

MINUTES OF THE 5th DISTRICT, DEPARTMENT OF TEXAS, 23 AUGUST 2015

Called to order at 1400. Opening ceremonies held.

All officers present with exception of open Vice Commander.

Posts present: 23 275 292 453 507 597 802 81 111

Quorum present.

Bill Craig made motion to dispense with business in order to elect Vice Commander. 2nd by Gary Smith – motion passed. Ronnie Jones nominated by Bill Craig and was only nominee. Elected by acclamation.

Bill Craig made motion to dispense with reading of minutes and accept as posted on website. Jeff Perkins 2nd and motion passed.

Finance report: Jeff Perkins made motion to accept report as printed, Dennis Snow 2nd, motion passed.

Committee Reports:

Membership. 7th place in dept. 3rd in Div. 5th district now in last place. 50% deadline for next month. Collected \$7 from attendees who did not have applications on hand.

5.00 increase in dues. PUFL on line only. Jeff Perkins- 5 years \$33million in bank. Retention a problem. Pay dues before Jan 18. Then rates go up. Dec 31 100% = \$1 per member rebate.

Old business. None.

New business. None

Good of legion: Tom Arista discussed SAL commitment to assist Legion.

Gary Smith discussed the Oratorical contest, let schools know now. Oct 24 next convention at Post 424. Jeff Perkins discussed the impending \$5.00 increase in dues at National and recommended pushing PUFL membership with discounted rates signed off by Post Adjutants or Commanders.

Closing Ceremonies held at 3:15.

District Commander

District Adjutant