

RAMS Meeting Minutes

P O Box 2951

Orangevale, CA 95662

September 14, 2017

Present: 11 in attendance

7:00 p.m. Meeting called to order by President Steve Bickford, N6AE welcoming everyone.

Secretary's Report: Minutes of the RAMS Aug 10 meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report: Period ending 9/14/2017 Approved as of this date

Beginning balance 8/10/2017		\$1182.38
Deposits		
Raffle	\$10.00	
Membership	\$100.00	
Total Deposits		\$110.00
Expenses		
Monies held on account for PG&E Payments		
Dennis Bartoldo	\$47.55	
John Best	\$65.01	
Total Expenses		(112.56)
Ending Balance 9/14/2017		\$1179.82

Treasurer reports that PG&E account is now closed.

Board of Directors (BoD) had no activity to report.

Repeaters:

- Saturday RAMS net has had FEW users each week on the "146.790 MHz" repeater.
- 220 repeater is up AND linked to the 2 Meter repeater.
- Several stated their "squelch" must be set rather high to overcome noise at 146.790 repeater. Question if someone can check the repeater to correct.

General Info presented:

- ARRL : Happenings noted – See ARRL home page NEWS for details
- SFM club gives a good class for anyone wanting to learn CW.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

President	Dan Platte	N6TNI
Vice President	Ron Norton	KJ6XI
Secretary	Genny Moore	W6BWZ
Treasurer	Dennis Smazenko	KK6BEQ
Director	Roy Moore	KB6UT
Director	Joe Cardoza	KA6ROM
Director	Walter Godecke	KA6MYU
Director	Ralph Stocki	KJ6PIK

PRESENTATIONS:

- Steve, (N6AE) Logging software – N3FJP- discussed.
- N3FJP – Amateur Radio Logging Software Suite: <http://www.n3fjp.com>

Next RAMS Meetings: (2017)

October 12th

Next 2017 VE Sessions: – see Joe Cardoza, KA6ROM, for details

September 23rd

November 25th

Meeting adjourned: 8:12 p.m.