

The Freedom Riders of Indiana

Chapter 4

Meeting Minutes for: October 15, 2022

Members Present:

Ol Man	Nunbiz	Skull	Grace
Nana	Wrench	Belle	Willy
Wings	Mimi	Red	
Odie	Tuz	Bear	

Guests:

Meeting Called to Order by: Odie

Pledge Recited

Delivered via in person and email. Motion to approve as written/email by Red, 2nd by bear, all in favor. Motion carried.

Opening Prayer: None given

Treasurer's Report

Balance Checking: \$3904.50

Balance Savings: \$287.67

Expenditures: \$500 to JROTC, need a check for \$62.26 to Belle for Gadsden Patch reimbursement.

President's Report: Odie advised that the officer's meeting got the issues settled that had arisen. He advised personal business is to stay out of TFR business. This must be done by all. As of the meeting he had not heard anything from Reaper or Junebug. Trippy and Country are staying. He advised Taxman is absent from today's meeting. Ready to get down to business.

He advised there will be a change in the way motions are done. With side conversations, it was easy to miss when motions were thrown out and then they get voted on before the whole group has had time to discuss. Now, discussions will happen and once everyone has come to some form of agreement, the President will reiterate what was decided on and ask for a motion at that point. This helps shorten the meeting and helps with the minutes.

Motion to accept all reports by Red, 2nd by Skull. All in favor, motion carried.

Old Business:

- I. Tentative Ride date is either June 3 or June 10th. This depends on Bubbles schedule. There is a potential to fall on a meeting day. Skull and Red advised they should both be able to attend. After discussion among the group. June 10th seems to be the consensus date.

Motion to have Ride date as June 10, 2023 made by Red, 2nd by Bear. All in favor. Motion carried.

- II. Skull brought up about Odie's work schedule being 3rd shift and for everyone to be respectful of his work time. Per Odie, you can go to chain of command, just get to an officer and an officer can advise Odie of whatever needs relayed. Red advised to have member's let us know if they don't have officer numbers. Bear suggested a List with number to have at next meeting or to email out. Belle will put one together.
- III. Missing Meeting Minutes. Odie is going to try to swing by the bank and get the bank statements to create documentation that is missing. Odie will go once his work schedule allows.

New Business:

- I. Teaming up with inexperienced groups in the future. If the group is inexperienced, then we probably won't team up after the experience we had teaming up on the Rose ride for Officer Burton. If we do team up, then we may have our officer's meet with their officer's. Discussed regardless of who is hosting, we ride together as a group and follow our road captains. Regardless we will at least go and support other groups but will be reluctant to team up with them if they are inexperienced.
Motion to Support other groups but think twice about teaming up with them made by Bear and 2nd by Tuz. All in Favor, motion carried.
- II. Putting in an amendment regarding a set amount of meetings that a member must make either in person or via phone, in a calendar year. There were some differing thoughts about how many should be attended. Red suggested that maybe the officer's should meet to hash out the details and then present it to the membership. Wings suggested to table it for another time.
Motion to table until the Officer's can meet and discuss made by Wings, 2nd by Wrench. All in Favor, Motion carried.

Important Dates/Event:

11/5/2022 Mission for Hope Ride. Reg @ 4:30. Kickstands up at 6pm

11/12/2022 Thanksgiving Meeting and Dinner at Bubbles and Angel's house at 6 pm. There is an event on our Facebook Page along with a Discussion. Please make sure to add to the discussion what you will be bringing. I will be compiling the list to give to Bubbles no later than 11/5.

Next Meeting: November 12, 2022

Motion to adjourn made by Odie