# Deputy Sheriffs' Association of San Diego County Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Directors held at the association headquarters

President Michael O'Deane called the Meeting of the Board of Directors to order on August 10, 2023, at 2:05 p.m.

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#### **ROLL CALL OF DIRECTORS:**

Present: Crane, Lewis, Nazerian, O'Deane, Sanders, Richards

Absent: Bentley - unexcused, Garcia - excused, Leonhardi - unexcused

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#### 1) APPEARANCES:

- a) 2:00 Scott Welkley NEP
  - i) A presentation on a mobile app as well as website development was given to the board.
- b) 2:30 p.m. Curt Conkling Fairway Independent Mortgage Co
  - i) A presentation was given to the board regarding home loan agreements.
- c) 2:45 p.m. Roger Hilton FOP
  - i) A discussion with the board considering the benefit of the Fraternal Order of Police.

The Executive Meeting of the Board of Directors was recessed at 5:16 p.m.

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Leonhardi arrived at 5:30 p.m.

President O'Deane called the General Membership meeting to order at 5:34 p.m.

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#### **MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:**

Shane Cardiff - GBDF

Noe Flores - Poway 24

Jacob Klepach - ECRGTF

Brian Lopez - GBDF 26

David Lovejoy - CPAC 27

Ken Newsom - Vista CSB 28

Allan Paez - Vista CSB 29

Daniel Valencia - RMDF

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## 2) CONSENT CALENDAR:

- a) Minutes from July 27, 2023
- b) July Director Expenses
- c) Retirements
  - i) Abbott, Russell 16 years of membership \$3,300

MOTION/Richards, SECOND/Crane to approve the consent calendar. Motion unanimously carries.

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### 3) PRESIDENT'S REPORT: O'Deane

- a) Director Elections/Installation Lunch
  - i) President O'Deane advised the board of the open voting period for the upcoming election.
- b) New membership request
  - i) A request for new membership groups has been proposed.

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### 4) VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Richards

- a) Public Records Request/Demographic Data
  - i) Richards informed the members of a Department email that was sent to deputies mentioning "people of color" and advised that the DSA is looking into the matter further.
- b) DSA Staff
  - i) Vice President Richards suggests hiring a CEO for the DSA.
  - ii) An HR company has been hired to do an overhaul of the DSA office and results will be available in August.

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#### 5) **SECRETARY/TREASURER REPORT:** Sanders

- a) Capital One
  - i) Credit cards are needed for daily office purchases.

MOTION/Sanders, SECOND/Richards to approve four credit cards for the DSA president, second full release director, DSA store and bookkeeper. Motion unanimously carries.

- ii) Non-members
  - i) An amnesty period will begin for membership and continue through Sept 10, 2023.

#### 6) **COMMITTEE REPORT**

- a) DSA Store: Crane
- b) FINANCE/BUDGET: Sanders
  - i) Air Duct Cleaning
    - There are connection problems, clogs and holes in air ducts that need to be repaired and cleaned.

MOTION/Sanders, SECOND/Richards to approve up to \$6,995 for air duct cleaning and repairs at the DSA office. Motion unanimously carries.

- c) PORAC: Crane
  - i) Senate Bill
    - i) Crane advised of the upcoming bill that would revoke law enforcement officers' ability to buy off-roster guns.
- d) POLITICAL ACTION: O'Deane
- e) **NEGOTIATIONS:** Bentley/O'Deane
- f) MEMBER EVENTS: Lewis/Nazerian
  - i) 2024 Padres Season Tickets
    - (a) The DSA will have tickets available for the 2024 season at \$25 per seat.
  - ii) BBQ Competition
    - (a) The annual DSA BBQ Competition will be held on October 28<sup>th.</sup> Registration is on the DSA website.
- g) DONATIONS: Sanders
  - i) Alzheimer's Walk
    - i) A donation request was received for the Alzheimer's Walk.

MOTION/Sanders, SECOND/Lewis to approve \$500 for the Alzheimer's Walk, in honor of Bill Kolender. Motion unanimously carries.

#### h) BYLAWS/STANDING RULES: Richards

- i) Bylaw Change Proposals
  - Richards suggests bylaw verbiage to include each class of deputy when referencing representation during negotiations meetings.
- i) MEET & DISCUSS/CONFER: Bentley
- j) INSURANCE: Sanders
- k) **SCHOLARSHIPS**: Lewis
- I) PEACE OFFICER MEMORIAL: Garcia
- m) LEGAL DEFENSE: Crane
- n) SICKNESS AND DISTRESS: Sanders

#### 7) UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- a) Women in Law Enforcement tees
  - i) An additional \$302.80 is requested for event t-shirts.

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MOTION/Sanders, SECOND/Richards to approve \$302.80 for t-shirts for the Women in Law Enforcement event.

Ayes: Leonhardi, Lewis, Nazerian, Richards, Sanders

Noes: Crane Abstain: Motion carries.

## 8) **NEW BUSINESS**:

- a) Uniform Policy
  - i) The Department is trying to change the policy and requiring uniform inspections.

### 9) GOOD OF THE ASSOCIATION:

- a) Poway BBQ Request Wallace \$500
  - i) A request was received for a new smoker for the Poway station.
  - ii) No action.
- b) Noe Flores won the door prize.
- 10) ADJOURNED 5:54 p.m.

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