

MEMBERS PRESENT

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CALL TO ORDER by Sally Moore – 10:25

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIENCE

WELCOME to Mike Williams and Mike Bosco from Kittitas County

MINUTES – Correction – Thurston County had training for 4-6 people in September. **Motion to approve as corrected by Bruce, Second by Walt, motion carried.**

CORRESPONDENCE – Letter from Snohomish County regarding training/standards. They have 14 people starting. Bob suggested they train to WESAR Standards. Sally will follow-up with an acknowledgment that they are attempting to re-organize. They have already received a start-up package from us

TREASURER’S REPORT – balance of \$11,523.23 in account. One outstanding purchase of \$6.00. Summary is available if you wish to review.

CREDIT CARD/WAMU – We need all authorized signers at the branch to open the new account and approval to 1 signature on the checks to make it easier to move \$s into CD’s. **Motion by Bruce to open checking, savings and DC accounts at WAMU, allowing transfers with one signature and checks and debits requiring two signatures. Second by Walt. Motion Passed.**

QUARTERMASTER REPORT – No report. Store list of supplies and prices requested.

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| RECERTIFICATION – Dates Set | Pierce County | March 19-20 |
| | Thurston County | April 9-10 |
| | Mason County | TBD |

Bob Boyd noted that he would be available again for calls to help do recerts.

TRAINING – Bruce presented progress on the new red book. Work is color coded by County at this point to track sourcing. Help will be needed to edit & correct – probably at the January meeting. By February will try to get a copy to Roger with the missing material. Roger can go to Rick LaVilla to clip & paste material for blanks & then we can add in the graphics. Suggestions: - use digital pictures – CDs use work – so files are editable – present in a binder so updates can be replaced at a later date. – note disclaimer for First Aid material vs. certification.

THANKS ARE EXPRESSED TO BRUCE FOR ALL YOUR WORK & TIME ON THIS PROJECT.

UNIT REPORTS –

KING – 50th Anniversary -200+ people attended 50th Anniversary Celebration held at Pickering Farm in Issaquah. Speakers were Sheriff Reichert, CEO of REI, and Chris Long-State DEM. Bill Riesdorf presented a history of SAR. OL's were recognized. Centerpieces were old lunch box radios & greenery. T-shirts were raffled. Slide shows were ongoing in the 4 corners of the room.

Training – Started Training rotation in September. So far it's a slow start.

Missions – Mt. Garfield for a lost hiker
Lake Net for missing hikers
Mt Si - 4 mile pack out for injured hiker
Renton – dementia subject
Car accident – subject found after 8 days

115 people worked 3600 hours and drove 29,000 miles this year

KITSAP - Fundraiser – Total income from KC Fair \$11,053.25 less \$677. for expenses. Mason County will receive a check for their share.

We have received a letter stating we own 9% of 5 acres in San Bernadino County, CA as part of the inheritance. Bruce signed the letter to sell our share.

Training – 15 new trainees and 2 transfers from GSSD

Missions – Cadaver search – limited call out for one dog & handler & a metal detector
2 evidence searches – one for a pistol, we searched 8 miles of road
- two for a 40 caliber shell, we also found a 22 & a 30

Purchases – Metal detector, two new King Mobil radios & 10 new King handhelds.
We're still working on the "potty trailer".

PIERCE – One Search - Holly evidence search in Bremerton

Fundraiser at Safeco Field is complete. \$26,000 earned b4 expenses.

Purchases – 12 new high band radios + 3 free. All are Motorola.

12 new lap top computers & 2 power points from GSA in Auburn

Recruiting - we have 4 more orientations – slow start

Training – Begins next weekend. Each course will be taught 3 times

SKAGIT – 5 Searches

Climbing accident from adventure race

One turn around

Sakgit River boating accident

SRT team for an 80-year-old woman

Evidence search in an officer related shooting

Training – Training for about 40 people is ongoing. Whatcom and Snohomish Counties have people training with us. Training Fee is \$20.00. Training material is our own – not the red book. SRT Team Members (TLs, FLs, OPS Leaders) will do ride alongs with Sheriff Deputies & EMTs.

THURSTON – Searches One turn around for a lost hunter.

Training – After first Course G we have 5 trainees. A few adults are coming in. Second Course G we expect 7-9.

