

SOUNDING BOARD

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April 8, 2024



Cmdr. Jill Stevenson

Commander: Jill Stevenson opened the meeting at 7:04 PM. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Ron Sherman. Motion was made to accept the minutes as read. Motion Passed. We have a quorum.

Treasurer: Doug Sherman gave his report.

Executive Officer: Yvonne de la Pena

Legislative: Yvonne reported that there are 2 bills working their way to the legislature, 1 regarding safety flares on boats and 1 regarding the use of Styrofoam objects in the water, such as buoys, dock supports, floating markers. She will keep us informed.

Port Captain: Gerrit Dyke No Report

Public Relations: Jill Stevenson Opening day parade was a big success. 16 boats participated. USCG Axillary is giving a class at SYC Saturday April 13th for your Boater's Card. EVERYONE must have one starting 1-1-2025.

Safety: Ray de la Pena Spring runoff is in full flow, so be aware of debris in the water. BOAT SAFE!

Vessel Safety Check: Temp Doug Sherman 48 VSC given. Several inspection groups are set up over the next few weeks.

Inspectors need recertification by June 30th. Training available online and will count towards merit mark.

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Next Meeting

May 13, 2024

Executive meeting at

6:45pm

Regular Meeting @7:00pm



Ex. O. Yvonne De La Pena



Treasurer Doug Sherman

Administrative Officer: Open

Boating Activities:

Membership Involvement: Susan Bod

Susan is working on a Cinco De Mayo event, as well as Memorial Weekend and The Fourth of July. Flyers for the events will be sent out as we get closer to the event.

Membership: Doug Sherman 116 members at this time.

Island Report: Roland Bod

Island Clean up scheduled for April 27. PLEASE contact Roland if you will be helping out. He needs a head count for lunch. Also, please to remember to bring gloves and any tools that might be useful.



Secretary: Bonnie Rogers

Website: Doug Sherman Website is up and running.

Historian: Jill Stevenson No report

Roster: Doug Sherman up to date

Social Media: Everyone

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Education Officer: Phil Horner

Doug Sherman reported he is giving one JumpStart. Phil will be giving a boat handling Course at VWM June 1st.

. Old Business:

New Business:

Roland reported that he was able to reduce is boat taxes by working with the county tax assessor. It was a fairly easy process, and well worth the time. Suggested members should check it out.

Meeting adjourned: 7:41 PM



Education Phil Horner



Birthdays in April

Dan Gorham Craig Santos Blain Bibb Carol Sherman William Thomas Ron Sherman Anthony Lonsdale
Roger Reimer Chris Long Jim Montgomery John Paval Arthur Douwes Shelly Murray Sam Teresi
David Breninger Chad Castleman

**Save the Date.....Celebration of Life for Kathy McCoy will be held on May 18th.
Information will follow as it is available.**

Please keep special thoughts and prayers for those members who are having health issues, facing surgeries and in need of special attention.

Zoom Information for this year's meetings:

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.

Monthly: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/tZYqcemprT0oH9EQIwhO5G9HGFMG8AshCsIL/ics?icsToken=98tyKuGqqT0qG9eTshyCRpwQB4_oc-vztiFBgvp4rTbyCw8GRVreEcRvFepeA9Dz

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