



Post 55, Laguna – Elk Grove EXEC Meeting Minutes

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Meeting ID: 916 240 9302 Passcode: 537644

Wednesday, January 18, 2023

Present:	Commander - Larry Sahota	Adjutant - Arlene Salvador
(*Excused)	1st Vice Commander – Gary Evans	Judge Advocate – Wes Bullard
	2 nd Vice Commander – Brent Kone	Chaplain – Paul Copsey*
	3rd Vice Commander – Frank Georingher*	Veterans Service Officer – Albert Reives*
	Finance Officer (Acting) - Mike Retzlaff	Historian – Janis Gannaway*
	Sergeant at Arms – Robert Dreyer	Web – Jack Edwards
	<u>Members at Large</u>	<u>Hall Board</u>
	3 yr – Wes Bullard	3 yr – Wes Bullard
	2 yr – Robert Bullock	2 yr – Paul Copsey*
	1 yr – Derrick Tucker*	1 yr – Jack Edwards
Next meetings:	Executive Meeting	General Meeting
	Wednesday, February 15, 2022 at 7pm	Wednesday, February , 2022 at 7pm
	Elk Grove Veterans Memorial Hall,	Elk Grove Veterans Memorial Hall,
	8230 Civic Center DR, Elk Grove CA 95657	8230 Civic Center DR, Elk Grove CA 95657

1. Meeting started at 6:35p / Post Members present: 10, Zoom: 5

2. Quorum

Roll called & quorum established

3. Meeting Minutes

Available upon request – posted on website

4. Guests

None

5. Officers Reports

1. Four Chaplains Ceremony (Chaplain Copsey): Feb 4 (10am) Carlton Senior Living, Elk Grove
2. Fundraiser (M. Ratzlaff, R. Bullock, W. Bullard) : Date set for March 24 (TBD), D56 parking lot, drive-through
3. Website (J. Edwards): Site development in progress, Government documents in process for incorporation.
4. Facebook (F. Goehringer): Site development in progress, check out the site
5. Membership (G. Evans): over 50 members are listed for Post 55

6. Finance Report (L. Sahota): Report available upon request
7. Commander's Report (L. Sahota) : Items to be ordered for Post once more funds are available.

6. Unfinished or New Business/Correspondence:

- Finance Officer, Second Round: J. Edwards was nominated and M. Ratzlaff declined.
- Installation of Officers (Feb): District 6, 1st Vice Commander Paul Reyes & Finance Officer Sylvia Thweatt will be present to do the ceremony next meeting
- Motion made to continue to use the Elk Grove Veterans Memorial Hall area for Post 55 meetings. This will be brought to the General Meeting for approval. Motion was made & seconded.
- Buddy Checks: Commander recommended to the 1st Vice Commander that as a part of membership that we initiate these events at least twice a year. This is a work in progress.

7. Good of the Legion.

- Pancake Breakfast by the Lions/Boy Scouts: Gil Albani Recreation Center on Saturday, January 14, 2023. It was well attended. Commander mentioned that the Post Social Breakfast be held at this location. Request for a tip jar made available for future breakfast events.
- Mental Health Day-Family Day (April 29th): This event is to support the VA's mission for Mental Health for all veterans even though they are not in the VA system. More details to follow.
- Donations from folks being received, thank you cards to be purchased to acknowledge their generosity.

8. Audio meeting (digital) to be done on future meetings.

9. Meeting adjourned at 7:55pm

NEXT EXECUTIVE MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, February 15, 2023

TIME: 1900 (7:00PM)

LOCATION: Veterans Hall – Elk Grove, 8230 Civic Center DR, STE 160, Elk Grove, CA 95757

Respectfully submitted,

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