



**Minutes of SEMARC Membership Meeting of September 28, 2021 (Approved October 26, 2021)**

The meeting was held at Zion Lutheran Church in Cottage Grove.

Meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm by President Ryc Lyden KDØZWM.

In attendance were members Dave Blume KDØIRF, Gary Esler WKØX, Dave Finley KA8VHF, Dan Franz WDØGUP, Chuck Hanson KFØGFK, Joe Hibberd W3QLC, Dave Larson KEØHAL, Ryc Lyden KDØZWM, Brian McInerney NØBM, George Power KØGCP, John Regan KAØHYR, Dick Roberts NØUC, and Dave Schultz KBØSED. Total present was 13.

Minutes of the August 31, 2021 meeting were approved. (MSA McInerney, Regan, all)

Treasurer's Report – Blume reported August starting balance of \$13,393.14 and ending balance of \$13,433.14. Amounts reconcile with bank statements. For more detailed information contact the treasurer.

Regan announced the Medtronic Twin Cities Marathon this Saturday needs many ham operators.

Volunteer Examination Committee. Franz reported the September 18 exam session had two people sign up but none appeared. Discussion about how to handle people who fail to show when registered.

Activities Committee –

Larson thanked Blume for coordinating the Parks On The Air on September 11 at Jaycee Park in Hastings. Blume thanked all who helped.

Blume proposed the final field event of the year for this Saturday, October 2, at Salem Hills Park in Inver Grove Heights.

McInerney proposed a special event next year to commemorate the 80th anniversary of the Battle of Midway.

The statewide Simulated Emergency Test on October 23 will support MN VOAD.

Blume will coordinate Winter Field Day on January 29-30, 2022.

Old Business – Roberts reported the io.email reflector is ready to go. Joe Heitzinger KCØOIO will manage it.

Meeting adjourned at 7:46 p.m. (MSA: Franz, Schultz, all)

Program following the business meeting Dick Roberts NØUC gave a presentation on end-fed antennas.

Respectfully submitted,

Joe Hibberd, W3QLC  
Secretary