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Meeting Agenda & Minutes 09/23/24 Time Meeting Called to Order: 1902

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

**Introduction of Guests/New Members:** 

# Guests may leave at this point

#### **Roll Call:**

- Commander: Ed Wrinkle (Present)
- 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Commander: Melissa Sosa (Absent)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commander: Isrrael Quintero (Present)
- Adjutant: Marty Ellman (Present)
- Finance Officer: Tim Thompson (Present)
- Judge Advocate: Ben Town (Absent)
- Service Officer: George Willey (Present)
- Post Historian: Alfred Carter (Absent)
- Chaplain: John Teseeyman (Present)
- Programs and Public Relations Officer -Will Williams -(Absent)
- Member-At-Large: Tony Gaitan (Present)
- Member-At-Large: Jose Campa (Present)
- Sergeant-At-Arms: Ed Morgan (Absent)
- Sergeant-At-Arms: Daniel Castro (Present)

#### Members:

- Total Officers: 9
- Total Members: 5
- Total Number of Attendees: 14

Prospects:

• Total Number of Attendees: 0

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

• Motion made by: Timothy Thompson

- Motion seconded by:Isrrael Quintero
- Discussion:
- Vote Tally:14

### Reports

- <u>Commander</u> -Updates
  - Hutto HEB Updating Hippo-Need Paver : Ed Wrinkle will be sending information out.
  - Need to pay membership dues if you have not yet.
- <u>Finance Officer -Tim Thompson</u> o Monthly Finance Report
  - Motion made by: Daniel Castro
  - 2nd by: Isrrael Quintero
  - Discussion: To Accept Finance Report
  - Vote Tally: 14
- Additional Officer Reports
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Commander Melissa Sosa
    - Duffel Bag and Membership:
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commander -Isrrael Quintero
    - Website and Social Media
  - Adjutant -Marty Ellman.
    - Membership and Dues:
  - Service Officer -George Willy
    - VA Assistance and Boys/Girls State
  - Post Chaplain John Tesseyman
    - Sick Call, Relief, Employment (Ed Morgan is doing better still in wheelchair and neck brace. John Tessyman had some medical issues and was checked out by a doctor. He is getting his cochlear installed in his right ear soon.)
  - Programs and Public Relations -Will Williams
    - Sponsorships and Public Information/Advertisement
  - Members-at -Large -Tony Gaitan and Jose Campa (Williamson County

Victims Unit is looking for assistance in bedding for Victims.)

• Other Information, Concerns, or Complaints from Members

### **Old Business**

- Duffel Bag
  - Sunday, October 20th from 1320-1530.
  - Duffel Bag Regulars Sign-up is the Friday before the event. There is a countdown clock on the website.
  - Volunteers show up by 1100 for set-up or as soon as you can get there after Church.
  - There <u>will be</u> an Executive Meeting Afterwards

# • Hutto Old Tyme Days is Saturday, October 12

- Booth placement possible providing there are volunteers
- Cost is \$125.00 for our space
- Need Person to lead Point and will need volunteers to man the booth if we do it.

# (John Aldaya offered to let us set up stuff at his booth)

### New Business:

- Flag Retirement Ceremony
  - October 18 @ 1900 Adam-Orgain Park (Double Check if the Fire department is going to be there.)
  - Informal Dress because of fire/smoke (Volunteers Faith, Ed Wrinkle, Jose, Terry)
- OP VetFest is Back!
  - November 9th 1100-1600 at San Gabriel Park, Georgetown ( Arrive at 0900 for loading of vans and time to transport to location.)
  - OP Veteran is partnering with the Georgetown Rotary Club and Field of Honor
  - $\circ$  No cost for our booth. We need volunteers to help with this.
- Trail of Treats at Adam-Orgain Park Sat. Oct. 26 @ 1730 (Volunteers Tony, Daniel, Isrrael Quintero)
- Veterans Survey Results
  - Awareness Push for Permanent Facility or Community Center
  - Will be Speaking at Hutto Council Meeting

• Other: (Survey was done in order to show the city council what the members of the American Legion is in need of and would like to see in Hutto.)

The Good of the American Legion / Closing Prayer / Commander's Charge:

Meeting Adjourned at: 2026 Minutes Completed By: Timothy Thompson