum and allow the restaurant to provide appropriate seating and staff.

Vice-President's Report: None

Medals Committee Report:

On behalf of Ron James, the secretary announced that there is a transfer being taken of the medals inventory and communications with the customers and supplier. Donna Dowdney has volunteered her time to master this crucial chapter business.

Unfinished Business:

Members had previously suggested some form of community involvement. Other ideas presented were asking the Southern AZ VA hospital to provide a speaker to address our members and family; visiting the Southern AZ Veterans Home to spend time with those who have no family or friends living in the immediate area.

As a result of working with the local JROTC high schools, we had CW3R Hector Simon join our chapter. He has volunteered the Cholla HS JROTC cadets for any future opportunities to serve. We are contacting the other high school JROTC instructors for their possible involvement.

New Business:

The president opened nominations for the offices of President and Vice President. Nomination of CW5R Scott McKenzie for President was made and seconded. Then a nomination of CW4R Lindy Lindamood for Vice President was made and seconded. There were no other nominations put forward. Nominations were closed and a show of hands was requested for the two nominations. All members present raised their hands in agreement. Congratulations Scott and Lindy. The president asked that the current Treasurer and Secretary be retained in their respective capacities.

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The Christmas party was mentioned and after consideration the date was settled on Saturday, the 17th of December. Lindy and Betty will provide the spiral cut ham. The other attendees will provide side dishes. The secretary will send out a detailed email to all members to solicit RSVPs and side dishes.

Adjournment:

A motion to adjourn was made at 1930 hours, seconded and unanimously accepted.

For the Good of the Order:

We thank Ted Cogut for the opportunity to reconnect with one of the last chapter founders, as well as to meet one of his daughters and her husband.

The next meeting will held December 17th, at the home of Betty and Harold Lindamood, (**address redacted for public version**).

Members Present:

CW2R Ted Cogut
CW2R John Curtis
CW4R Harold Lindamood
CW5R Scott McKenzie
CW4R Bob Ozier
CW2 Chris San Nicolas
CW3R Hector Simon

Guests Present:

Mr. and Mrs. Randy and Pam Bryant
Mrs. Jean Curtis
Mrs. Betty Lindamood
Mrs. Sonja McKenzie
Mrs. Joy Ozier
Mr. and Mrs. Luis and Lisa Zamudio

Total Active Chapter membership = 42; Chapter Member (non-officer) signed proxies = 5

Respectfully Submitted,

CW4R Harold Lindamood
Chapter President

CW2R John Curtis
Secretary