

Sons of the American Legion
Squadron 552
Meeting Minutes
28 March 2024

The meeting started at 1800 hours and was called to order by Commander Steve Smitz to conduct the business of Squadron 552.

The opening ceremony consisted of Chaplain's prayer, Pledge of Allegiance, and reading of the Preamble to the Constitution of the Sons of the American Legion. The meeting quorum was met with the attendance of six members.

Meeting minutes of the last meeting were read and since there were no changes, they stand as published.

Finance Officer (Sean Davis). The status of funds was provided by Commander Smitz and questions were answered.

Facility Committee (Jack Porath). The House Committee report was discussed. All agreed the facility improvements are making a big difference.

UNFINISHED/OLD BUSINESS. None.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Nomination of officers occurred for Year 2024-2025. Those nominated were Commander Steve Schmitz, 1st Vice Commander Sean Davis, and 2nd Vice Commander John Manion. Appointed were Adjutant/Finance Officer Jack Porath, the offices now combined to be immediately effective, and Sgt-at-Arms Robert Owens. The membership approved the addition of John R. "Jack" Porath to the bank account of the Squadron. Past financial records via Excel will be electronically transmitted to Jack by Saun who was replaced by Jack.
- It was unanimously approved to donate \$1,000 to the Auxiliary to be used for Honor Flight that will consist of Vietnam veterans.

FOR THE GOOD AND WELFARE OF THE SONS OF THE LEGION:

- Members are encouraged to check the Post website at www.vfw5985.org and advise the Adjutant when there is a change of address and/or email.

CLOSING ceremony followed and meeting ended 1835 hours.

/s/ Signed 29 March 2024
J. R. PORATH
Adjutant & Finance Officer