

Minutes 04/2023

Club Pres Derek TYG was there as usual, half an hour early to set up the Zoom equipment (only one who used it this month was Don W0AF).

Derek	W0TYG	Kevin	N0MHK
Don	W0AF	Rich	K0RWJ
Bruce	N0BHB	Dan	KB0TDW
Chris	KF0FBL	Wayne	KN0WDJ
Bill	KD0FJR	Craig	KD0YTI
Greg	N0GR	Rich	WA0ZQG
Paul	WB0GXD	(15)	
Rick	KF0IQL		
Norm	WA0JYD		

Program

Per the recently adopted resolution Rick K0RWJ gave a program on Antenna Propagation Patterns first, before the business meeting, AND with the aid of Derek TYG on the projector, completed it in less than half an hour, 7:30 PM.

Minutes and **Treasurer's** report were 'approved' and 'accepted for audit' with \$8,113 balance. Recent checks were \$250 for McClelland hall rental; \$200 for club liability insurance, and \$112 for Zoom license (see last month's for details).

Repeaters

The \$5k authorization to put up a UHF antenna at Memorial park is on hold because it may be possible to put .82 there. It's a hill with a 200ft tower! (Maybe .82 will be good again.) Right now we're using the IWCC site for .22 receive, and John QKH's house near Simms St for .82 Tx.

We'd have to buy a kilobuck repeater antenna, but have some 1 ¼ Heliacx from Ch. 6. (Old .82 antenna and hardline is at the old cell tower site and we'd have to both gain access and probably Pay to get it down.)

Field Day

F/Day Chmn Rick RLR has stepped down to deal with some health issues. Derek TYG will E/M the Park Ranger to see about the Lake Manawa site we used last year. **No hands** were **raised** when asked for planned participants.

Field Day (cont.)

Craig YTI would like to 'stop by' Field Day, and Norm JYD agreed to around dinner time. Rich ZQG motioned to provide a budget of \$400 subject to whomever agrees to be F/Day Chmn, and it did pass, but only by a 9 to 4 vote.

New Business

The club constitution requires we vote in a new officer if one resigns (Rick RLR concerns about his health) and after a couple of 'No thanks' former officer Craig YTI said he'd volunteer and was elected VP by acclamation. (Yes, Paul GXD ran it all in accordance with Robert's Rules.)

Announcements

Zooming in from Glenwood, Don W0AF said the **Lake Manawa Saturday** get-together is on this year, 2nd Saturday of each month starting **05.13**.

Paul GXD said we're helping the Pride Week Parade the same day, 8AM downtown to get the 800 Mc H/Ts, and done before 1PM.

You know that's the date of the Lincoln Hamfest.

Paul GXD said his 442.525 is going again. Requires a 100 PL tone.

Meeting closed at 8:28 PM.

Minutes by Rich WA0ZQG, club Sec'y



This is the Memorial Park / Gleason St site, a 200 ft tower beside original .22 water tower