

DEPARTMENT POST DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEETING  
September 14, 2007

The meeting of the Department Post Development Committee was called to order by Chairman Sampson at 1:04 p.m. at Boyne Highlands, Michigan, on September 14, 2007. The following people were present:

**MEMBERS:** Jack Sampson, Chairman, Vernon Noel, Linda Lefcheck, Lavern Spolarich, Willie Edwards, excused.

**GUESTS:** 15 guests

**MINUTES:**

Motion by Spolarich, seconded by Lefcheck to appoint Vernon Noel as Secretary. Motion approved.

Motion by Vernon Noel, seconded by Lefcheck, to appoint Spolarich as Vice Chairman. Motion approved.

Summer Convention minutes were read and approved with motion by Spolarich, seconded by Buist. Motion approved.

Motion by Spolarich, seconded by Lefcheck, to recommend to D.E.C. to remove charter from Post 308 Coopersville. Approved.

Flint Post 241 asked for help to revitalize. Tentative date is October 19<sup>th</sup>-20, 2007.

Chairman Sampson read letter from Willie Edwards asking to close seven posts in Detroit district. Tabled until Committee receives more information from District Commander.

Chairman Sampson commended Post 25, 18<sup>th</sup> District, for making 906% in membership (225 transfers).

PDC Al Ford questioned if new posts still receive \$500 for start up. Chairman Sampson will check into this.

U.P. Membership Director, Lou Oberle, reported. 225 members transferred into local posts will be counted by posts even if 2008 dues have been paid to Headquarters.

Chairman Sampson reported any post that needs help must send letter to Committee asking for revitalization.

**ADJOURNED:** Chairman Sampson adjourned the meeting at 1:45 p.m.

Submitted by: Jack Sampson, Chairman

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