

## Michigan Amateur Radio Alliance Post Office Box 670

Comstock Park, MI 49321-0670



February 10, 2021 MARA meeting minutes

The following are the tentative minutes of the February 10<sup>th</sup> meeting subject to correction and/or approval at the next meeting.

The meeting was called to order at 738 PM on ZOOM. The following stations were in attendance: KD8SZZ, K8OOK, W8DAY, N8NIJ, KC8KVR, KE8JUF & W8MSK.

The minutes of the last meeting are posted on the website.

Treasurer's Report: The previous balance was \$1375.50. We wrote a check of \$287.64 to Paul who renewed our website for another 3 years, we received \$100 in dues and \$115 in donations. We paid out \$265 to Auto Owners for insurance. The new balance is \$1037.86. Larry made a motion, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Roger to approve the report, passed.

Trustee's Report: both repeaters are working fine.

Committee Reports:

2 meter net: net control for 2/11-KD8SZZ, 2/18-KC8KVR(simplex), 2/25-W8DAY, 3/4-K8OOK and

3/11-KE8JUF. Membership: nothing

Newsletter: absent Webmaster: absent

Fund raising: 5<sup>th</sup> Street Hall has reopened but not taking any reservations for now. The Hall is required to be at only 25% capacity. We discussed the possibility of doing take-out, but with the vaccine just starting out, many will have to wait until summer. So discussion tabled until next meeting.

Bereavement: none

Great Lakes Award/Special Events: Much discussion about a Special Event for later in the year and how we could manage to operate W8USA from multiple locations and not confuse the public.

Field Day: last weekend in June

Old Business: none New Business: none

Jerry made a motion, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Roger to close the meeting at 759 PM, passed.

Submitted by Mike, K8OOK, MARA Secretary