



MINUTES of the regular meeting on October 10, 2018

The meeting was held in the Emergency Management Conference Room at the County Annex, 198 Neel Ave, Socorro, NM

Call to order at 1930 by President Skyler Fennell

Announcements: No announcements of note.

Adoption of Agenda: Motion by Skyler Fennell. Seconded and passed.

Approval of Minutes from September 12, 2018 meeting: Motion by Ray Calkins, seconded and passed.

Reports:

Treasury: Bill Heller

Starting Balance \$12,331.77

Deposit: \$34.00

Debit: \$2,423.10 (mostly raffle prizes

Balance: \$9,942.67 + \$750.00 in Paypal awaiting transfer to balance.

ARES: all normal, usual nets. Nov 1 nets time change.

Charter School: 6 students preparing for tech, 1 for general, finished chapter 3. Various poof circuits.

TARA: Continued work to get repeater on West Peak. Need to obtain a repeater controller, antenna and coax. Test cram session for HamFest VE session.

Repeater: Replaced battery on .68 machine.

Hamfest: Advertising cards are arriving in mailboxes. Forty-four banquet attendees at last count. TARA providing greeters for event. Maps to Fidel and Fire Academy on website. Paypal turns off on Sunday. Tickets, coffee and donuts, PA, signs, tables, setup 2 pm Fri, Dave Finley on announcing, VE's coordinated, Jim on silent auction (one table), Jim Ody on traffic control, Brad collecting fees, Bill selling tickets, Henry Newton on photography, Skylar foxhunt and service monitor, VE packet arrived, big prizes have arrived, small prizes are still arriving, satellite demo, forums scheduled,

Prescott mentions adding "Buy-Sell-Trade" page to the website, newsletter also could host one.

Lab night: defunct power supplies in radio room.

Holiday party venues were discussed.

Bill says he will get a speaker from Intel for November meeting.

Inquiry on mountain top rack rental: still no invoice.

Doug May asking for volunteers: ham com support for a Saturday 5K fun run.

TAPR: Skyler presented. Lots of digital, SDR and other nifty new tech.

Duke City: lots of SARA members present, lots of good deals.

Meeting adjourned 2023.