



MINUTES
of the
CREST COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
General Membership Meeting
June 3, 2021

The meeting of **CREST COMMUNICATIONS, Inc.** was held utilizing Zoom software due to the COVID-19 restrictions against public gatherings.

Call to Order

Ed (25) called the meeting to order at 1900 hours.

Roll call

We had the following active participants: 13J, 25, 31, 43, 210, 471, 517, 5933, 596, 607, 615. Visitors included former members Rachel Wilson (623) and Chris Wood (605).

Minutes

Ed read the May meeting Minutes. 607 moved to accept the Minutes as read, 2d by 471; Motion was approved.

Treasurer's Report

Our new Treasurer has another engagement he cannot get out of. He reports the following for our meeting: Checking a/c = \$4017.03, Paypal a/c = \$580.90, and \$273.00 in petty cash. This does not include our savings or investment accounts.

President's Message, Announcements, & Report of the Team

Ed (25) reported status of the team. We have 78 CREST members, 9 are not yet registered with GROUPS.io. We have 184 Personal users and 4 new Personal users pending. 30 licensed hams; 14 (47%) are ARRL members which we are required to be an ARRL communications team.

Correspondence

A letter was received from our General Liability Insurance Company advising due to reduction of exposure due to COVID-19 related impacts, we will receive a partial refund of \$19.92 covering period Jan 1 to Mar 31, 2021.

Ed submitted an application to use the City of Corona Circle City Center facility for our monthly meetings. As of today, a response has not been received. We also have had no response to our participation in the 4th of July Fireworks show.

Membership

Pete (31) had no report.

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Training

No report.

Communications

1. Last month, Mike (210) reported that 16 GP300 donated HT radios have been programmed.
2. Donations were processed to help Dan (471) with radio equipment in order to be a backup Monday Night NET operator. A Kenwood 880 mobile radio, a new microphone for the Kenwood radio, a new mag-mount with MaxRad whip antenna, and a power supply have been delivered to Dan. We thank all those contributors. We are pleased to report he is “on the air” and ready to serve as needed.
3. Rachel Wilson (former 623) wants to rejoin the team and participate in management, etc. specifically as Equipment Coordinator as shown on our website. Ed explained actually that equipment comes under the control of the Communications Officer. I’m sure Mike (210) would welcome an assistant. Rachel likes that idea.

Old Business

1. The website was opened to the public. User IDs and passwords were emailed to our members. Our website is www.CRESTCommunications.org.

New Business

None.

For the Good of CREST

Jeff (66) suffered an appendicitis attack last month and was hospitalized for a period. He is home now recovering. Hope you feel well soon Jeff.

Adjournment

471 moved to adjourn, 2d by 615. Motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 2000 hours. The next General Meeting is scheduled for July 1, 2021.

Ed (25)