

**Sons of The American Legion
Detachment of Wisconsin**

Spring Detachment Executive Committee Minutes April 13, 2019

Opening

Call to Order

Saturday April 13, 2019 Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071) called to order the Detachment Executive Committee meeting being held at the American Legion Post 294, 231 Goodwin Ave, Hartland, WI at 12:34 PM.

Posting of the Colors

With the Colors being in place, a right-hand salute was rendered to the U.S. flag.

Invocation

Invocation was given by Detachment Chaplain John L'Huillier (434).

POW/MIA Empty Chair Ceremony

A ceremony honoring our POW/MIA was conducted by Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071) and Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms Mark Lipke (075).

Blue Star Banner Ceremony

The Blue Star Banner ceremony was conducted by Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071).

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms Mark Lipke (075).

Reciting of the S.A.L. Preamble

Reciting of the Preamble to the Constitution of the Sons of The American Legion was led by Detachment Vice Commander Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434)

Roll Call of Detachment Officers

Taken by the Detachment Adjutant David Faust (245). Voting Officers:

Detachment Commander	Christopher Sherman	(071)	Present
Detachment Vice Commander	Robert Sirovina, Jr.	(434)	Present
Detachment Vice Commander	Allen Watry	(038)	Excused
Detachment Vice Commander	David Fuller	(209)	Present
Detachment Vice Commander	Rich Ruland	(481)	Present
Detachment Chaplain	John L'Huillier	(434)	Present
Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms	Mark Lipke	(075)	Present
Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms	Ray Dzieciol	(059)	Present
National Executive Committeeman	Patrick Gryskiewicz	(091)	Excused
Alternate National Executive Committeeman	Kelly R. Powers	(121)	Excused
Past Detachment Commander	Mike A Kollmansberger	(075)	Absent
Past Detachment Commander	Gary Lubich	(121)	Present
Past Detachment Commander	Daniel R. Daily	(434)	Excused
1st District Commander	Joe Probst	(294)	Present
3rd District Commander	Ray Dzieciol	(534)	Present
4th District Commander	Christopher Dannenmann	(434)	Excused
6th District Commander	Mark Lipke	(075)	Present
10th District Commander	Gary Lubich	(121)	Present

Roll Call of Non-Voting Detachment Officers

Detachment Judge Advocate	Michael L. Lawler	(437)	Present
Detachment Historian	Joe Bromley	(071)	Excused
Detachment Adjutant	David Faust	(245)	Present
Detachment Assistant Adjutant	Gary Lee LeRoy	(294)	Excused
Detachment Assistant Adjutant	John L'Huillier	(434)	Present
Department S.A.L. Chairman	Jeff Puddy	(075)	Present

Reading of the Previous Minutes

Minutes of the Winter Detachment Executive Committee meeting were not available. Action will be deferred to the Detachment Convention.

Official Correspondence

Detachment Adjutant David Faust (245) no correspondence to report.

Detachment Officer Reports

Detachment Vice Commander – Detachment Vice Commander Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434) Districts (4, 5, 12) gave his report.

First District Report – First District Commander Joe Probst (294) gave his report.

Fourth District Report – Fourth District Commander Christopher Dannenmann (434) gave his report.

Motion by Past Detachment Commander Daniel R. Daily (434), to accept the report, second by Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms Ray Dzieciol (059), motion carried.

Detachment Vice Commander – Detachment Vice Commander Allen Watry (038) Districts (6, 8, 9) gave his report.

Motion by 4th District Commander Christopher Dannenmann (434), to accept the report, second by Detachment Vice Commander David Fuller (209), motion carried.

Detachment Vice Commander – Detachment Vice Commander David Fuller (209) Districts (1, 7, 10) gave his report.

Sixth District Report - Sixth District Commander Mark Lipke (075) gave his report.

Motion by Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms Ray Dzieciol (059), to accept the report, second by Past Detachment Commander Daniel R. Daily (434), motion carried.

Detachment Vice Commander – Detachment Vice Commander Rich Ruland (481) Districts (2, 3, 11) gave his report.

Third District Report - Third District Commander Ray Dzieciol (059) gave his report.

Motion by Past Detachment Commander Daniel R. Daily (434), to accept the report, second by Detachment Vice Commander Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434), motion carried.

Detachment Chaplain – Detachment Chaplain John L'Huillier (434) gave his report.

Motion by Detachment Vice Commander Rich Ruland (481), to accept the report, second by Detachment Vice Commander David Fuller (209), motion carried.

Detachment Historian – Detachment Historian Joe Bromley (071) had no report.

National Executive Committeeman – National Executive Committeeman Patrick N. Gryskiewicz (093) had no report.

Alternate National Executive Committeeman – Alternate National Executive Committeeman Kelly R. Powers (121) had no report.

Department S.A.L. Chairman – Department S.A.L. Chairman Jeff Puddy (075) gave his report.

Motion by Detachment Vice Commander Rich Ruland (481), to accept the report, second by 4th District Commander Christopher Dannenmann (434), motion carried.

Detachment Commander – Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071)

Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071) turned the meeting over to Detachment Vice Commander Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434) for the purpose of the Detachment Commander's report.

Detachment Vice Commander Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434) called on Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071) for his report.

Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071) gave his report.

Motion by Past Detachment Commander Daniel R. Daily (434), to accept the report, second by Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms Ray Dzieciol (059), motion carried.

Detachment Vice Commander Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434) turned the meeting back over to Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071).

Committee and Commission Reports

Detachment Subcommittee on Resolutions

There were no resolutions.

Detachment Programs Committee – Detachment Programs Committee Chairman Gary F. Lubich (121)

Detachment Americanism – Chairman Kelly R. Powers (121) gave his report.

Detachment Children and Youth – Chairman Daniel R. Daily (434) gave his report.

Detachment National Security – Chairman Allen Watry (038) gave his report.

Detachment Veterans Affairs – Chairman Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434) gave his report.

Motion by 4th District Commander Christopher Dannenmann (434), to accept the report, second by Detachment Vice Commander Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434), motion carried.

Detachment Finance Commission – Detachment Finance Chairman Tom Petrie (189) gave his report.

Motion by Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms Ray Dzieciol (059), to accept the report, second by Detachment Vice Commander Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434), motion carried.

Detachment Internal Affairs Commission – Detachment Internal Affairs Commission Chairman Mike A. Kollmansberger (075)

Detachment Legislative – Chairman Chad Lawler (437) gave his report.

Detachment Membership – Chairman Rich Ruland (481) gave his report.

Detachment Officer Development – Chairman Michael L. Lawler (437) gave his report.

Detachment Public Relations – Chairman Michael Kalsbeek (243) gave his report.

Motion by Past Detachment Commander Daniel R. Daily (434), to accept the report, second by 4th District Commander Christopher Dannenmann (434), motion carried.

Detachment Convention Credentials, Resolutions, and Rules – Detachment Convention Credentials, Resolutions, and Rules Committee Chairman Michael L. Lawler (437) reported the committee recommended no changes to the previously adopted Detachment Convention Rules.

Motion by 4th District Commander Christopher Dannenmann (434), to keep the Detachment Convention rules as previously adopted, second by Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms Ray Dzieciol (059), motion carried.

Resolutions, Motions and Petitions

There were no resolutions.

Unfinished Business

There was no unfinished business.

Appointments

Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071) appointed remaining 2019 Detachment Convention Committee Chairmen as follows:

- Americanism – Kelly R. Powers (121)
- Children and Youth – Daniel R. Daily (434)
- Constitutional Amendments – Michael L. Lawler (437)
- Finance – Tom Petrie (189)
- Legislative – Chad Lawler (437)
- Membership – Rich Ruland (481)
- National Security – Allen Watry (038)
- Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation – Robert Sirovina, Jr. (434)

Motion by Detachment Vice Commander David Fuller (209), to accept the report, second by Past Detachment Commander Daniel R. Daily (434), motion carried.

New Business

New business and actions taken go here.

For the Good of Sons of the American Legion

For the good goes here.

Closing

Benediction

Benediction was given by Detachment Chaplain John L'Huillier (434).

POW/MIA

The POW/MIA Empty Chair cover was retired by Detachment Sergeant-at-Arms Mark Lipke (075).

Adjournment

With no other business, Detachment Commander Christopher Sherman (071) declared the Spring Detachment Executive Committee meeting adjourned at 2:18 p.m.

Detachment Adjutant
David R. Faust (245)