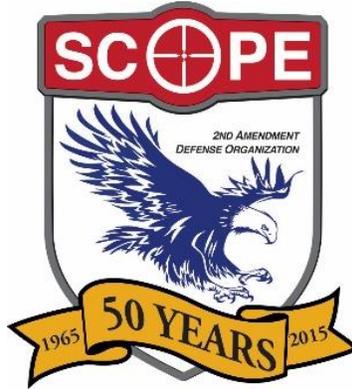


Wyoming County Minutes



Meeting Minutes –November 10, 2016

Call to Order 7 pm

- I. Pledge to flag by Veteran Andy Yount
- II. Winston Platt to lead us in prayer
- III. The Second Amendment to the Constitution was reviewed by Chairman.
- IV. Minutes- Gary Olcott presented the earlier emailed minutes on screen from the October meeting. On Motion, the minutes were approved as read.
- V. Secretary Report- Gary reviewed correspondence from Susan Marissa thanking our chapter for the gift of flowers sent to her in appreciation of her service to SCOPE.
- VI.

Treasurer Report- Bill reviewed the financial details of income and expenses since last meeting on the screen for all to see. The report was approved as presented. \$6,320 in ticket sales for gun raffle have been handed in. **That equates to 632 tickets sold with 368 still to be sold or money handed in.**

- VII. Chairman Report- Mark thanked all the officers for their service to the Wyoming SCOPE Chapter. He also reported that the State Scope organization is making progress under the new leadership. Wyoming SCOPE member Kathy Ricketson has been named interim secretary. Chuck Winthel and Liz Krenzer have been appointed as joint treasurers for the time being. Mark also reported on the Ontario County Scope meeting he attended and heard Tom King of the New York State Rifle and Pistol Association speak. The call was for cooperation amongst the various second amendment organizations to work together.
- VIII. Wildlife Federation Report – Brian Krawczyk reported on Archery equipment to be purchased for upcoming youth events. The expected use of a combined calendar for all the related organizations in Wyoming county

like SCOPE and the Wildlife Federation. He also discussed hunter education scheduling issues that are being ironed out. The new state system of enrolling online ahead of time is often blocking out local residents from local courses.

IX. Old Business –

- a. Last month it was brought up that the local chapter would like to form a couple ad hoc committees to look into direction of SCOPE here. Chairman asked that some people would see him about volunteering for such work.
- b. Motion made and seconded to reimburse Cattaraugus County for advertising cost of \$300 for election promotion prior to this meeting. Motion was approved.
- c. Drawing for Gun Raffle will be at next meeting. Members are encouraged to sell all the tickets between then and now that they can.

X. New Business

- a. Motion made and seconded to waive previous practice of 30 day wait on SCOPE expenditures but critical expenditures may still be tabled at Boards discretion. Motion carried. 14 yes 4 opposed.
- b. Motion made to form a 5 person committee including the treasurer with authority to act between meetings to spend up to \$500 total by majority vote for necessary SCOPE related expenditures between meetings. Motion was withdrawn.
- c. Motion made and seconded to authorize the Executive Board of Wyoming County SCOPE discretion to spend up to \$500 for Scope Expenses between meetings. Motion carried. 20 yes 1 opposed. 1 abstain.

XI. Announcements and MISC

- a. Dave Gierlinger mentioned that State SCOPE should not send multiple copies of The Firing Line to the same household even though multiple members reside there. Mark Yount will bring to the state level attention to see if can be corrected and save postage.
- b. There will be a benefit concert at The Tabernacle on Southwest Boulevard in West Seneca this coming Monday at 7 PM for Alicia Howe. There is information about her situation on our County SCOPE website. Gary will get information about this to our membership via email right away.

XII. Adjournment

On Motion Chairman Yount adjourned the meeting at 8:15 pm.

Chairperson Signature Date

Secretary Signature Date