

Fraternal Order of Police Crescent City Lodge #2

Meeting – Tuesday, February 11, 2020
7:00 p.m.

Minutes

Call to Order by President Walter Powers – 7:04 p.m.

Opening Prayer by Chaplain Pete Menkiewicz

Roll Call of Officers

13 Present
1 Absent (Lentz)
1 Excused (Gallagher)

Reading of previous meetings minutes

Motion to dispense with the reading of the previous minutes and approve them as published by John Meehan.
Motion seconded by Gary Dewey.
Motion carried.

Correspondence

The lodge received thank you letters from Grace Fourmaux and Brady Haag, both recent scholarship recipients.

New Members

The following individual has applied for membership in Crescent City Lodge #2:

Anthony Graffeo Retired NOPD and LSP

Motion to accept new member by Pete Menkiewicz.
Motion seconded by Pearla Gibbs.
Motion carried.

Anthony Graffeo was sworn in by Gus Krinke.

Officer/Committee Reports

President's Report – Walter Powers

Brother Powers recapped his attendance at the FOP Leadership Matters training recently held in Nashville.

First Vice President's Report – Christopher Landry

Brother Landry advised that he also attended Leadership Matters as well as the First FOP Wellness Summit. He also discussed the upcoming St. Baldrick's Foundation fundraiser.

Financial Report

Motion to waive the Financial Report by Ross Bourgeois.
Motion seconded by Gary Gremillion.
Motion carried.

Legal Report – Claude Schlesinger

Brother Schlesinger advised that the millage checks have been mailed. There is also a list of people that cannot be located. Please let us know if you have contact information for anyone who was unable to be contacted.

Retirement Committee – Larry Reech

Brother Reech advised the age for mandatory withdrawals of DROP accounts has been raised from 70 ½ to 72.

New Business

None.

Old Business

None.

Good of the Order

50/50 Raffle

Winner (#3011291) Jessie Farmer -- \$87.00

Lodge share -- \$88.00

President Powers acknowledged Hilton Stein and Lucian Sunseri for their special birthdays in the month of February.

Announcement – Pinnacle Security is hiring retired, reserve, or other POST certified LEOs for federal prisoner transportation or hospital security at a rate of \$25/hour. Please contact Brother Tony Graffeo for more information at 504-444-3100.

Attendance

101 members present

Membership roster is attached to this document.

Closing Prayer by Chaplain Pete Menkiewicz

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Susan Graham.

Motion seconded by Bobby Gostl.

Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Ross J. Bourgeois
Recording Secretary
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