

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING – June 12, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 7:08 p.m. by Vice-President Serop Karchikyan. The pledge of allegiance was led by Sergeant-at-Arms Ric Roldan and there was a moment of silence for recently departed brothers and sisters since the last meeting. The roll call was answered by ten officers and stewards in good standing. Motion passed to adopt the minutes, as read (Costanzo/Washington). Motion passed to excuse Vinh Trieu from the meeting (Costanzo/Temblador).

Bills were read, motion passed for warrants to be drawn and bills paid (Burskey/Costanzo). Motion passed to accept the May Treasurer's Report, as read (Burskey/Costanzo).

Motion passed to accept and welcome the following new members: Jesus Alvarez Sr, William Coombs, Brayden Echols, Daniel Lopez, Colm Mac Donncha, Benny Macias, Julio Morales-Range, Rainan Sabalboro, Andrew Salas, Wilson Tizon, Lalith Velayutham (Temblador/Costanzo).

HBP Rep Washington reported on healthy lifestyles and on PPO's. Rob Burskey gave totals on the Food Drive and thanked everyone, once again, for their annual participation. Big success again this year, breaking over 400,000 lbs of food barrier. Thank you letter from the Bailey Center charity was read.

MDA Chair Carolyn Zorn made the correction that the upcoming MDA Bowl-a-Thon will be in September.

The Santa Clarita primary results for the 25th district were discussed and Walter Washington again cautioned that legislation is being proposed to make significant cuts in retiree benefits, including elimination of cost of living, the FERS annuity supplement, and increasing employee pension contributions.

Discussion followed on convention training workshops, bulletins, and delegates returning with information to share with the membership.

\$50 Branch Raffle Winner: **Nadia Spolar.**

Motion passed to adjourn the meeting at 8:19 p.m. (Temblador/Rhodes).

Submitted by,



Nancy Norman
Secretary-Treasurer