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**MINUTES LIBERTY CHAPTER 42
SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
HELD AT RUDY'S NOLANA & 281
MCALLEN TX –September 23, 2009**

Meeting called to order by Bruce Barrett at 5:45 P.M.

**Members present: Bruce Barrett; Matt Adams; Ralph Ross; Ralph Boles; Scott Cullum, and one Guest Daniel Clarke.
David is a prospective new member.**

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Bruce Barrett read the minutes from the July meeting. Motion to approve the minutes by Bruce Seconded by Ralph Bolls. Motion passed with no additions or corrections

**Matt Adams stated we have \$2,534.50 in our account at the Lone Star Bank.
The Treasurer's report Approved as stated.**

The proposed raffle of Bruce's 3 bedroom 3 baths beach house on Padre Island for one week was discussed. It was agreed that we would try to sell 250 tickets at \$20.00 each. A motion was made by Bruce to print the tickets at a cost of \$150 to \$200. Motion seconded by Scott Cullum. Motion passed. Each member to receive 25 tickets to sell. The winner can reserve the house any week between March 15th and December 15th.

A suggestion made by Ralph Bolls to include several JROTC members to be involved in the drawing. Ralph also suggested that we have the drawing on Texas Independence Day.

Bruce made a motion that we buy Medals to have on hand for presentation to the following: Policeman of the Year, Fireman of the Year, Teacher of the Year, Veteran of the year. Seconded by Ralph. Motion passed.

The By Laws were discussed and a Motion by Matt Adams to adopt and seconded by Ralph Ross. Motion Passed.

A program on the "History of US Flags was presented my Matt Adams.

Matt Adams will research the cost of early historical flags.

Thanks to Bruce for taking the minutes in my absence. Thanks to all for the Get Well Card.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 P.M.

**Respectfully submitted
Bill Robinson, Secretary**

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