



Chapter 28 Veterans Memorial

Minutes

November 14, 2017

Rolland Lewis Community Center

1850 Guest Speaker: Tamiko Mueller running for office.

1900 hours Called to order with opening ceremony by Commander Leneave

Guest introduced: Paul Shields donated \$440. Jim Beasley (prospective member)

Officer Roll Call with all officers present or accounted for.

Minutes of previous meeting read, motion to approve by D. Reininger, 2nd by J. McDermott and approved.

Treasurer's Report by S. Ward: motion to approve Treasurer's Report by K. Gatewood, 2nd by J. McDermott and approved.

Bills: S. Ward - \$65 for newspaper ad, motion to pay by D. Reininger, 2nd by J. McDermott and approved. \$1,190.60 for nursing home vets Christmas gifts, motion to pay by G. Tindle, 2nd by M. Peacock and approved.

Sickness and Distress: Betty Buck passed away.

Applications for new members: None.

New members: George Tindle transfer to Chapter 28 complete.

Communication: H. Leneave read letter regarding Springfield office location change, motion to support move by G. Tindle, 2nd by J. McDermott and approved.

K. Gatewood summarized letter regarding new van purchase. After discussion, G. Tindle motioned to not purchase additional vans in 2018, 2nd by J. Tobin and approved.

Gatewood read letter explaining per capita dues payment release early.

Committee report: S. Foster said she will ask for volunteers at next gathering for nursing home gifts. No meeting next month, Christmas dinner will be at Ryan's next meeting date

Old Business: none

New Business: S. Ward announced new transportation coordinator Bonnie Wilkins replaced Ward with pay.

M. Peacock suggested we lobby for increased dental coverage. G. Tindle explained that there are other conditions that qualify a vet for dental coverage.

Good of the Order: S. Ward announced Dr. Neal working on wish list for vets. I-tunes is desired by some vets.

S. Foster said she has a vet friend that passed away but no money for burial.

Motion to Adjourn by J. McDermott, 2nd by R. Scott, closing ceremony and adjourned at 1944 hours.

Minutes by Kevin Gatewood, Adjutant