MEETING MINUTES ROCKY MOUNTAIN CHAPTER VIETNAM HELICOPTER PILOTS ASSOCIATION 20 MAR 2019

<u>Call to Order</u>: Dale House, Pres., called the meeting to order at 1002 Hrs at American Legion Post No. 1, I-25 & Yale. He led the Pledge of Allegiance. Self-introductions were waived.

Those Present:
Bill Bates
Rick Beaver
Lyle Borders
Carlo Cavalluzzi
Dick Compton
John Cunningham

Dale House Cliff Lawson Greg Mann George Mayl Jim McGrevey Jim McName

Doug Neil Terry Olson Bill Robie Robert White Walt Wise

<u>Meeting Minutes</u>: The February Meeting Minutes were presented. *Moved to approve*, as amended, by Rick and seconded by Doug, unanimous approval.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report for 12 MAR 2019 was passed around to the members present. *Moved to approve*, as presented, by George and seconded by Terry, unanimous approval.

A moment of silence was held for the following, who passed away recently Steve Lyon, Dave Richter and Patrick Parkhill.

AFTER ACTION REPORTS

Dale introduced Krista Mortensen, Annual Fund Manager for Wings Over the Rockies. She gave a short history of the display project for Sweet Sioux and the current events planned. The Vietnam Vets have made the greatest contributions for the diorama and encouraged us to consider supporting the display. Several concerns were voiced about the accuracy of the revetment. She explained that for the continuity of the rest of WOR display, the directors had selected the current design. There will be a number of events in conjunction with the Sweet Sioux display and members will be alerted through the Google chat group.

2019 Reunion

• The 36th annual Reunion in Kansas City is from 28 May to 1 June.

2020 Reunion

- Greg's designs for the official VHPA logo have been accepted by the reunion committee.
- Robin Cunningham volunteered to help with entertainment.

Helicopter War Museum

- New flooring to be installed during warmer weather.
- Map up grades.

<u>Members wear, Museum sales, Models</u>

- Carlo demonstrated chapter clothing availability to the new members.
- Bill R. sold a model and turned in a postal reimbursement for goods damaged in transit by the USPS.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Dale gave the following updates. The June 22 monthly meeting in Longmont is on. No date set yet for the Frisco Post Office renaming to Pat Mahaney.
- The voting meeting for election of new officers will be moved to July.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Bill B. presented the possibility of having a joint chapter that included Combat Helicopter Pilots Association. He has contacted the President Jack Bailey and obtained a copy of their bylaws and the latest quarterly newsletter. No formal action was taken but there was general interest in further consideration.
- Jim McNamee is accepting 2019 dues. Checks made out to RMCVPHA in the amount of \$20 can be mailed to 5 Summit Cedar Dr, Littleton CO 80127. Or come to the monthly meeting and pay Jim there.

Next Meeting:

• The next monthly meeting will be on Wednesday, 17 APR at 1000 HRS at American Legion Post #1. Depending on cooks' availability, a \$7.00 lunch, by Post #1 may be available immediately following the meeting.

Adjournment:

• Dale adjourned the meeting at 1133 HRS.

Submitted by Bill Bates Secretary wfbates@yahoo.com