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MAY 2025 NEWSLETTER

Meeting was opened at 2:30PM by Kevin Casper. Walker Floyd led prayer and followed with the Pledge of Allegiance. Approximately 10 members were in attendance including Board Members, Kevin Casper, Dennis Wade, and Dan Packard, Keith Wyrick Treasurer, Donnie Wheeler Secretary. Meeting led by Kevin Casper.

April minutes were reviewed and approved.

New Business:

- Brief discussion of setting a date for all club members shoot a match on the shotgun range to include a meal or cookout as part of this event. No date was set.
- Discussed inviting church security teams to the range to provide access for their training and as source of potential new membership to the park.
- Reviewed and agree to holding a club swap meet 30 minutes prior to the next scheduled meeting on June 08, 2024.
- Announced that the Florence County Sheriff Department is holding their annual shooting tournament on May 17, 2025.
- Walker Floyd sponsored Shawn Carraway for membership. The board met and approved his application following the monthly meeting.
- Kevin Casper sponsored reinstatement of Grant and Victoria Heath for family membership after they moved back to the Florence area. Membership will be effective when all dues are paid in full.

CRSO report – Kevin Casper

There are currently 95 members in the park. 1 additional member is likely not to renew membership.

Reviewed policies including prohibition of all full auto firearms and other modified or enhanced firearms. RSO should re-enforce this if any such firearms are presented on any range.

Treasurers Report was given by Keith Wyrick.

- Treasurers report shows favorable balance at this time. Club has approximately \$13,553.00 balance in checking/savings.
- Does not include Hunt Club balance of approximately \$4,303.60.
- This reflects minor expenses related to recent workday. No major expenses expected until August.

Old Business

- The rifle range had more maintenance to complete widening and leveling by dragging and spraying to mitigate weed growth.
- Discussion about requesting Florence County extend County water up to the property and connect to a meter only but without service at this time.

Fishing Report

- general low conditions of lakes and rivers

Hunt Club Report Dennis Wade

One turkey was observed on the club property during the Turkey season. No turkeys harvested this year. Some cleanup has been completed around the landowners' house and started some cleanup around the pond. Additional cleanup is planned around the pond and hunt club property.

Education report Bob Veasey

Environmental Report Dennis Wade

This year cicada will be emerging as part of the normal 17 year cycle.

Meeting was adjourned at 3:00 pm.
