



## **Richard A. Oman, American Legion Post 302**

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### **Meeting Agenda & Minutes 06/24/24 Time Meeting Called to Order: 1911**

#### **Opening Prayer / Pledge of Allegiance / Preamble to Our Constitution**

#### **Introduction of Guests/New Members:**

- John Aldaya- owner of the location we are using tonight, He is also a USMC Veteran
- Hutto Mayor Mike Snyder: planning to speak to us is

#### **Guests may leave at this point**

#### **Roll Call:**

- Commander: Ed Wrinkle (**Present**)
- 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Commander: Melissa Sosa (**Not Present**)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commander: Isrrael Quintero (**Present**)
- Adjutant: Marty Ellman (**Present**)
- Finance Officer: Tim Thompson - (**Not Present**)
- Judge Advocate: Ben Town (**Present**)
- Service Officer: George Willey (**Present**)
- Post Historian: Alfred Carter (**Not Present**)
- Chaplain: John Teseeyman (**Present**)
- Programs and Public Relations Officer -Will Williams (**Not Present**)
- Member-At-Large: Tony Gaitan (**Present**)
- Member-At-Large: Jose Campa (**Present**)
- Sergeant-At-Arms: Ed Morgan (**Not Present**)
- Sergeant-At-Arms: Daniel Castro (**Not Present**)

#### **Members:**

- Total Number of Attendees: **11**

#### **Prospects:**

- Total Number of Attendees: **2**

## **Reading of Minutes from Previous Meeting (Post Historian Alfred Carter)**

- Motion made by: **Marty Ellman**
- Motion seconded by: **Tony Gaitan**
- Discussion: **passing this section due to absent of our Historian**
- Vote Tally: **13**

## **Reports**

- Commander -Updates
  - Post is coming along. We need volunteers to help organize items on the racks.
- Finance Officer -Tim Thompson
  - Monthly Finance Report
    - Motion made by: **John Teseeyman**
    - 2nd by: **Marty Ellman**
    - Discussion: **Ed Wrinkle present the Finance Report**
    - Vote Tally: **13**
- Additional Officer Reports
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Commander - Melissa Sosa (**Absent**)
    - Duffel Bag and Membership:
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commander -Israel Quintero
    - Website and Social Media
  - Adjutant -Marty Ellman.
    - Membership and Dues:
  - Service Officer -George Willy
    - VA Assistance and Boys/Girls State
    - **Helping a veteran in needs (\$200)**
      - Motion made by: **John Teseeyman**
      - 2nd by: **Kevin Dwyer**
      - Discussion: **John Teseeyman, Ed Wrinkle and Israel Quintero will meet with the veteran to check on his situation and to offer the a check of \$200**
      - Vote Tally: **13**
  - Post Chaplain - John Tesseyman

- Sick Call, Relief, Employment
- Programs and Public Relations -Will Williams
  - Sponsorships and Public Information/Advertisement
- Members-at -Large -Tony Gaitan and Jose Campa
  - Other Information, Concerns, or Complaints from Members

## Old Business

- Duffel Bag
  - Scheduled to resume Sunday, August 11 from 1320-1530.
  - Need to start advertising this on start date on Website/Social Media
  - Volunteers show up at 1130 for set-up
  - Executive Meeting Afterwards
- Post Membership Dues are increasing to \$50.00 in July
  - National raising their dues to \$45.00
  - Executive Committee Approved increase
- Check from Golf Tournament will be given September 13
  - We will need representatives for the picture
- Next Quarterly Report for Passenger Van
  - Due July 31
  - Need to use the van

## New Business:

- Inez Davis Funeral
  - July 1 at 1100 King-Tears Mortuary in Austin
  - Graveside is at 1300 Central Texas State University in Killeen
  - Need List of Members Attending. We can use passenger van
  - Flowers and requested \$1,200 check for Lisa Rhodes to assist with expenses in moving Inez's items/Cleaning house
    - Motion Made by: **Marty Ellman**
    - Motion Seconded by: **Ben Town**
    - Discussion: **We decided to offer her \$200 or flowers**
    - Vote Tally: **13**
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- State Convention is July 9-14
  - Daniel Castro and Rhonda Garza are our Representatives

- Need the CPR and CSR completed and sent in by July 1
- July 4th Round Rock Parade
  - Will Williams has our Post Entered and Pass out Water
  - Parade is in the Morning
  - **Volunteer:**
    - **Van - Ed Wrinkle and Tony Gaitan**
    - **Mini Bikes - Jose Campa and need one more**
- Round Rock Chamber of Commerce
  - Asked us to join. Dues are \$175.00
  - Will Williams can do more for our Post in grants if we are members
  - Nothing in Constitution or By-laws about being members of two Chambers
    - Motion Made by: **Marty Ellman**
    - Motion Seconded by: **John Teseeyman**
    - Discussion: **We move this discuss for next month meeting**
    - Vote Tally: **13**
- Other:
  - Underwater Stress Reduction and Relaxation (<https://www.heroesbelow.org/>)
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**Closing Prayer / Commander's Charge:**

**Meeting Adjourned at: 2036**

**Minutes Completed By: Isrrael Quintero**