Retired Firemen's Association November 1, 2021 Minutes

President Scherer called the meeting to order at 11:06

President Scherer read the names of the recently deceased:

James Evans FPD, Louis Goodson FPD, Non-Member Doug Wynkoop & Non-Member Richard Sanderson

President Scherer updated the Sick List:

Cash McCall back surgery. 2nd VP Bill Buckley Bladder Cancer

The Minutes from the October 4th meeting were read and accepted.

Treasurer Healy submitted the Treasurers report and it was accepted.

President Scherer presented the New Membership report:

Mike Fulcher T-13, Pat Boone RS-1 7 Robert Leland E-7

1st Meeting: None

Annuity Committee: No new news pass along

Local 36: Butch Oliff Local 36 is dealing with the list of COVID religious exemptions filed. Promotions are still and issue. There have been 2 special meetings regarding those topics.

FFA Museum: No report

New Business:

New Maryland Senate Bill S-573. Which is basically upgrading the current Hometown Heroes Act to increase the tax exemption from its current level to 100% of pension income received. The bill is in committee at this time.

Please call or write your pertinent State Senator and Delegate to request that vote in favor of this bill.

Old Business:

The By-Law change regarding removing the elected DC Retired Fireman's representative from the Executive Board was adopted by the body by a unanimous vote Yea 17 Nay 0.

Executive Board Election nominations for the Position of President, 2nd Vice President and Secretary were presented. All current members of the Executive board in said positions are currently running un-opposed.

Good of the Order:

Joe Rainwater gave all pertinent information regard the 2022 Florida Reunion. April 22, 23 & 24 of 2022. To be held in Punta Gorda Florida at the same location. \$119.00 per night, \$90.00 per person fee for Hospitality Room, Dinner/Dance and breakfast on the 24th. Use Code DC1416 while reserving your room. Official flyer will be posted soon.

President Scherer spoke about delays in spousal benefits and the high rate of turnover at the DCRB. He reminded all members to have their affairs in order as best they can, just in case.

Total Attendance: 17

Meeting Adjourned at 11:49

Respectfully Submitted:

J Partridge

Secretary