

Minutes of the July 12, 2016, Flotilla Meeting –

Meeting called to order by FC Randy Lawton. 19:02

During 2015, in Region 9 Central, our flotilla was third in growth.

Annual Service Awards presented to: Lynn Ross, Dave Montgomery, Mike Harbin, Randy McClure, Tom Power, Dianne Walker and Jim Johnson

Sustained Service Award presented to George Cummings.

FN – George Cummings – June 30 balance \$6048.41. Finance Report accepted by voice vote.

AV – Jim Johnson – Flotilla flew 14 missions in June. We hosted a District-wide aviation safety conference at ASTC.

HR – per FC Randy Lawton – Four member applications are pending.

NS – Mark Smathers – There are eight ATON verifiers in our flotilla. Additional qualifications are now required; existing ATON verifiers must complete by end of 2017. Mark can qualify people or a three hour class at the Fall Conference.

PA – Donna Daciuk – The Flotilla was represented at the Fresh Water Festival in Elk Rapids. The Flotilla also had a table and three aircraft at the Open Ramp at ASTC in connection with the Blue Angels.

PE – Dianne Walker – Eleven students for the paddle class. Over 100 took classes this spring.

VE – Larry Kidd – The Flotilla has completed 31 vessel inspections this season.

Flotilla dues was discussed. Assessments by division, district and national have gone up. Motion to increase flotilla dues from \$40 per year to \$50 adopted by unanimous show of hands.

OPS –Mark Smathers – Six boats, two from our flotilla, attended the Boat School in Charlevoix. Boat school in St. Ignace also attended. Two facilities will help with Venetian Festival and three facilities from our Flotilla helped with the Blue Angels, at least two every day.

Flotilla picnic will be August 9 at Elk Rapids Marina.

No Flotilla meeting in August.

District 9 Central Fall Conference is September 9 – 11 at Shanty Creek.

Meeting adjourned at 20:08.

Respectfully Submitted, Tom Power