

# US Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 091-26-02

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Minutes of January 16, 2023 meeting

1800 hours at Lake Street Pub, Boyne City

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FC: Glen Stolt VFC: Douglas Colwell Next month's Flotilla Meeting will be on Monday, February 20, 2023, 1800 hours Location: TBD

The meeting part of our gathering was called to order at 1800 hours.

## Pledge of Allegiance

#### Roll call

Present: Glen Stolt-FC, Douglas Colwell-VFC, Jeff Anderson, Scott Basel, Steven Bradley, Steve Cerutti, Kevin Cheadle, Tom Cook, Ralph Galbraith, Antanas Janavicius, Kateri Janavicius, Eric Kesseler, Joe Legenza, Tammy Legenza, Craig Malmstrom, Emily Matz, Ethan Passalacqua, Max Scholl, Stefan Scholl, Harold Severance, Lynda Stolt.

Active Duty Present: Chief Bradley Bishop, BM1 Dalton Smith and AUXLO, BM2 Jacob Hubbard

**Guest:** We were happy to welcome Jackie Anderson.

Member Updates: Introductions of members new and old

## **Announcements:**

- Glen spoke about the increase in on water fatalities since the onset of Covid. Open discussion about the causes and prevention through Auxiliary action.
  - With so many new boats a great place to communicate first hand with the boat owners is on their boats during a vessel safety check. This is a good place to discover their experience and knowledge of boating and make useful suggestions for equipment and training.

#### 2023 Elected Officers:

- FC Glen Stolt
- VFC Douglas Colwell
- IPFC-Antanas Janavicius

#### 2022 Appointed Officers:

- FSO-AS-Lynda Stolt
- FSO-CM-Éric Kesseler
- FSO-CS-Antanas Janavicius
- FSO-DV-Kateri Janavicius
- FSO-FN-Ralph Galbraith
- FSO-HR-Douglas Colwell

- FSO-IS— Antanas Janavicius
- FSO-MT-Joe Legenza
- FSO-MS-Eric Kesseler
- FSO-NS-Harold Severance
- FSO-OP-Glen Stolt
- FSO-PV Joe Legenza
- FSO-PA-Tammy Legenza
- FSO-PE-Tammy Legenza
- FSO-PB-Lynda Stolt
- FSO-SR-Lynda Stolt

- FSO-VE-Ralph Galbraith, Antanas and Kateri Janavicius, Glen Stolt, Harold Severance
- AUX-CA Glen and Lynda Stolt

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- Providing boaters with the knowledge of the USCG app for a multitude of information.
- Glen discussed member status and provided everyone with a list of available workshops provided by Joe Legenza's FSO-MT January report.
  - He and Don Warren will be working together to provide our flotilla and others with TCT opportunities as well as other trainings.
- Glen suggested the dates of June 9-11, 2023 for Charlevoix's Auxiliary Boat School. Those in attendance supported the date.
- Kateri gave a brief introduction of Auxpad for our new members and updates for all. We look forward to the onset of level 2 training.
- Glen and Antanas updated everyone on the progress of (R7) our new facility. Work on the facility has been active since we brought her home. More work is needed before she goes in the water. The station gave us approval to work on it in their heated garage as needed.
- Glen handed out the Certificates of Appointment, Appointment Letters and Office duty description to our newly appointed 2023 officers on behalf of VFC, Douglas Colwell

**Approval of minutes:** Minutes were not reviewed at this meeting. Members were provided with minutes following our last November 2022 meeting.

New Business: No discussion at our social gathering

**Old Business:** No old business was discussed at this meeting.

Staff Officer Reports: No Staff Officer reports were requested for this meeting

## **Open Floor Discussion:**

Much discussion was had as we enjoyed our meals and the company of our friends, family and fellow Auxiliarist.

This gathering adjourned at 2000 hours.

**Member Training - No training** 

#### **Future Meetings:**

We will meet on the third Monday of each month until further notice. Next meeting is Monday, February 20, 2023. Location to be determined and open for suggestions.

Respectfully submitted, Lynda A. Stolt, FSO-SR 091-26-02

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