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2017 TO 2018 CHAPTER OFFICERS

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- November 16, 2017
TBC FSMS Dinner Meeting

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NEXT MEETING

November Chapter Meeting

Thursday, November 16th, 2017

5:30 PM Social Hour

6:30 PM Meeting and Dinner

Cost: \$20 per full member/guest, \$15 per associate member

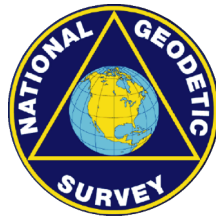
Cash, Check or Credit Card accepted
(Credit will incur nominal processing fee)

Location:

Lee Roy Selmon's at
4302 W. Boy Scout Road, Tampa, FL 33607

Program:

One hour video on 2022 Datums with David Doyle of NGS

**SECRETARY'S REPORT**

*Florida Surveying & Mapping Society,
Thursday, October 26th, 2017 Meeting Minutes*

Location: Lee Roy Selmon's at 4302 W. Boy Scout Road, Tampa, FL 33607

Meeting Start: 6:31 PM

Persons in Attendance: 10 full members and 1 associate member

The meeting was called to order by President Chris Wild, followed by the pledge and the reading of the anti-trust statement.

OLD BUSINESS

- A **motion** was made by Bob Dye to accept the Secretary's Minutes as published in the Field Book. As there was no discussion on the motion, it was seconded by Ed Wackerman and passed unanimously.
- A **motion** was made by Bob Dye to accept the Treasurer's Report as published in the Field Book. As there was no discussion on the motion, it was seconded by Vice President Bob Breedlove and passed unanimously.

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- Director's Report - Justin Ferrans reported that things are quiet right now, but there is a Board meeting on November 2-3 in Lakeland.
- Chapter Committee Updates
 - ◇ Civic/Community Events - Clothes to Kids donations were collected at the meeting, and monetary donations will be collected for Thanksgiving Turkeys next meeting. There was discussion about the \$450 dollars we have set aside for Gallons for GIs and the fact that we do not currently know of anyone to send it to. Other alternatives were brought up including Wounded Warriors, local legions, AMVETS. We also discussed bringing canned food to the Christmas party.
 - ◇ Special Events – Treasurer Johnny Beland talked about having the Chapter Christmas Party at the Clearwater Aquarium. It was decided that based on past attendance, the costs would be too high. An alternative suggestion was to look for a country club.
 - ◇ Programs – President Chris Wild mentioned a course on Elevation Certificates, as well as a number of Geospatial User's Group videos that are on the schedule for CEU approval in early November. He will schedule one of these for the November meeting.
 - ◇ Membership – Nothing to report.
 - ◇ Scholarship - The date for the next golf tournament will be 4/21/18.

The meeting took a break for dinner from 6:42 to 6:59.

NEW BUSINESS

- A call was made for volunteers to chair some new committees. Due to the lower than average attendance of this meeting, discussion was postponed until the next meeting.
- There were no qualified submissions in the prototype phase of the AiLTA Land Survey Automation Challenge. According to the website—"our best guess is that the challenge was too audacious for the current state of technology". The challenge was modified to remain open until a winner is found, and to remove the requirement for automating the discovery of title documents.
- There is an FSMS Board meeting November 2-3 in Lakeland.
- President Chris Wild talked about the discussion being had to change the Young Surveyors Committee into a Practice Section, which would mean creating bylaws, having the ability to collect funds, and in general more flexibility. A goal of the group is to provide tailored services to young unlicensed members.
- There is a BPSM meeting November 6-8 in West Palm Beach. It is an open meeting except for the probable cause panel which on Nov 6.
- Tickets were distributed for the PAC Fundraiser. The drawing for a \$500 Visa gift card is scheduled for December.
- A **motion** was made by Director Justin Ferrans at 7:56 to adjourn the meeting. As there was no discussion on the motion, it was seconded by FSMS President-Elect Dianne Collins and passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Tampa Bay Chapter Secretary, Jared Phillips.

TREASURER'S REPORT**October 2017 Treasurer's Report**

Tampa Bay Chapter - Florida Surveying & Mapping Society

Treasurer's Report - OCTOBER 2017

Submitted by: Johnny Beland

Beginning Balance OCTOBER 1, 2017	\$4,226.66
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Income:

10/27/2017	CLOTHES TO KIDS DONATION	\$197.25	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10/30/2017	OCTOBER DINNER MEETING LEROY SELMON'S	\$215.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Total Income:	\$412.25	\$4,638.91
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Expenses:

10/30/2017	OCTOBER DINNER MEETING LEROY SELMON'S	\$220.03	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Check #
			<input type="checkbox"/>	

Total Expenses:	\$220.03	\$4,418.88
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Balance as of October 31, 2017	\$4,418.88
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✓ - cleared in Bank Statement

Dedicated Funds:

TKF Fund (2017)	\$120.00
CONFERENCE BBQ/CLOTHES FOR KIDS	\$307.87
GALLONS FOR GI'S	\$450.00
Net Cash:	\$3,541.01

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FSMS IS THE SOURCE OF INSPIRATION, MOTIVATION, EMPOWERMENT AND PRIDE FOR SURVEYING AND MAPPING PROFESSIONALS;

FSMS EMBODIES A SPIRIT OF RESPECT; SYNERGISTIC COOPERATION AND COMMITMENT;

THROUGH PUBLIC POLICY, ADVOCACY, EDUCATION AND OTHER MEANS, FSMS PROMOTES THE PROFESSION AND THE INDIVIDUALS IT SERVES.

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