Minutes of Meeting March 18, 2021

The meeting was called to order via zoom by Dennis K2NPT until the president was able to check in. Dennis also led the group in the salute to the flag.

Member introductions were omitted.

Under health and welfare Don KV2NG reported on the illness of KD2ROF's wife keeping her in the hospital with COVID related pneumonia.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by KA2F and were approved unanimously after motions by end to W2NIR and W2OD.

A new member application was read by KA2F for Matthew Coombs KD2VWG a technician licensee. Tthis was approved unanimously after motions by K2MFS and W2 NAZ.

The president's report was given by Art N2AJO who stated that the Red Cross had made no changes to its COVID policy reflecting Garden State use of the place for meetings and testing.

He noted that he had received her request by KT6A to use the club repeater for a ham fest being planned for the area.

The treasurer's report was presented by Diana KD2NAD and she was asked to send the full report to KA2F for inclusion in these minutes.

Dennis K2NPT followed up with a report on dues payments, stating that the five members had not renewed their dues. Dennis K2 NPT gave a committee report regarding Field Day and noted that it was planned to have field day in two parts, in the field at Joe Palaia park and at home in the homes of members, which has add been approved by a ARRL.

Uunder unfinished business the proposed change to the constitution made by Art W2NAZ and formerly read at the last business meeting was read for the final time and discussion was invited by president. There was no discussion and the vote to approve was unanimously made after motions by K2CYS and K2MFS.

Uunder new business the proposal to donate \$50 to the Red Cross for Texas relief was made by K2CYS. Iit was unanimously approved after motions by K2MFS and WA2JOE effectively approving reimbursement to K2CYS for his personally sent donation. There were questions for the chief engineer regarding high frequency radio. The meeting was closed at 8:06.

submitted by John K2F