

President's Message

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We are into the summer, and I hope all is well. There isn't much to report and that is a good thing. It appears we are finally getting to a state of normalcy, and we will be able to enjoy life as we knew it.

There is nothing to report concerning the Pension Board. Since the problems of the past have been remedied the usual business has made only quarterly meetings necessary. We have our seat at the table and will continue to have input in the decisions that are made.

The long-awaited meeting with the FPPA took place at the Community room at District Two. FPPA representatives were present to answer questions and although their answers were not what some wanted to hear, it was informative. This type of meeting can be arranged if it becomes necessary to learn more about how decisions concerning benefits are made.

It seems as though the only time we get together is at funerals, and there have been several of them this year. I want to remind you that there are other get-togethers, and I would ask that you keep your calendars open for these upcoming events.

August 20 BBQ Picnic at Clement Park

October 18 – 19 Laughlin Reunion

December 10 Christmas Party PPA Building.

We are working on some other activities so stay tuned for additional opportunities to get together.

We have had a few questions concerning the health insurance reimbursement for those retirees younger than 65. This benefit is controlled by the PPA as part of the collective bargaining agreement so any questions should be directed to the PPA. Feel free to contact us regarding anything you might be concerned about. We will make every attempt to address your issue.

Stay safe and healthy and have a great Summer. See you at the picnic.