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Tuesday, May 20, 2025 At 6:45pm

## **PSPRS Local Board Minutes**

- 1. Call Meeting to Order: Called to order at 7:50pm by Chairman Phil Cushman.
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance: All in attendance participated.
- 3. Roll Call: Candi Conley, Phil Cushman, Travis Freedman, Riley Matzdorff, Will Aaron and Board Secretary, Kevin Hess were present.
- 4. Call to the Public: **None**
- 5. Minutes: Travis Freedman made a motion to approve the minutes of April 15, 2025. Candi Conley seconded and the motion carried.
- 6. Old Business: Discussion & Possible Action- Review and discuss status of application for PSPRS disability retirement for member Spencer Hess due to cancer diagnosis: After a brief discussion Travis Freedman made a motion to accept the cancer diagnosis from the Mayo Clinic in Phoenix Arizona, including the disability retirement through PSPRS. Candi Conley seconded and the motion carried unanimously.
- 7. New Business: Discussion & Possible Action:
  - Appoint an Independent Medical Doctor (Dr. Vershalee Shukla at Vincere Cancer Center) to perform an independent
    medical exam along with completion of Form P5-LB-A regarding the disability application by member Spencer Hess.
    Candi Conley made a motion that the district appoint an independent medical examiner, to include the
    completion of Form P5-LB-A regarding the disability application of member Spencer Hess. William Aaron
    seconded and the motion was approved unanimously.
  - 2. Accept the scheduled medical appointment with Dr. Shukla at Vincer Cancer Center (May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2025, at 2:30pm) **Travis**Freedman made a motion to accept the scheduled appointment at the Vincere Cancer Center with Dr. Vershalee Shukla. Candi Conley seconded the motion and it was approved unanimously.
- 8 Adjourn Meeting: Will Aaron made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:02pm, Riley Matzdorff seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Philip Cushman, Chairman	Kevin Hess, Secretary
William Aaron, Member	Travis Freedman, Member
Candy Conley, Member	Riley Matzdorff, Member