

**American Legion  
Jeremy E. Ray Post 324  
Jersey Village, TX**

**August 14, 2022  
Regular Meeting – Minutes**

Commander Stefanie Otto called the meeting to order at 1600 hours. There were 10 officers present:

Commander Stefanie Otto  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice Commander David Pyke  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commander Bill Brown – absent  
Adjutant Larry Dick  
Service Officer Bill Brown – absent  
Finance Officer Jimmy Baughman  
Sgt-at-Arms Wayne Huebner  
Judge Advocate Trey Pryor  
Chaplin Richard Ater  
Historian Robert Howard

And 13 other members for a total of 23 and 9 visitors. A quorum was met and the meeting continued.

**Minutes:**

Adjutant Larry Dick read the minutes from the July minutes. Donna McCarty made a motion to accept the minutes and it was seconded by Bill Brown. Motion passed and was approved by membership.

**Finance Report:**

Finance Officer Jimmy Baughman reported we have total funds of \$9,642.49 for August 1, 2022. Motion to accept the finance report pending further audit was made by Bob Riley and seconded by Jerry Roberts. Motion passed and was approved by membership.

Commander Otto introduced the two Boy's State attendees Aadil Nathani and Ryan Georgian to talk about their time at Boy's State. We also had Denise Steidl and Wayne Keen from Dignity to talk about burial information for veterans.

**Committees**

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Bill Brown spoke about the Boy Scouts Pack that is now part of our Post and how excited these kids were.

Service Officer Bill Brown discussed being able to schedule a veteran's appointment in 10 minutes.

Historian Robert Howard talked about getting veteran's history by writing their information to Robert.

### **Old Business**

Commander mentioned that Cy-Hope is our 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter charity. It is also mentioned that next year we will be doing a school supplies drive for CyFair students.

### **New Business**

District Fall Convention is October 8<sup>th</sup> at Tomball Post 127. Wayne Huebner made a motion for full page add \$100 and Donna McCarty seconded the motion. Motion passed and was approved by membership.

Commander noted that National has increased their dues to \$40 for the State. We are looking to see whether or not we raise our Post dues and or due 1 or 2 fund raiser.

We will be going to join the Veteran's Day Parade.

Commander mentioned that we had an Executive Committee Meeting earlier about emergency veteran issues needing food for \$100. Finance Officer is creating a line item for five issues (\$500) for the year. David Pyke motioned to set aside \$500 for the year and Jerry Roberts seconded the motion. Motion passed and was approved by membership.

Salute to our Heroes asking for ad \$275. Bill Brown motioned for the \$275 and was seconded by Eugene Denham and motion. Motion passed and was approved by the membership.

Commander presented award to Wayne Huebner for VA/VS 2022 Volunteer of the Year.

### **Adjourn:**

There being no other business the meeting was adjourned at approximately 1735 hours. Our next scheduled meeting will be on Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at VFW 8905 on Hwy 290 next to Carl's BBQ.

Respectfully Submitted:  
Larry Dick, Adjutant