



NATIONAL ACTIVE & RETIRED FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

FLOWERTOWN CHAPTER 1082 SUMMERVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA

Meeting Minutes – December 16, 2024

Joe Kohut welcomed everyone to the Christmas luncheon at noon. He blessed the food.

There were 19 members and guests present.

Thanks given to everyone for the food brought for the luncheon.

The regular meeting was called to order by Joe Kohut, Chapter 2nd VP, at 1:15 pm.

We observed a moment of silence.

Joe Kohut led us in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

President's Report – vacant

FEDCON 2026 will be held in Indianapolis IN; Pat Whitely's new backyard.

SC Federation Conference scheduled for March 17-19, 2025 in Summerville at the Hilton Garden Inn, Nexton. Details pending.

WEP/GPO legislation is moving in Washington. Contact your elected officials.

A copy of the NARFE Chapter Officers Manual was provided to members. This was done to aid in filling the vacant positions in our chapter.

The chapter's annual donation of \$200 was presented to Laquinta West, Executive Director, and Cheryl Coleman, Activity Coordinator, of the Senior Center.

Secretary Report – Marian Henry – Copies of the November meeting minutes provided via email. Additional copies provided at the meeting. A motion was made to approve the November meeting minutes by Ro Jones; seconded by Sue Kohut. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

Treasurer's Report – John Pennella – The Treasurer's report as of November 30, 2024 is as follows: The checking account balance forwarded from October 31, 2024 was \$4,319.07. Income received during the month of November totaled \$27.18 and there were expenses of \$53.00 paid out during the month. There was one check totaling \$250.00 outstanding at the end of the month. Total on hand in the Chapter Checking Account as of November 30th was \$4,043.25. There remains \$5.00 in the share savings account.

The Headquarters Association Management System (AMS) continues to be upgraded and is still not working properly. Headquarters continues not to be able to calculate our Chapter dues rebate and sending them to us. When I last checked, we are we still not able to access accurate Chapter membership information. I will continue to monitor the situation and will report the status of the AMS to the membership.

Alzheimer's Report - vacant

Sunshine Report - vacant

1st VP for Programs – vacant – No speaker scheduled today. Ann Marie Long with Senior Resource Specialists will be our guest speaker for the January 2025 meeting.

2nd VP for Membership – Joe Kohut – Joe reported that there are currently 109 chapter members and 90 National Only members; for a total of 199 members for Chapter 1082.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:45 pm.

Next meeting will be on January 27, 2025 at 1:00 pm.

We played Christmas Bingo and prizes were distributed. A good time was had by all.

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Marian Henry

Secretary

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