Minutes for Chapter Meeting November 11, 2015

Major K. M. Van Zandt Chapter #6, Texas SAR

9:00 a.m.

Compatriot James Alderman called the meeting to order.

- Chaplin Roger Tate led the invocation.
- James Alderman led the pledge to the flag of the United States of America, the pledge to the flag of the State of Texas, and the pledge to the SAR flag.
- Chaplain Roger Tate introduced Mayor Betsy Price.
- Mayor Betsy Price spoke on Fort Worth Texas growth and Plans.
- James Alderman & Mayor Betsy Price presented pins to Vietnam Era Veterans.
- James Alderman presented Mayor Betsy Price Certificate of Appreciation & SAR Liberty Bell
- Ken Cox presented Mayor Betsy Price Veterans Council Coin.
- James Alderman & Genealogist Gerry Gieger announced plans about the Armed Forces Bowl on 29 December 2015.
- **President** Russell Leavens recognized Ken Riddleclow.
- **President** Russell Leavens awarded Service Medal & Service to Veterans Medal to Don Goodman, Service to Veterans Medal to Gerry Gieger, & Service Award to Bobby Gresham for being on Guard at President Washington's Tomb.
- **Genealogist** Gerry Gieger presented new member Mark Holt & Randoll Reagan. President Russell Leavens gave the oath to new members. John Anders & Skip Warren pinned new members.
- **Compatriot** Scott Manning presented nominations for 2016-2017 Officers, members present voted & approved.

Reports from Officers

- President Leavens called for reports from chapter officers and committees
- **Treasurer** Vaughn Oliver, presented the Treasurer's Report reporting balance of three (3) accounts total of \$12,635.63. President Leavens requested the Treasurer's report be accepted. Treasurer's report was approved.
- **President** Leavens requested the previous month's minutes be accepted as posted on the Chapter Web page. The minutes were approved as posted.
- **Genealogist** Gerry Gieger gave status on applications of new members.
- **President** Leavens called on Chaplain Roger Tate to lead recessional.
- **Chaplain** Roger Tate led the recessional.
- **President** Leavens adjourned the meeting.
- **Chaplain** Roger Tate gave the benediction and the meeting was concluded at 10:20 AM. In attendance, per the sign-in sheet and observation, were 23 members and 18 guests for a total of 41 attendees.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen E. Smith, Secretary, Major K. M. Van Zandt Chapter