



California Public-Safety Radio Association, Inc.

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A CHAPTER OF THE ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC-SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS OFFICIALS (APCO) INT'L

OFFICIAL CHAPTER MEETING MINUTES

CPRA Virtual Zoom Meeting
February 17, 2022 10:00 a.m. PST

SUMMARY

Moderator: John Wright
Early Bird Sponsor: None
Secretary: Pauline Soria
Banner Sponsor: The Sales Group
Sponsored Training: Ronil Prased, Aviat Networks
Program: Stephen Martini, Metro National Communications
Attendance: 36 Virtual via Zoom

CALL TO ORDER

President **Tim Buchfeller** called the meeting of the Southern California Chapter of APCO International to order at 1003 hours.

FLAG SALUTE

Treasurer **John Wright** provided a video of the Pledge of Allegiance via Zoom.

OPENING REMARKS

President **Tim Buchfeller** welcomed members. He reminded members about the annual CPRA Telecommunicator awards banquet in April and to continue to nominate in the several categories that can be located on the CPRA.org Website.

Gary Gray presented the passing of long-time chapter member of **Terrance 'Terry' Mathers**

MEETING MINUTES

President **Tim Buchfeller** asked for a motion to approve the January 20, 2022, Minutes. **Gary Gray** made the motion to approve the minutes; EC Ernest Gallo made the second. There was no additional discussion heard and the motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

COMMERCIAL INTRODUCTIONS

CCAM **Larry Weber** had everyone in attendance introduce himself or herself.

FUTURE MEETINGS REPORT

President-Elect **Ron Dunn** advised that the March 17th meeting would be held in Palm Springs; the April meeting will be the CPRA Annual Banquet held at the Knott's Berry Farm Resort, and the May 19th meeting will be held at the Anaheim Convention center. Meeting for the months of June, July, and September are TBA.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Chapter Vice-President **Terri Nelson** provided the Membership update as of January 31, 2021.

Total Current Chapter Membership: 308

Full Members 175

Associate 14

Online 86

Commercial 33

New Member:

Mr. Bodkin Hal, System Integrator – City of Beverly Hills



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FINANCIAL REPORT

Chapter Treasurer **John Wright** provided the Financial Report. He advised there are NTW buttons available for purchase.

CCAM

CCAM **Larry Weber** advised 2022 Statewide Vendor Showcase will be held in October. Southern will be held once again in Montebello on Thursday 27th, 2022. Vender members were advised they can now purchase an advertisement spot on the CPRA Website quarterly for \$100. Vs \$300. A year.

APCO INTERNATIONAL REPORT

EC Delegate **Ernest Gallo** advised there are 18 award categories and 2 recognition opportunities. All categories can be viewed on the APCO Website.

AWARDS BANQUET

Vice-President **Terri Nelson** let members know of the upcoming CPRA Awards Banquet that will be held at Knott's Berry Farm in Buena Park on Friday April 22nd. Nominations are being accepted for Technical personnel and Telecommunicators. The Keynote Speaker for the Banquet was announced; Gordon Graham.

COMMERCIAL BREAK – 5 minutes

VENDOR SPONSORED TRAINING

Ronil Prasad with Aviat Networks presented.

PRESENTER

Director Stephen Martini with Metro National Communications spoke on his running for APCO Vice-President. He thanked the Chapter members for allowing him to speak at the meeting.

DRAWING

Prize Drawing – Spectrum Firm, The Sales Group, and CPRA provided gift cards for prizes.

CLOSING REMARKS AND ADJOURNMENT

President **Tim Buchfeller** thanked everyone. The meeting adjourned at 1150 hours.

Frequency Commercial Break - 5 minutes

Frequency Coordination

Participants continued on the virtual Zoom meeting with **Gary Gray** presenting

Minutes prepared by,

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