

POST #216 Ernest F. Oldenburg, The American Legion, 510 West Commerce Road, Milford, MI 48381 www.milfordlegion216.org

# Adjutant Notes – Regular Membership Meeting – Milford POST 216

Commander Puente called the meeting to order at 19:00 Tuesday 18-Oct-2011

### **Opening Ceremonies observed.**

Title	Name	Present	Excused	Absent	
Commander	Tony Puente	X			
Senior Vice Commander	Alex Foust	X			
Junior Vice Commander	Phil Weitlauf	X			
Adjutant	Bear Hall	X			
Finance Officer	Ron Nevorski	X			
Chaplain	Ed Merritt	X			
Historian	Todd Herron		X		
Sergeant-at-Arms	Skip Davison	X			
Exec. Committee	Robert Booth	X			
Exec. Committee	Rich Chowaniec	X			
Exec Committee	Dean Hayden	X			
Exec. Committee Aux	Linda Maxwell			X	
Exec Committee SAL	Butch Maxwell		X		

#### **ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:**

**Approval of Minutes:** Review minutes from 20 Sep, 2011 Motion to accept Foust second Chowaniec discussion, Voice vote passes.

Guests Introduced: Candy Gas, Mike McDonnell, Butch Maxwell

#### **<u>Reports of Officers</u>**:

#### Sr. Vice Commander: No Report

**Jr. Vice Commander:** Phil, Hockey Night Filled, 29 members going November 1<sup>st</sup>. LaFontaine providing transportation again. War dog cleanup going great, Rolling Thunder heavily involved, again more cleanup this Saturday for cleanup on October 23<sup>rd</sup>. Cody and Phil doing Senior home visits once a week, Vets looking forward to it very much.

**Financial Officer:** Ron, See Reports, Motion to Accept Hall, Second Reddeman discussion, Voice Vote Passes.

Chaplain: No Report Service Officer: No Report Historian: No Report Adjutant: No Report Auxiliary: No Report SAL: No Report



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## **Committee Reports:**

**Membership:** Bear Hall – Goal of 403 currently at 235, 63.03% of target. Requested Target 55%, New Members to Vote in:

1.	Branch of Service					Military Theater				
Full Name	US A	US N	US MC	US AF	US CG	WW 2	K	VN	L-G	PG
Rubin, Allan M.	X							Х	Х	
New										

Motion: Foust Second: Weitlauf Discussion: None Voice Vote

2.	Branch of Service					Military Theater				
Full Name	US A	US N	US MC	US AF	US CG	WW 2	К	VN	L-G	PG
Hamilton, Roger D.				Х				Х		
New										

Motion: Bishop Second: Waldron Discussion: None

Voice Vote

### **Veterans Honors, Ceremonial:**

John Robinson, Color Guard: No Report John Moore, Honor Guard: John, 8 Funerals at GLNC, 2 of our own Bert Helfrich and Paul

Miller

Poppy: No Report

Honor Walk: No Report

Memorial Day Parade: No Report

Education and Scholarship: No Report

**Bingo:** Presented by Dean Hayden, Bingo Chairperson, motion to accept Hall, Second Reddeman, Discussion, Voice Vote Passes.

**Club Room:** Mike McDonnell Report Motion Reddeman, Second Moore, Discussion, Voice Vote Passes.

**Gaming Tickets:** Mike McDonnell Motion to accept Nevorski, Second Bishop, and Discussion Voice Vote Passes.

**Riders:** No Report

House: No Report

**Executive Committee:** Floor Grant

**Unfinished Business:** Commanders Tour Nov  $6^{th}$ , 11:00 – 12:00, Snacks to be provided By Wal-Mart picked up by Bear Hall

**New Business Covered:** Recommend Ed Merritt as new Chaplain. Motion to Bishop, Second Foust, Discussion, Voice Vote Passes.

Chaplain report – Ed See attached

Army Times being donated to Post

**Correspondence:** Cars Helping Veterans – Check for \$8500 for Floors AMVETS Post 2006 Check for \$500 for Hall Usage. Angelo Pelto Family thank you for everything we did during the funeral and a large donation.



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Zatek Family in Memory of Bert Helfrich Uchwat Family in Memory of Bert Helfrich Pellagata Family in Memory of Bert Helfrich Saprenga Family in Memory of Bert Helfrich Gianino Family in Memory of Bert Helfrich Sue Helfrich Thank you for all we did for her family at Bert Services.

**Good of the Legion:** Joe Bishop talked about Korea vacation he just took. Make copies to give Korean Veterans Widows. Chowaniec extends appreciation to Auxiliary for food supplies at GLNC. Mike asked about discussion on new addition.

Veterans Day – Kirts Elementary, Independence Village, and Heritage House.

Club room has Veterans activities on Veterans Day.

Bookshelf for Hall

## **Closing:**

Commander: There being no further business to come before the membership the meeting was adjourned at 19:51 with the proper closing ceremonies being observed.

Prepared and submitted by: Bear Hall Adjutant