

DEPARTMENT MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING

February 19, 2011

The meeting of the Department Membership Committee was called to order by Louis Oberle, Chairman in The Holiday Inn Gateway in Flint, Michigan, on February 19, 2011 at 1300 hours. The following people were present:

MEMBERS: Louis Oberle, Membership Director, Michael Bruntjens, Jim Wallace, Barry Wood, Floyd Plowman, Cliff Rose, Terry Montgomery, Nancy Frye, Ron Pearson

GUESTS: Commander Hafeman stopped by and stated:
"Membership is great."
"This is the end, it is door knocking time."
"Michigan has met every goal so far this year."

Minutes:

Minutes from the September 24, 2010 meeting were read and accepted.

31 Posts receiving awards for 100% membership by December 31, 2010.
Next goal is March 1 for \$.75.

DMS:

Barry gave a DMS report. Question about phone number of transfer sheet.

PUFL:

Question – will the rate be lowered? Answer: No.

Credit Card:

Discussion as to how to pay for membership through headquarters.
Mylegion was discussed.

Post 225:

Discussion from Commander Rose

Business:

National Commander Jimmie Foster stopped by to talk about membership and answered several questions.

Called Barb Money to obtain list of 225 members by zipcode.

5,901 – 225 members in Michigan

4,812 – have paid and should be in a Post

Chairman Oberle left to attend another meeting. Jim Wallace assumes chair.

Question: How do we get the close held 225 from Headquarters? Discussion pursued. Jim Wallace to get with Barb Money to discuss 225.

How many years can a member stay 225? Indefinite. Cost: 1st year \$20, 2nd year and beyond \$35

District Cmdr. Access to Posts in their districts through AIM. Zone 3 Montgomery says this is being looked into.

Training is needed for MyLegion and AIM.

Adjournment:

There being no further business to come before this committee, it was motioned by Cliff Rose, seconded by Terry Montgomery that the meeting be adjourned at 2:19 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted by:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Louis Oberle".

Louis Oberle
Membership Director