

Fraternal Order of Police
Crescent City Lodge #2
Meeting – Tuesday, October 9, 2018
7:00 p.m.
Minutes

Call to Order by President Walter Powers – 7:01 p.m.

Opening Prayer by Chaplin Pete Menkiewicz

Roll Call of Officers by 1st Vice President Chris Landry

14 Present
1 Absent
1 Authorized Absences (Bourgeois)

Minutes of Previous Meeting

Motion to dispense with the reading of the previous minutes by John Meehan.
Motion seconded by Kenny Dupaquier.
Motion carried.

Recognition of Guests by President Walter Powers

Jennifer Guillot Womble – candidate for Jefferson Parish Juvenile Court Judge

Communications by Jim Gallagher

- Letter to Vernia Villneurve, wife of Lester Villneurve, Jr., providing FOP Insurance Death Benefit.
- Letter to Margaret Breazeale, wife of Norman Breazeale, Jr., providing FOP Insurance Death Benefit.
- Letter to James L. Webb, son of James L. Webb, Jr., providing FOP Insurance Death Benefit.
- Letter to Catherine Alesich, daughter of John Alesich, Jr., providing FOP Insurance Death Benefit.
- Letter to Taylor Stevens, fiance of Ricardo Silva, Jr., providing FOP Insurance Death Benefit.
- Letter to Joyce Steib, wife of Henry Steib, providing FOP Insurance Death Benefit.

- Letter to John & Sylvia Fields in appreciation for donation of \$100 to the LA FOP Foundation.
- Letter to Leslie Bonano in appreciation for donation of \$100 to the LA FOP Foundation.
- Letter to Claire Olsen Reilly in appreciation for the donation of \$25 to Easter Seals Louisiana.
- Letter to recipients of FOP scholarships:
 - Officer Shacretta Pearson
 - Officer Ranada Blackman
 - Officer Alisha Henderson
 - Claire Fontenot – granddaughter of Donald Civello
 - Abbie Wertz – granddaughter of Paul Wertz, Sr.
 - Mason Oubre – grandson of Gerald Heirsch
 - Steven Roshto, III – son of Steven Roshto, Jr.

New Member Applications by Jim Gallagher

The following individuals have applied for membership in the Crescent City Lodge #2:

1. Darien Crochet – NOPD Academy Class 183
2. Gabrielle Lewis – NOPD Academy Class 183
3. Steven Friedrich – NOPD Academy Class 183
4. Adrian Brown – Constable; Retired LA State Police

Motion to accept new members by Ira Austin.
 Motion seconded by Kenny Dupaquier.
 Motion carried.

Attendance – Inner Guard Lucien Sunseri

105 members present.

Reports of Officers

President's Report – Walter Powers

- No report

1st Vice President's Report – Chris Landry

- St. Baldrick's Foundation fundraiser – Sunday, March 24, 2019
- MPERS meeting in New Orleans

2nd Vice President's Report – Bobby Lampard

- No report

Financial Report – Secretary-Treasurer James Gallagher

Report submitted.

Motion to accept Treasurer's Report by Lounis Penn.

Motion seconded by Gary Gremillion.

Motion carried.

Report Recap:

Regions Checking Account	\$140,368.51
LAFOP Foundation Account	\$ 23,171.59
Total Cash Assets	\$163,540.10

Fund Balances as of September 30, 2018:

General Fund	\$ 83,494.48
Legal Fund	\$(227,910.98)
Delegate Fund	\$ 49,454.81
Death Benefit Fund	\$ 50,000.00
Building Fund	\$ 208,501.79
Total Fund Balances	\$ 163,540.10

Full Financial Report is attached to this document.

Trustee Report – David Lentz

- No report

State Trustee – Billy Roth

- No report

Committee Reports

Election Committee – Harold Hand

- Election to be held on Monday, November 12, 2018 from 7am – 6pm

Legislative Committee – Jim Gallagher

- Discussion of email about Social Security Fairness Act

Legal Committee – Claude Schlesinger

- Discussion on September meeting that was held in New Orleans.
- Additional discussion by Larry Reech and Major Ray Burkart

New Business

- *President Walter Powers*

Motion by President Powers to make a \$500 donation to Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Motion seconded by David Trahan.

Motion carried.

- *Raymond Genovese*

Crescent City Lodge Meeting in December will be held again in Cabrini High School Cafeteria.

- *Trustee Willie Jenkins*

Conveyed thanks on behalf of all the active police officers who are members of our Lodge for all the retired members who donate to the FOP Family Fund.

Old Business

None.

Good of the Order

50/50 Raffle

Winner # 5172033 by Gary Gremillion -- \$110.00

Lodge Share -- \$111.00

Closing Prayer by Chaplain Pete Menkiewicz

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Jim Gallagher.

Motion seconded by Chris Landry.

Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Chris Landry
Acting Recording Secretary
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