## American Legion Post 250 E-Board Minutes

## Date: 19 July, 2023

Attendance:	Cmdr	хх	1 <sup>st</sup> Vice	xx	2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice	xx
	Finance Off	f xx	Adj	xx	JA	xx
	Chaplin	Ex	SVC Off	xx	SAA	хх
	ASAA	Absnt	Hist	xx	EB 1	хх
	EB 2	xx				
Call to order: 1830hrs						
Adjourn: 2002hrs						
Kevin Greenway gave opening prayer						
Finance Report						
	Beginning Balance:		: \$85,39	97.00		
	Ending Balance		\$75 <b>,</b> 33	18.00		

See attachment 1 for detailed report.

Second Payment for flooring. \$1100.00 spent on baseball. Registration and ins. Discussion was held to explain some parts of the detailed finance report. Russ answered the questions.

Motion was made by Dick Rowe and seconded by Gary Fleming to accept the report as read subject to audit. No discussion. Motion was voted on and passed.

Officer Reports:

1st Vice: Membership is at 18.5%. 102 renewals have been sent in but not recorded yet would bring us up to 29%.

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice: July 22<sup>nd</sup> Celebration of Life for Donnie Morriss and Dwayne Johnson, July 25<sup>th</sup> Powersports Cycle display . July 29<sup>th</sup> fund raiser for family of Tim Westerwell who lost all their belongings in a house fire. August 12 John Henry will be putting on an acoustic music event from 5pm to 8pm. Sept 11 we will have a cake set out and will have a moment of silence when the Sept 11 Ride going out of Post 372 makes their stop here. Time TBD. Planning is in the works for a formal dinner on Mar 11 2024. That is the 105 anniversary of the forming of the American Legion.

Service Officer: Gary gave a detailed description of his duties as the Post Service Officer.

Judge Advocate: (Boys State, JROTC) no report

Historian: Blood Drive July 22<sup>nd</sup> 8am to 11am. Facebook participation is up 1%. Looking into competing news letters. Maybe start advertising on Facebook

Sgt-at- Arms: (Boy Scouts) Some Boy Scouts from Scotland visited our troop. Scouting District has asked us to sponsor a Cub Scout Pack. A motion was Made by George Torrence and seconded by Gary Fleming to sponsor a Cub Scout Pack with meetings being on Tues nights starting at 7:30 pm. Motion voted on and passed.

E-Board: Bill Niemic made a motion that each unit ordered their own food. Motion was tabled because Bill is leaving his position as Kitchen Manager. This will be brought back up when new Kitchen Manager is appointed . Linda Story made a motion that we set up a Angel Tree in Oct to collect donations to give to Fort Grace. Motion was seconded by Dick Rowe. Motion was voted on and passed. Fort Grace is a part of Operation Barnabas.

Disaster Preparedness : Donnie is looking into getting this post becoming a EOC.

Commanders Report: We as a post need to start figuring out how to generate more income. The bingo committee will be meeting wed July 26 to discuss the future of bingo. We will also be looking at the financial situation regarding kitchen. Old Business: A motion was reopened by John Rosenau and seconded by Dick Rowe to buy two 10X30 ft tents for use at the outdoor events held here for no more than \$700.00. Motion was discussed, voted on and passed. The commander stated that we are still seeking funds to purchase a sign identifying this building as American Legion Post 250.

New Business: Russ Kimmy donated a set of flags to replace the ones out at the wall.

Good of the order: The schedule for the event for the Vann Zant bench has been changed from Sept 9 2023 to Apr 6, 2024. A certificate of Appreciation from the Department was received for our participation in taking supplies to the hurricane victims.

Ken White

Dick Rowe

Commander

Adjutant