



Major B.F. Hickey Detachment 57

Date: **13AUG26**

Meeting called to order: 1900 HOURS.

OPENING CEREMONY:

The opening ceremony was conducted in accordance with the MCL Ritual.

OFFICERS PRESENT:

Commandant	☒	Sr Vice Commandant	☒	Jr Vice Commandant	☒
Judge Advocate	☒	Adjutant/Paymaster	☒	Chaplin	☒
Sgt at Arms	☒	Jr. Past Commandant	☒		

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS OR GUEST SPEAKER:

- N/A

APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED FOR NEW MEMBERSHIP:

- Jeferson Velasquez

BALLOTING ON APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP:

- Yea – All Present

AWARDS:

- N/A

ADJUTANT'S REPORT:

Minutes of Previous Meeting:

- Posted Online at www.stpetemcl.org
 - Motion to waive reading of and accept the Minutes for the **070926** meeting as posted online made by Marine Cary Burns & seconded by Marine Bob Decker
 - Discussion – None
 - The Motion: **Passed**

Correspondence Received

- Chapel of Four Chaplains, HEP – Helping People Help Themselves

PAYMASTER'S REPORT:

Marine Corps League
Major B. F. Hickey - Detachment 57
PAYMASTERS REPORT
Date: 09-Aug-26

Wells Fargo Detachment 57 Account Activity:

End of the Day	30-Jun-26	Balance	\$36,415.39
		Total Deposits:	\$ 7,340.00
		Expenditures:	\$ 2,501.57
End of the Day	31-Jan-25	Balance	\$41,253.82

Regions Bingo Account Activity:

Belcher Disbursement for month	\$ 931.00
Regions Bank Fees	
Remaining After Fees	\$ TBD 0.00
Amount to be Transferred to Wells Fargo	\$ TBD 0.00
Venture Crew	\$TBD 0.00

CHAPLAINS REPORT:

- Joyce Dahl is doing better with her atrial fibrillation
- Mike Garafalo had shoulder surgery and is currently undergoing rehab. Doing better and may join us at the meeting on the 13th.
- Jimmy Rexroad is still waiting for a new kidney, so let's keep lifting that in prayer.
- Ken Friend's brother passed away. Let's keep Ken and his family in prayer through this time.
- John Sewart was released from the VA hospital today. He has an infection and complications from Leukemia.

REPORT OF OFFICERS AND STAFF:

Commandant:

- Wounded Warriors Abilities Ranch Alive Ride is Tuesday 1Sept26 starting at 0800. Volunteers needed from 07:30 to 15:30. NOTE: MCL Check #3276 of \$2,500 for WWAR given to Tim
- VFW post auxiliary will be looking for Marines available to demonstrate flag folding and proper etiquette at two elementary schools in the area.

Sr. Vice Commandant:

- No Report

Jr. Vice Commandant:

- No Report

Jr. Past Commandant:

- Excused
- Marine Bob Decker reported Veteran Housing Support of approx. \$800.

Judge Advocate:

- No Report

Sergeant-at-Arms:

- No Report

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES:

Rose Sale Committee (vacant):

- Publix Rose Sales now limited to one day per weekend at participating stores. The same store can offer a 2nd sale day the following week(s). So far, 2 Rose Sale days are scheduled in Sept. (5th & 13th) at the new Publix at 66th St. N. & 38th Ave. N.
- Upcoming Scheduled Rose Sale dates:

Sep 5th	<i>New Publix – 66yh Street N& 38th Ave N</i>	SATURDAY
Sep 13th	<i>New Publix – 66yh Street N& 38th Ave N</i>	SUNDAY
TBD		

Car Show Committee (Bob Decker):

- No Report

Detachment Quarterly Social / MC Birthday Committee (Dylan Sherman):

- 22AUG @ 13:30 HOURS – TBD, either Mugs Icon or “The Zoo” on 66th St

Venture Crew/Boy Scout & Eagle Scout Committee (Tim Bulu):

- No Report

Trap Shoot Committee (Cary)

- Date pending in April

Detachment Quarterly Social / MC Birthday Committee (Dylan Sherman)
August 22nd at 13:30 – Mugs Icon or “The Zoo” – TBD

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Gun Raffle:

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MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS:

- Bay Pines Unattended Service – 1st Tuesday of every month
- Pistol Shoot at the Wyoming Antelope Club (3rd Saturday of every month) 1000-1100 HOURS

Detachment Shooting Team:

- Marine Bob Decker – Need more shooters. 10 signed up, 5 are active and getting closer to possible medal territory
- MCL Pistol Team WAC Shoots: 1st & 2nd Saturdays @ 1000; 1st & 3rd Thursdays @ 1300 HOURS
- Targets needed.

Veterans / Members in Need:

- Briefing on recent request for assistance. Included \$314. For Vet’s wife’s books

0 Marines or FMF Corpsmen or Chaplains guests
 Non-Marine guests.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Need a Process Training Protocol for Vets in Need. Marine Bob Decker request a meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Preliminary discussion of support request by Chapel of Four Chaplains, suspended
- Motion made by Marine Bob Decker to suspend for new member vote (2nd by Marine Cary Burns) on Jeferson Valasquez (who was excused from the room). Nomination passed unanimously.
- Motion to reopen meeting by Marine Bob Canon, 2nd by Cary Burns
- Marine Jeferson Valasquez Swearing-in Ceremony

- Motion to give \$400. To Chapel of Four Chaplains by Ken Friend. 2nd by Bob Decker. Approved unanimously
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GOOD OF THE LEAGUE:

Marine Bill Dahl thanked Chaplain Eddie Valez for his support and prayers for his wife, Joyce, during recent hospitalizations.

NOTE: Veterans breakfast every Friday morning at Bob Evans at the corner of 66th street and Tyrone Blvd.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **NEXT MEETING** – 2nd Thursday, 10 September 26 – 1800 Hours Social Hour & 1900 Hours for Regular Meeting - VFW Post 4364.
- **STAFF MEETING** – 03 September 26 – 1830 HOURS – via Zoom or Google Meet.
- **CLOSING CEREMONY:** (The closing ceremony was conducted in accordance with the MCL Ritual.)