

## RFA January 7, 2019 Minutes

President Scherer called the meeting to order at 11:01

President Scherer read the names of the recently deceased:

Jack Orange, E-28 12/14/18 and Raymond Johnson E-15 12/16/18

President Scherer updated the Sick List:

John Grolig, Broken Hip at Collingswood Rehab, Bill Taylor, Broken Hip at Mt Vernon Hospital and Z. K. Roberts, Cancer.

The Minutes from the December meeting were read and accepted.

Treasurer Healy submitted the Treasurers report and it was accepted.

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President Ventura presented the New Membership report:

Jason Grabowski, Paul Schaeffer and Arron Hazel  
Dues letters are in the mail.

Annuity Committee: 2 individuals were still having issues. 1 has been repaid with interest while 1 is still being processed.

Local 36: President Hudson reported that members are still tightening up the new building. Apparatus funding is being elevated. The 20-year anniversary of Cherry Road fire coming up May 30 and John Williams Box Alarm dedication is scheduled for May 29. Retirees that are covered under DC ONLY benefits are to contact Local 36 for calculation assistance.

FFA Museum: Jim Embry reported 1178 visitors toured the museum in 2018

New Business: A motion was made and passed to donate \$500 to the GoFundMe Me account for Jimmy Soderburg.

Old Business: Florida Reunion is March 29,30,31 2019.

Good of the Order:

Local 36 dues are \$85 this year.

There is a new luncheon on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month in Chambersburg PA.

There will NO St Patrick's Day Parade nor Emerald Society Party this year due to parade funding issues.

President Scherer read a letter from the widow of Jerry Tassa to the membership.

Both Verizon and T-Mobile are offering discounts on mobile phone services to our members.

Hometown Heroes Act is in committee seeking to add retired DC Firefighters to the law's language.

Meeting adjourned at 11:52

Total Attendance: 38

Respectfully Submitted:

J Partridge  
Secretary