

Hernando Co Amateur Radio Association

Meeting of January 11, 2024 Minutes

Recorded by: Ron Wright, N9EE, Secretary

Meeting opened by Tim, WB0YSX club president at 1930 hr.

Attending: 13 members, 7 guest

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Prayer Carol.

Reading of November 9, 2023 and December 14, 2023 meeting minutes, Ron, N9EE, approved as read.

Treasure Report: John, KJ4OTM, Total Assets: \$26,126.63, approved as read.

Web Site: Tim, WB0YSX, all working fine. Contact Tim for any changes.

Repeater: Tim, WB0YSX, All working. Will consider vote of club members for putting the repeaters in tone mode. Do need more filtering on the 2m repeater.

Sunshine Fund: Carol, if know of any notices to be sent see Carol.

Old Business: Jim, K8JK gave presentation on him running for North Florida Section Manager. He was Section Manager of Michigan. Voting will be in May and the office will start in July, 2024.

Walter Dudley, AE6A of nomination committee presided over the elections of 2024 club officers with John, KJ4OTM to verify 2023 club members for voting for club officers. Only office with more than one candidate was for President, candidates Gaetano (Tim) Fida, WB0YSX and Thomas Bentley, W1HFR. Other offices taken of Vice President, Darin Defilippo, KM4RWL, Secretary, Ron Wright, N9EE and Treasurer, John Edmond, KJ4OTM.

Votes were submitted by written ballot. Voting for president counted by Darin, KM4RWL, Ron, N9EE and Walt, AE6A. Tim was elected as club 2024 president. Tom gracefully congratulated Tim as other club members also did.

New Business: Winter Field Day, January 27 & 28 at Sand Hill Scout Reservation. Will have EOC trailer. Will have 3 stations, 2 voice and 1 digital. Members can bring motor homes. Will have breakfast at Bigins and go to the site for set up. Will be on the air at 2PM Saturday, but be at the reservation by 8:30 AM. Will use club call, K4BKV.

Darin announced fund drive breakfast at Ridge Manor February 10th, 7 to 11 AM. Will invite Sheriff and deputies.

Meeting adjourned: 2024 hrs. Program: none