



Ambassador Fletcher Warren Chapter #43
Texas Society Sons of the American Revolution



January 6, 2022

Minutes

The Ambassador Fletcher Warren SAR Chapter met on Thursday, January 6, 2022 via Zoom. The meeting was called to order by acting President Ted Wilson at 11:01AM.

Members in attendance were: Acting President Ted Wilson, Treasurer John Greer, Registrar Bill Hurst, acting Secretary David Kinsey, Bill Watts, Jim Owsley, and Dr. Ronald Weaks.

Ted Wilson provided the Invocation followed by the pledges led by David Kinsey, John Greer, and Ted Wilson.

The June Meeting Minutes have been posted to the Amb. Fletcher Warren website. Bill Watts made the motion to approve the Minutes and John Greer provided the second. No discussion. Motion passed.

John Greer provided the Treasurer's report.

Under Old Business:

Discussion for the grave marking of Chapter namesake, Ambassador Fletcher Warren was made. With the April schedule already looking full from Medal of Honor Parade and Public Service presentations, the grave marking has been tentatively set for May 1, 2022.

Under New Business:

The following slate of Officers for 2022 was presented to the members:

President: James Owsley

1st VP: Ted Wilson

2nd VP Medals and Awards: John Greer

Secretary: David Kinsey

Registrar; James Owsley

Treasurer: John Greer

Sgt. at Arms: Bill Watts

Chaplain: Father Nick Funk

President Wilson called for nominations from the floor 3 times. Hearing none, David Kinsey made the motion to accept the slate through acclamation. Motion was seconded by Bill Watts. Motion passed unanimously.



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Jim Owsley discussed the BSA Eagle Awards. There is a District Awards ceremony next week, January 13, 2022. Secretary Kinsey produced certificates and FedEx'd them to incoming President Owsley for presentation to the Eagle Scouts at the ceremony. There are 15 certificates to be presented.

John Greer made the motion for the Amb. Fletcher Warren Chapter to donate \$100 to the new organized Ark-LA-TX chapter in Atlanta, TX. Bill Watts mentioned the Dallas Chapter is taking up a donation for the same reason. Bill Hurst will take with the Captain William Barron chapter of Tyler to also contribute. Following discussion, motion passed to make the donation to the Ark-LA-TX chapter.

While on the subject of the Chapter checking account, it was determined that the name on the account needs to be changed to Amb. Fletcher Warren. It is currently National Society Sons of the American Revolution; Amb. Fletcher Warren. Additionally, Treasurer John Greer and President Elect Jim Owsley will be signers for the account.

Ted Wilson discussed the action of marking Patriot Graves in North Texas. There are some listed that are actually 1812 veterans, not Revolutionary War. Discussion followed among the members. The topic was to be taken off-line for further refinement by Ted Wilson and Bill Watts.

Incoming President Jim Owsley proposed future meetings of the AFW Chapter should be held on the 3rd Friday of each month. Proposal was agreed to by the members in attendance. The February meeting will be held via Zoom as the current landscape of the pandemic is uncertain for in person meetings at this time.

Bill Watts discussed uniforms for members. This is a follow on to action by East Fork Trinity member Ron Perkins. Discussion of material and its use for musket firing was included.

The Benediction was offered by Ted Wilson followed by the recessional.

The meeting was adjourned by acting President Wilson at 12:03 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

David A. Kinsey, Secretary