

**FLAGLER TRUMP REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLY
GENERAL MEMBER MEETING MINUTES
MONDAY, 11/20/2023
TIME: 6:40 P.M.**

Board Attendees: Mike McElroy, President; David Valinski, Vice-President; Celeste Johnson, Treasurer; Renee Wickowski, Secretary; Loretta Soulli, Events Chair; Ed Danko, Public Relations Media Chair.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Alex Newman

PRAYER LED BY: Marie Sommers

Welcome by the President: All new visitors introduced themselves and were welcomed by all attendees. Elected public officials present: Ed Danko, Vice Mayor.

Minutes of Prior Meeting: The prior minutes are posted on the website and the motion to accept the prior minutes were approved. Ed Danko motioned and Celeste Johnson 2nd the minutes.

Treasurer's Report: Deposits of \$448.00 from the sale of Trump merchandise, new membership, payment for First Friday, pizza, misc expenses. Cost of retail merchandise for re-sale totaling \$473.45. Balance as of October 31st 2023 is \$2,735.79; Celeste Johnson, Treasurer. David Valinski made the motion to accept the treasurer's report and Renee Wickowski 2nd the motion.

Guest Speaker: The guest speaker was Alex Newman, an award-winning international journalist, educator, author, and consultant. He spoke about CBDC (Central Bank Digital Currency – AGENDA 2030). Recommended the book "Pirate Money" by Kevin D Freeman.

President's Remarks: Reminded everyone about the December meeting on 12/18/2023 which will be our Christmas Party and Dinner, along with Elvis impersonator, Randy Elvis. We have sold over 100 tickets which are selling fast. Must purchase tickets in advance. Tickets are \$20 per person. (See Loretta for tickets).

Also mentioned that that 2024 membership deadline to become a member is 12/31/2023. Dues are \$30 per person or \$50 per couple.

David Valinski, Vice-President: None

Ed Danko, Public Relations Media Chair: Ed spoke about our email blasts and notifications and requested that anyone on the email list not receiving our emails should check their SPAM folders. If still not getting our emails, please contact Loretta or Celeste. A second option is to go to the website FLAGER4TRUMP.COM and subscribe there.

He also discussed the raising of the water bill in Palm Coast and let everyone know that he will not be voting to increase your water bill. He also informed everyone about some of the new builds going on where the builders are building the houses too high causing flooding in the neighboring yards and how he is trying to address that issue. He has asked that anyone dealing with this problem to contact him directly.

NEW BUSINESS: None

Old Business: None

Next General Meeting:

To be held on Monday, December 18th at 6:30 p.m. at the VFW, Palm Coast, FL.

Reminder: Bring a friend to our next meeting. Also, the membership fee to join the FTRA is \$30 per person or \$50 per couple.

Adjournment:

There being no further business to come before the membership, the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Renee Wickowski, Secretary