

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN CHAPTER
VIETNAM HELICOPTER PILOTS ASSOCIATION
16 October 2024**

Call to Order: Dale House, President, called the meeting to order at 1015 Hrs.
Dale House noted that that those present represented a quorum for voting purposes.

Those Present:

Bill Bates	Wick Clark	Jim McGrevey	Mike Poindexter
Rick Beaver	Bruce Girvin	Doug Neil	Mike Silva
Ed Carroll	Bob Harris	Terry Olson	Chris Towne
Carlo Cavalluzzi	Dale House	Rick Overstake	Bob White
	Phil Lanphier		

Zoom Attendees: Charles Bogle, Ted Carrico, Al Harinck, Don Kent, Jim McNamee,

Dale led the chapter members in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The American Legion Chef took our lunch orders.

Chapter members did self-introductions for the benefit of new member, Ed Carroll.

Dale read the donation letter from Terre Deegan-Young that honored Bill Robie and his service to his country as an Army helicopter pilot and his service to the city of Golden, Colorado.

Meeting Minutes: The September 2024 Meeting Minutes were accepted.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report for October 2024 was read by Jim McNamee, treasurer. The Treasurer's report was accepted.

Old Business

• **Clothing update:**

- Carl Cavalluzzi said there is clothing available for all members. Plenty of medium sizes are available for family members.
- T-shirts, Coins and Patches are available.
- Dale said that member long sleeve T-shirts and hoodies have been ordered in various sizes.

Mahogany Models

- Terry Olson said he has received shipment of the recently ordered models. He received an order for an AH-1 Cobra via the RMCVHPA WEB site.

- **Honor Flight update:**

- Al Harinck inquired about Honor Flights.
 - Carlo Cavalluzzi said there are no new Honor Flights until next year. Additional information can be obtained by typing *Honor Flight Colorado* on the WEB.

- **National Vietnam Memorial Museum**

- Charles Bogle said the National Vietnam Memorial Museum is in the process of purchasing a museum located in Virginia. Items in the Virginia Museum will be relocated to Mineral Wells.
- Partnering with the **Medal of Honor Society** in the near future appears promising.
- The **DFC Society** will become more active possibly in 2025.

NEW BUSINESS:

Event Schedule:

- WOR (November 9 - 11 Veterans Day weekend)
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- **Wings Over The Rockies**

- Terry Olson said decent participation at WOR over the Veterans Day weekend is looking good.
- Dale asked if there were any questions concerning TWS individual shadow boxes, no questions.
- No one attended the Combat Helicopter Pilots Association (CHPA) meeting 10/3-6. No report.
- Continuing discussions concerning the RMC museum's end-of-life require contact with WOR new curator, Stewart Bailey as well as WOR CEO Gen. John Barry.
- Greg Mann's Christmas Party is December 14.

Next Meeting:

- The next monthly meeting will be on Wednesday, November 20, 2024 at 1000 HRS

Adjournment:

- Dale House adjourned the meeting at 11:01 HRS.

Submitted by Doug Neil
Secretary

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