

Minutes of SEMARC Annual Membership Meeting of January 11, 2022 (Approved February 22, 2022) This was a virtual online meeting by Microsoft Teams.

Meeting was called to order at 7:03 pm by President Ryc Lyden KDØZWM.

In attendance were members Dave Blume KDØIRF, Jim Boyd KCØQCO, John Dean KØJDD, Dave Finley KA8UHF, Dan Franz WDØGUP, Burnell Hanson KAØGX, Joe Heitzinger KCØOIO, Bill Heyerdoff KDØMHE, Joe Hibberd W3QLC, Steve Howard AEØXE, Paul Kanikula KF9CP, Dave Larson KEØHAL, Ryc Lyden KDØZWM, Brian McInerney NØBM, George Power KØGCP, John Regan KAØHYR, Dick Roberts NØUC, Dave Schultz KBØSED, and invited guests from SARA. Total present was 23.

**Gordon West, WB6NOA** gave a live presentation on the importance of amateur radio in emergency response communication.

Minutes of the November 30, 2021 meeting were approved. (MSA: Power, Franz, all)

Treasurer's report – Lyden reported for Blume. December starting \$13,597.26, ending \$14,182.26. No report for November.

Winter Field Day will be on January 29-30 from members' homes.

Roberts reported invitations to the groups.io email service will be sent again. Members are encouraged to sign up.

New Business – Motion to recognize Richard "Skip" Jackson KSØJ for his outstanding contributions to SEMARC and the amateur radio community. (Hibberd, Franz, all). Hibberd will send the proclamation to Skip.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m. (MSA: Hibberd, Finley, all)

Respectfully submitted, Joe Hibberd W3QLC Secretary