



**The United States Police Canine
Association
Region Three, Inc.**

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**The United States Police Canine Association – Region III, Inc.
Membership Meeting
May 19, 2006
FOP Lodge #1 Washington, DC**

Meeting Called to Order: 2018hrs

Executive Board Roll Call:

Pres. J. Matarese	-	P	Trustee B. Byers	-	A
V. Pres. M. Davis	-	P	Trustee D. Jones	-	P
Secretary B. Green	-	P	Trustee T. Liddell	-	P
Treas. M. Dewey	-	p	Trustee W. Stewart	-	E

Secretary's Report: B. Green

-Motion made/seconded/passed to waive reading of April 2006 minutes.

Vice President's Report: M. Davis

-D. Page will represent J. Binnix, National Trustee, at the National Meeting in Miss.

Treasury Report: M. Dewey

-see attached.

Checking: \$11,910.22

Petty Cash: \$800.00

Endowment Fund: \$308,410.30

Supply Acct: \$5,390.73

-Motion made/seconded/passed to accept 20Apr06-17May06 report.

Supply Account: D. Page

-New shirts, decals and other supplies have been ordered.

Awards Committee: J. Matarese

-We are still waiting on plaques and other supplies from Beehive Trophies.

Trainers/Judges Applications: D. Jones

-Nothing to report.

Region 3 Benevolence Report: T. Liddell

-Cards from the Region have been sent to D. Rudolph (injury) and M. Pecoraro (family death).

-Please advise Terrance of any occurrences in which he could respond to on behalf of Region 3.

NE Vice President Report: W. Stewart (E)

-W. Stewart will now head the National Trainers Committee, as M. Calabrese is assuming the duties of the National Judges Committee from D. Slavik. D. Slavik is stepping down due to personal issues. Thank you Don, for your dedication.

OLD BUSINESS

-2006 Region 3 Detector Trial Review: The minimum amount of EOD testing material was used. The general consensus at this meeting is that amount should be increased. The CIA sergeants provided the lunch at the two day trial. We had nice facilities and it appeared that the two day trial worked much better.

-Region 3 Training Seminars: B. Green has been in contact with Michael Ellis and Terry Fleck for seminars. Dates will be arranged with M. Dewey to work around an upcoming PD 1 mini trial and First Aid seminar. A Seminar with Terry Fleck will likely be planned for November (Legal Update & Tactical Tracking). A possible OB/Aggression seminar with Michael Ellis will be scheduled for late October. M. Dewey is arranging the First Aid seminar with Dr. Paul McNamara.

-2006 Region 3 PD 1 Trial Review: The trial went well. Place trophies for individual categories did not arrive from Beehive in time to be presented. There was an issue at Beehive, not Region 3. Sales of Region / National supplies were very good.

-2006 Iron Dog: There had been inquiries from the Marines to host this event, however, they are not members. It's felt that they should be members to host an event. The handlers are in conflict with their administration over the payment of USPCA dues. At this time, no Iron Dog is planned.

-2006 Tracking Trial: To be held again in Hayward, VA with the date TBA. W. Stewart will handle this endeavor.

-Endowment Fund Report: We will have John Jilek of Edward Jones, Inc. attend the July 2006 meeting to give us an update on our investments. He would like to do this semi-annually.

-COPS Picnic K9 Demo: The picnic and demo went well. We had a nice sound system and a good turnout from area K9 teams.

NEW BUSINESS

-Rule Proposals: None were submitted from our Region. Send J. Matarese or W. Stewart an email if you have any ideas.

-Judges/Stewards/Scorekeepers Stipend: Discussion was had pertaining to reimbursement of the aforementioned for gas money for volunteering at the trial. J. Matarese will write a proposal and submit it at next months meeting.

GOOD OF THE ASSOCIATION

-Mike & Trish Dewey (treasurer, scorekeeper, Greenbelt, MD PD): New son Justin has finally arrived. Mom & baby are doing well.

Meeting Adjourned: 2120hrs.