ROCKY MOUNTAIN CHAPTER VIETNAM HELICOPTER PILOTS ASSOCIATION 19 February 2025

<u>Call to Order</u>: Dale House, President, called the meeting to order at 1003 Hrs. Dale House noted that that those present represented a quorum for voting purposes.

Those Present:

Bill Bates	Wick Clark	George Mayl	Mike Silva
Lyle Borders	Dale House	Jim McGrevey	Chris Towne
Carlo Cavalluzzi	Cliff Lawson	Doug Neil	Bob White

Guest Speaker: Terre Deegan-Young

Zoom Attendees: Charles Bogle, Jim McNamee, John Hargleroad

Dale led the chapter members in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The American Legion Chef Mike took orders for lunch.

Dale reminded members of dues requirement for 2025.

Self-introductions were done to introduce ourselves to our guest speaker, Terre Deegan-Young, and her husband, Frank.

Meeting Minutes: The January 2025 Meeting Minutes were accepted.

<u>Treasurer's Report:</u> Treasurer's report for December 2024, January and February 2025 were accepted.

Old Business

Clothing update:

- Carl Cavalluzzi said we are down to 36 challenge coins and should he order more,
- It was determined that he needs to check on the price of various quantities of coins to determine how many should be ordered.
- No change in member and HWM clothing items from last month.

Mahogany Models

No update on models from Terry Olson.

Honor Flight

- Carlo updated the following Honor Flights departurers:
 - High Plains (Northern Colorado) 4/27/25
 - Rocky Mountain (Denver Airport) -4/10-12/25 and 5/8-10/25
 - H.F. of Colorado Springs 5/8-10/25 and 9/TBA
 - Applications need to be sent if interested in attending an Honor Flight
 - Additional information can be obtained on the WEB (coloradohonorflight.com)
- No update for DFC and National Vietnam War Museum from Charles Bogle.

Wings Over The Rockies

- Dale shared shared that we will continue to monitor the progress of the HWM end-of-life and transfer of items to Wings Over the Rockies museum.
- Dale suggested we use QR codes for the displays in the HWM.
- Dale discussed the need for members to fill out a biography form based on his experience with the passing of Rick Beaver and Ken Hamburger. The focus would be on the members military experience.

NEW BUSINESS

Event Schedule:

- 3/22 Broomfield Auditorium Veterans Symposium. Decision on choice of trailer or table (inside).
- 4/26 Exploration of Flight table set-up only (no HWM).
- TBD: Memorial Day Monday, May 26 Veterans Plaza, The Traveling Wall

• Dale gave a overview of Rick Beaver's celebration of life and his military experience and noted the use of QR code to access and save information.

• Jim McGrevey said he is taking with Charlie Johnson, Chairman of the Board at Wings Over the Rockies.

Dale adjourned the meeting at 10:34 AM and introduced Terre Deegan-Young who gave an inspiring presentation on her tour in Vietnam as a Red Cross Service Rep. Volunteer. She did not have an issue with being referred to as a "Donut Dolly."

Next Meeting:

• The next monthly meeting will be on Wednesday, March 19, 2025 at 1000 HRS

Adjournment:

• Dale House adjourned the meeting at 10:34 HRS.

Submitted by Doug Neil Secretary

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