

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

December 13, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 p.m. by President Mike Wyly. The pledge of allegiance was led by Sergeant-at-Arms Ric Roldan and there was a moment of silence for departed brothers and sisters since the last meeting, specifically for retired La Canada carrier, Wes Breese. Additionally, well wishes to Ric Roldan's mother, recovering from double by-pass surgery. The roll call was answered by ten officers and stewards in good standing. Motion passed to waive the reading of the minutes from the previous meeting, to be printed in the Mail Call (Temblador/Costanzo). Motion passed to excuse Victor Temblador from November meeting (Burskey/Costanzo).

Motion passed to accept applications for membership: Adrian Arzate, Jennifer Alejo, Luis Alcala, Michael Bell III, Quisto Bernard, Paul Castaneda, Dana Chiu, Taurica Davis, Angel Gonzalez-Vasquez, Markisha Henry, Jessica Jimenez, Alonzo Johnson, Vasthi Leiva-Velasquez, Arlon Moncrief Jr, Samaro Oramas, Davon Pickett, Jose Soria Jr. (Burskey/Costanzo). **WELCOME to ALL!!**

Carolyn Zorn reported on MDA and legislative issues. Thanks to phone bankers: Aghakhanyan, Burskey, Collier, Karchikyan, Kasenko, Roldan, Washington and a BIG thank you to Larrie Rhodes who did precinct walking in Palmdale/Lancaster and Santa Clarita. Motion passed to pay for expenses for MDA Christmas Party photos, up to the amount of \$50 (Burskey/Costanzo). Discussion on CCA conversions, safety issues regarding checking vehicles, seat belts, closed doors and vehicle accidents.

Motion passed to accept the following Executive Board recommendations: 1) the Branch send Leroy Collier and Carolyn Zorn to the 2017 Lobby Trip in Washington DC. Branch will pay for travel, lodging, per diem, parking, registration fee and include lost time for Carolyn Zorn (Siechert/Costanzo) and 2) the Branch send Serop Karchikyan and Nancy Norman to attend 2017 officer training. Branch to pay for travel, lodging, parking, per diem, and include lost time for Serop Karchikyan (Burskey/Siechert).

Motion passed to adjourn at 7:50 p.m.
(Temblador/Kasenko).

Submitted by,



Nancy Norman
Secretary-Treasurer