

## M.A.A.R.S. MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

JANUARY 8,2021

1. Meeting opened at 1830 hours at the Manhattan Town Center Mall and via Zoom video conferencing.
2. Combined 15 members present in person and participating online.
3. President report: under new business
4. Vice president report: none
5. Secretary report:

Cash on hand: \$44.00

Checking acct: \$571.30

Savings (repeater fund): \$380.25

Total funds: \$979.55

Future expenditures:

PO box annual fee: \$94 approx

Equipment insurance: \$154.28

Total: \$246.28 approx

6. Minutes previous meetings:

Meeting cancelled by VP due to President wanting to add venison to his freezer via striking with car.

7. Old business:

Repeater movement to Jason's QTH.

8. New business:

David Mills discussed how our public appearance is low and would like to attend RCPD event and meet with their Public Relations Officer in an attempt to possibly partner together in future events. This would gain our group and the hobby some much needed exposure. Jim Foster made motion for David to attend and inquire about future possibilities, seconded by Michael Moore. Motion passed.

President (Mike Asbury) discussed our current trailer tower being outside in the elements and possible damage to wiring etc, being in the weather. Mike offered to take the trailer to his shed and go thru all the wiring and lighting, as well as any mechanical items and replace/repair as needed. That way the tower trailer would be in tip top shape should the need arise that we would need to deploy it.

David Mills made the motion for Mike to proceed, motion was seconded by QRM (too much background noise). voted on and passed. The following members offered their assistance if needed on the project. Dave Dominquez, Robert, and Tim.

A short discussion was held regarding Winter Field Day. No organized field day activities are being planned due to Covid-19 restrictions.

Mike Asbury made motion to end the meeting, seconded by Farren. Motion passed and meeting ended.

Next meeting will be February 12, 2021 @1830 at Vista Burger, Hope to see ya there.

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