

**COBB COUNTY RETIRED EMPLOYEE ASSOCIATION**

**MINUTES**

*February 19, 2018*

*The monthly meeting of the CCREA was held on Monday, February 19, 2018 at the West Cobb Senior Center. President Reida called the meeting to order at 10:40 a.m.*

*Invocation was given by President Reida, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.*

**WELCOME:** *Meeting officially opened with a special presentation by Roswell Story to Bob Beard for “Retiree of the Year”.*

**NEW MEMBERS:** *“Welcome aboard!” Judy Shepherd, Information Service, Beverly Martin, County Managers office and Beth Kish, Election.*

**ILLNESS/DEATH:** *John Grossman, Illness, and remembering James Zimmerman’s Mother, Bonnie Zimmerman deceased. Let’s keep all in prayer. President recognize Gail Green, who has been out sick and thank her for our treats.*

**PROGRAM:** *Bob Beard introduced our speaker for today, Sheriff Neil Warren. The Sheriff started with the County in 1974 has a service of 44 years. He started out as a Deputy went to Sergeant, Lieutenant and Sheriff. Sheriff Hutson appointed him on the Pension Board. His department have 725 employees, where so many have left to new careers or retired. He appealed to the members for recommendation for employment, he need good people full or part-time. The Sheriff introduced a special guest “Tank”, K-9 unit. Cobb EMC assisted with the purchase of Tank, a yellow Labrador retriever, he is trained in explosive, odor detection, among other tasks, Tank will help ensure that all Cobb County Sheriff’s Office facilities are safe and secure.*

**TREASURER REPORT:** *As of today, we have \$8270.82 in the account. Motion was made and second to accept the report. Motion passed.*

**SECRETARY:** *Minutes were distributed, motion was made and second. Motion passed*

**OLD/NEW BUSINESS:**

- A. Review of the Christmas Luncheon. All members that attended report that it was great.*
  
- B. Rental of meeting place – possible \$200 fee for Senior Center, think about going somewhere else.*

*C. Name tags – every retiree need to get a name tag from HR*

***D. Committees:***

***Calling Committee - Shirley Morrison and Jo Ann Mann, co-chair need volunteers. Check to see if contact information is correct.***

***Social Committee – Ruth Walker, Chairperson***

***Membership Committee – Melvin Holton, Chairman***

***Recognition Committee – Roswell Story, Chairman and Past President, David Stone, Immediate, Past President.***

***Program Committee – Bob Beard, Chairman and 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President and Sandy Delves***

***Website Committee – Mike Ball, Chairman and Treasurer***

***E. Ideas for speakers - Entertainers, or other activities, contact Bob Beard or Sandy Delves.***

***F. See Mike Ball for dues.***

***Congratulations to Galina Feldman our door prize winner, Sheriff Warren drew our winning***



***Our next meeting is March 19 at 10:30 am at the West Cobb Senior Center, Bill Volckmann, Cobb Finance and Controller will be our guest speaker on Pension.***

***SILENCE ALL CELL PHONES!***

***Meeting was adjourned at 11:55 A.m.***

***Have a blessed day!***

***Jo Ann Mann***

***Secretary***