MEXICAN AMERICAN VETERANS ASSOCIATION

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November 1st, 2017

Commander Gunter Terronez called the meeting to order at 7:00. Pledge of Allegiance was said and a moment of silence for all those in harms way.

Members present: Gunter Terronez, Roseann Cervantes, Joe Ramos, Frank Perez, Paul Sierra, Jerry Porter, Dennis Johnson, Jerry Goodwin, Dennis Wohlford, Dennis Laird, Gilbert Terronez, Andy Ortiz, Rick Freymann, Charlie Thompson, Frenchy Eaves, Larry Tschappat, Rudy Ramos, Fred Hernandez, Todd Harlow, John Smith.

Secretary Report: Asked for motion to accept October minutes. Motion made by Larry Tschappat,

2nd by Frenchy Eaves, motion to accept minutes carried.

Treasure's report: Report given by Joe Ramos, asked for motion to accept treasure's report. Motion made by Jerry Porter, 2nd by Jerry Goodwin, motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS TO REPORT— Thank you from the following——Helmet's of Hope, E.M./Silvis Rotary Club, Aposotolic Youth Group.

November 9th, present colors @ Wilson Jr. High School, meet at 8:30am

Bingo- try and make it when you can. Bingo dates are this Sunday the 12th and the following Thursday.

MAVA member Steve Morse was in the hospital, now at home.

New Business To Report— Please call Andy Ortiz at 309–792–3625 or 326–4117 by the 14th of November to let him know how many Thanksgiving baskets you may need.

We will meet at the Silvis Hy-Vee at 7am for a breakfast and to pick up Thanksgiving baskets on November 18th. You must pick up your own baskets at this time.

Local Labor Union 309 are holding a rifle raffle/for a handicap ramp. Motion made by Paul Sierra to purchase tickets \$100.00 donation, 2nd by Fred Hernandez, motion carried to buy tickets.

Motion made by Andy Ortiz, 2nd by Frenchy Eaves for a \$200.00 donation for Tito (Jesus) Gonzales. Motion carried.

Elections up next month, contact Gunter or myself (Roseann) if you would like to hold a seat on the MAVA committee.

Motion made by Jerry Goodwin, 2nd Andy Ortiz to purchase a plaque for "Sam's club". Motion carried.

MAVA shirts for sale, \$15.00 a shirt. First come first serve. Contact Joe Ramos at 309 9484769.

Veteran's Dance November 11th Jumer's Casino at 6pm. Ticket's went to Frank, Rudy, Rick, Charlie, and Roseann.

Our ticket # is 529 for the "Dream Big" at Alleman High School

Donation for Tracey Hepner for \$100.00 motion made by Todd Harlow, 2nd by Dennis Johnson, motion carried.

Christmas Party at the American Legion on December 16th @1:30 Saturday, bring a dish to share.

Honor guard to present colors at St. Anne's/ Our Lady of Grace, please meet at 8:30.

Saturday November 11th Hero St. Monument meet there by 9:30, starts at 10, then over to Hero St. Park at 11am.

Good of the Community—Donation of \$100.00 to the Aldridge Center for hats and gloves. Motion made by Jerry Goodwin, 2nd by Andy Ortiz, motion carried.

Pot of Gold Winner—John Smith

Meeting adjourned at 8pm. Next meeting December 6th at 7pm.





