

Michigan Amateur Radio Alliance C/O MARA Secretary K800K Mike Eilers 2531 Westwinde St NW Grand Rapids, MI 49504



The following are the tentative minutes of the October 13th meeting subject to correction and/or approval at the next meeting.

The meeting was called to order at 730 PM. The following were in attendance: KD8SZZ, K800K, N8NIJ, W8MSK, KC8KVR, Peg, K9BOJ, and N8GS. The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Dan made a motion, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Paul to approval the minutes as read, passed.

**Treasurer's Report**: Previous balance was \$740.07. We deposited amounts totally \$63, Jerry wrote a check to himself of \$20 for payment of the Annual Report. New balance is \$783.07. Dan made amotion, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Paul to approval the report as read, passed.

Trustee's Report: Gale updated the coordination of our repeaters.

## Committee Reports:

2 meter net: net controls for 10/14-K9BOJ, 10/21-KC8KVR (simplex), 10/28-N8GS, 11/4-KD8SZZ, 11/11-K8OOK Membership: nothing Newsletter: nothing Webmaster: nothing Fund raising: nothing Bereavement: none Great Lakes Award/Special Events: nothing Field Day: nothing

## Old Business:

There was much discussion about the Club" dwindling and aged membership. It would be hard to get to younger people as most schools are basically in lockdown.

## New Business:

Craig, KD8KZE, is or was in Spectrum with heart problems. Jim, N6PLL, also has heart problems and not doing good.

Larry has been in touch with W8MJJ, United We Stand group and might offer classes to some of their members.

Paul, K9BOJ, will have an antenna party on 10/23, rain date 10/30th, all are invited to help out.



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Nominations for 2022 board members begins at the November meeting.

A Christmas Party was discussed. We possibly could use the Plainfield Fire Dept building and have the food catered in.

Larry made a motion, 2ndby Dan, 3rd by Paul to adjourn at 805 PM, passed.

Submitted by Mike, K800K, MARA Secretary