

Retired Firemen's Association April 1, 2024 Minutes

President Partridge called the meeting to order at 11:00 Hrs.

President Partridge read the names of the recently deceased:

John O. Lewis 2-13-24

James H. Whitley 2-13-24

Samuel Malachi Jr. 3-16-24

Edward S. Garvis 3-25-24

Non Member

Larry (Hap) Schneider

Eric McComas Active (E-21)

President Report :

President Partridge made mention of the following topics the 2025 Florida Reunion.

The 2024 Membership Book

Committee Report

Constitution and By-Laws

Annuity

Honor Guard

Committee Assignments: None to report.

Secretary's Report:

The minutes from the February 5th meeting were read motioned 2nd & accepted.

Treasurer's Report:

The finance report was read motioned 2nd & accepted.

1st Vice President Report:

To this date there are 117 members who still have not paid their 2024 dues and letters and emails were sent out asking for payment. Since the last meeting there have been 4 new members who have joined.

Membership Report:

Please update any new information for the book when paying your 2024 dues.

New Members:

Rudy Doering Ret. 12-22 Capt. E-28

Charles Lisko Ret. 5-20-23 Foam Unit Tech.

Stanley Hicks Ret. 3-23-24 DFC Sgt./ Aide

Mark Baker Ret. UKN at this time EMS-4-3 plt.

No deadbeat report:

1st meeting attendees:

Charles Lisko Foam Unit Tech.

Sick List: 2nd Vice President Chuck Buckley

F/F Jeffery Brown Ret. E-26 Tech suffered a heart attack 2-25-24 is home from the hospital resting.

Wally Denninson was released from the hospital and is home resting.

Annuity Committee: No report.

Local 36: Butch Oliff

Brother Oliff Updated the membership on the current apparatus status and made a mention that monies were being provided for the purchase of ten (10) new wagons and that the department is still dealing with some malfunctions of some of the new ladder trucks.

New Business: None

Old Business:

Good of the Order:

Dan Hernandez From the DCRB was present to answer retirees questions and give updates on retirees issues.

Amy Mauro was present to give the membership an update and presentation on the Fire & EMS Foundation Pictorial History Project.

Good of the Order: Update on the 2025 Florida Reunion will be held, unfortunately on Easter weekend of 2025, due to facility availability.

Brother O'NEIL made a mention of changing the honor guard Lockrow uniform President Partridge stated that it would be taken into consideration and brought before the membership for discussion and consideration.

Total Attendance: 16

Meeting Adjourned at 11:40 Hrs.

Respectfully Submitted

Jerome Draper
Secretary