CWOA Membership Meeting Meeting 03/23

16 March 2023 / 12:00 PM / New Orleans and Zoom

ATTENDEES

Present: 12 (possibly more) (10 required for quorum)

CWO4 Chris Westerdahl; CWO2 (Ret) James Pulse, DM; CWO2 Brany Ingram, CWO4(Ret) Rodney Clark (Zoom); CWO4 (Ret) Tony Robinson, DM; CWO4 (Ret) Eugene Ferniz; CWO4 (Ret) Josh Mendez (Zoom); CWO4 Robert Resendes (Zoom); CWO4(Ret) Mark Cortor, PP; CWO Robert Samuels, CWO Melisa Neal, CWO JR Marshall, (other members in attendance were not recorded due to inability to record names, but a quorum was met)

AGENDA

New Business

• N/A

Old Business

- Approve Minutes from November 2022 Membership Meeting
 - Motion Made by CWO4 Cortor
 - \circ Seconded by CW04 Resendes
 - No discussion
 - Motion Passed Unanimously

NOTES

- The President called the meeting to order at 1200
- The National President gave an update on the status of the CWOA to the members present in New Orleans.
- Welcomed the new Chapter Officers

- Thanks the outgoing Chapter Officers
- Held a discussion on the current issues that are facing CWOs
- Discussed the direction the CWOA was heading in
- Encouraged the Chapter to recruit more members and continue to grow.
- Thanks CWO2(Ret) Pulse for the historical display he presented before the meeting as people entered the room.
- Held a QA with the members
 - \circ $\,$ Members asked about the future of the CWOs in the Coast Guard $\,$
 - \circ What is the position of the CWOA for CWO5s
- The National President reminded everyone about the upcoming annual meeting in Norfolk.
- The National President asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting
 - CWO2 Brandy Ingram motioned to adjourn the meeting
 - $\circ~$ CWO4 (Ret) Mendez seconded the motion
 - No discussion
 - Motion Passed
- Meeting was adjourned at 1334

ACTION ITEMS

1. NA