

# AIR NATIONAL GUARD Noncommissioned Officer Academy Graduate Association

27 September 2024

# MEMORANDUM FOR ANG CHAPTER ONE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

FROM: PRESIDENT, ANG NCOAGA CHAPTER ONE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, CMSgt (Ret) Doug Schulz

SUBJECT: Minutes of the ANG NCOAGA Chapter One Board of Directors Meeting, 20 September 2024.

- 1. BOD meeting opened at 1026EDT at the 145AW Epic Center, Charlotte, NC/zoom. President Schulz led the board of directors in the Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer.
- 2. Roll call and there <u>was a quorum</u>. Secretary MSgt Oster.
  - a. Executive Board:
    - P\_\_\_ President, CMSgt (Ret) Schulz
    - P\_\_\_\_ Vice, CMSgt (Ret) Uthe
    - P\_\_\_\_Secretary, MSgt (Ret) Oster
    - P\_\_\_\_ Treasurer, CMSgt (Ret) Richardson
    - P\_\_\_\_Membership Director, MSgt (Ret) Creasser
  - b. Directors-at-Large:
    - P\_\_\_\_ Ways & Means, CMSgt (Ret) Turner
    - P Parliamentarian, SMSgt (Ret) Anderson
    - P TEC, CMSgt (Ret) Damrow
    - P\_\_\_\_ Media, Maj (Ret) Koenig
  - c. Regional Directors:
    - <u>V</u> Region West
    - <u>V</u> Region Central
    - \_V\_ Region East
  - d. Advisors to the Board (Non-voting Members):
    - <u>E</u> ANG EPME Commandant, CMSgt Paul Butts
    - <u>E</u> President X-Officio, MSgt Cawlfield
    - <u>E</u> Liaison to ANG Director (ANG/CCM)
    - <u>N/A</u> Guest:

#### **BUSINESS SESSION**

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

- 1. Board Meeting Minutes: MSgt Oster. Meeting minutes from Board Meeting, 15 August 2024. CMSgt Uthe made a motion to accept the minutes/seconded by SMSgt Anderson. The vote called; approved. (CLOSED)
- 2. NCOAGA.COM Email account. MSgt Oster. No update. (OPEN)
  - a. Continuing working with Jonathon Farrell on email accounts.
  - b. One primary overall email account: chapter1@ncoaga.com.
- 3. Historical Treasurer Reports. CMSgt Schulz. Has been tabled. (CLOSEED)
- 4. Website Update. Maj Koenig. Status update. No update. (OPEN)
- 5. GMM 54. CMSgt Schulz. Chapter 7, Charlotte, NC 21 September 2024. (OPEN) a. Need to confirm the capability of using ZOOM in the meeting venue.
  - b. Chapter 7 has completed all necessary arrangements.
- 6. AGH Update. MSgt Oster. (OPEN)
  - a. Waiting for any changes submitted during GMM 54.
  - b. DAL TEC will provide photos of the names engraved on the corner stones for enclosure in the AGH.
- 7. GMM 53 Minutes. MSgt Oster. (OPEN)
  - a. The President has approved draft one for dissemination to members.
  - b. A review of the minutes will be conducted at GMM 54 and voted for approval.
- 8. GMM 55. CMSgt Schulz. (OPEN)
  - a. Open discussion on location for the next general meeting.
  - b. MSgt Oster made a motion for GMM 55 to be held in Phoenix, AZ/seconded by CMSgt Richardson. The vote called; approved.
  - c. Maj Koenig has agreed to be chair.
  - d. Timeframe TBD August September 2025.
- 9. Closed Old Business at 1055EDT.

### NEW BUSINESS

- 1. Vice President Report: CMSgt Uthe. (CLOSED)
  - a. Scholarship awardees have been invited to attend and be recognized at GMM 54 via zoom.
  - b. Form 9 has been completed and forwarded to USAA for scholarship funding.
  - c. CMSgt Dick Smith has retired from USAA and our new representative is Gary Thompson.
- 2. Treasurer Report: CMSgt Richardson. (CLOSED)
  - a. Financial report: 16 September 2024

ACCOUNTS BALANCE	
Business Checking	\$6,278.43
Betty Fern Scholarships	\$1,005.21
Life Savings	\$3,703.05
General Scholarships Account	\$ 502.80

DEPOSITS	
Membership deposit	\$ 20.00
Printer Ink Reimbursement	\$ 300.00
EXPENSES	
Printer Ink	\$ 14.97
CD	
Edward Jones	\$41,561.95

b. MSgt Oster made a motion to accept the financial report/seconded by CMSgt Uthe. The vote called; approved.

- 3. Membership Director Report. MSgt Creasser. Forwarded activity report to the board of directors. (CLOSED)
- 4. DAL Media Report. Maj Koenig. (CLOSED)
  - a. Sent out a mass email from President Schulz pertaining to GMM 54.
  - b. Online Auction for Scholarship program is open.
    - i. Will accept donations during the auction.
    - ii. The silent auction link is available on the website.
  - c. Graduate articles are due 25 October 2024.
- 5. DAL Ways and Means Report. CMSgt Turner. (CLOSED)
  - a. Be Square Society. 13 pledges are open for adoption and posted on FB and website.
  - b. GMM54 Quilt tickets are still available during GMM 54.
  - c. Will conduct a 50/50 drawing during GMM 54.
- 6. DAL Parliamentarian Report. SMSgt Anderson. No updates. (CLOSED)
- 7. TEC Liaison Report. CMSgt Damrow. (CLOSED)
  - a. Gave report on the number of students at EMPE.
  - b. Heritage bricks have been laid at TEC.
  - c. Gift shop account balance is \$5,876.75. \$1,662.50 belongs to the Heritage committee, and \$4,165.11 is for the NCOAGA.
  - d. Open discussion of using the Gift shop NCOAGA amount towards a onetime scholarship in Colonel Morrisey's name. There was no nomination.
- 8. Region Directors Reports. Vacant. (CLOSED)
- 9. President X-Officio Report. MSgt Cawlfield. Not present. No update. (CLOSED)
- 10. EMPE Commandant Report. Not present. (CLOSED)
- 11. Scholarship program issues. CMSgt Uthe. Deferred for discussion at GMM 54. (CLOSED)
- 12. Board of Directors Replacement. CMSgt Schulz. (CLOSED)
  - a. Brought attention that all the national board of directors are aging.
  - b. What will happen to the NCOAGA if there are members who do not want to be on the national board of directors?
  - c. Challenged each board of director member to find their replacement.
- 13. Website. CMSgt Schulz. (CLOSED)
  - a. Discussion on whether to make the NCOAGA website private.
  - b. Open discussion about members receiving scamming requests.
  - c. Discussion was made to leave the website public to reach out to all graduates of EMPE.

- 14. BOD Meeting. CMSgt Schulz. Next meeting scheduled for **Friday, 28 October 2024** via zoom. (10am EDT/9am CDT/8am MDT/7am PDT).
- 15. Closed The Business session at 1220EDT.

## **REMARKS FOR THE GOOD OF THE ASSOCIATION**

- 1. CMSgt Schulz. Reminder for all attendees to pay \$15 for lunch and snacks provided by Chapter 7 over the next two days.
- 2. MSgt Oster. It is National POW/MIA Recognition Day, please keep them all in your prayers.
- 3. CMSgt Schulz. Thank you to everyone attending GMM 54 in Charlotte, NC.

### **CLOSING REMARKS**

1. The meeting adjourned by CMSgt Schulz at 1225EDT.

//submitted// PHYLLIS R. OSTER, MSgt (Ret) Secretary NCOAGA, Chapter 1

//signed// DOUGLAS E. SCHULZ, CMSgt (Ret) President NCOAGA, Chapter 1