AMERICAN LEGION

T/SGT Jack D Levy Post No. 573

Harker Heights, Texas

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MINUTES

May 10, 2025

1. **MEETING CALLED TO ORDER at 10:00am**

2. **Administrative Items:**
   - Flags: Completed
   - Prayer: Completed
   - Preamble: Completed
   - Drape / Un-Drape Charter: NA

3. **Roll Call:**
   - Attendance is as follows:

Position	Name	Present	Virtual	Excused	Absent
Commander		O			
1st Vice Commander	James	X			
2nd Vice Commander	CJ	X			
Adjutant				X	
Finance Officer	Sonja	X			
Hubmaster		NA	NA	NA	NA
Service Officer	Carl	NA	NA	NA	NA
Chaplain	Pete	X			
Judge Advocate	Rick			X	
Historian				X	
Sergeant-At-Arms	Clark			X	
House Committee 1 (Canteen)	Jimmy			x	
House Committee 2 (Building)				X	
House Committee 3 (Inventory)		X			
House Committee 4 (Grounds)		X			
	Total Officers	**6**	**0**	**6**	**0**
Per Post By-Laws, Art. VIII, Sec. 8, a Quorum is 4 members in good standing present not to include the Commander					
(O) = Commander, No Vote; (U) = Unofficial Capacity, No Vote					
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   - With seven (7) officers present, six (6) officers excused, zero (0) officer absent, seventy five (75) members present, there was a quorum to proceed.

- Meeting attendance included: N/A

4. **Previous meeting minutes:**
   - The minutes of the previous executive board were read by Sonja Skinner. Motion made by Tim Knowles to accept the minutes as read, Seconded by John Footman.
   - 1st Vice:
     - Thirty-Three (33) new members to be voted in- motion made by Will Duvall to accept the new members; seconded by John Footman, motion carried. Total membership is 1272 members, 178% of goal.
   - 2nd Vice:
     - There will be a Mother's Day celebration today.
     - Arms Forces Day Rally is 17 May.
     - Memorial Day celebration will be 24 May Noon to $PM.
   - Adjutant: Nothing to report
   - Finance:
     - Sonja Skinner read the Finance report- Accounts- $1,006,132.48, LPL- $87,765.16 Comp/QOH- $6,763.00, QoH winner would receive $5,331.50. Overall accounts total $1,0100,660.64. Motion made by Ken Toth to accept Finance report as read, pending audit. 2nd by Derrick Roseman, Motion carried.
   - Chaplain: David Shultz passed away. We will drape the charter at the June Meeting
   - Judge Advocate: Nothing to report
   - Historian: Nothing to report
   - Sergeant-At-Arms: Nothing to report
   - House 1: Nothing to report
     - Bar Manager: Nothing to report
   - House 2: Nothing to report
   - House 3: Nothing to report
   - House 4: Nothing to report
   - Service Officer: They went to training. No Veterans were seen.
5. **Other Reports:**
   - Auxiliary: Nothing to report
   - Riders: Nothing to report
   - SAL: Nothing to report

6. **Old Business:**

7. **New Business:**

8. **Good of the Legion:**
   BBQ cookoff contests starting 2 June with 4 teams.
   James Finley, acting commander, stated that cigar and pipe smoking will need to be done outside due to the current system not being equipped to clear the heavy smoke that they produce.
   A member asked if minors are allowed to drink with patent. Discussion was held.

   Meeting Adjourned at 10:50 am

ATTESTED TO BY: APPROVED BY:

Jay Lyn Bush *Ray Cote*

Jay Bush
Post Adjutant

Ray Cote
Post Commander

Date approved by General Membership:_____