



WAARC October 10, 2017 meeting minutes

President Bobby, N5VCU, called the meeting to order and welcomed all. There were 23 attending. Vice President Will (K4MI) discussed program plans and needs.

Treasurer Ted (W3TB) was out of town but the treasurer's report was posted in the group files directory. Secretary Dan (WG4F) said the prior meeting minutes were posted on the web site and group files. The two reports were approved as posted. Director Bill (NR4C) discussed the next special event at Yorktown on the third Saturday (Oct 21).

Chris (KC4CMR) talked about the new JCC public safety command vehicle used at the Triathlon event September 9 and 10. He also announced the club received a \$400 honorarium for service during the event. He then shared an email from Mike, W4NYY, about the next ARRL testing session on Oct 28.

Ed (K1NUH) gave his "Blast from the Past" on recent articles on EMP including an Aug 2017 article on failed satellite issues and a QST 2017 article on electric cycle blackout and the Wall Street Journal article on North Korea threats.

Rick, AK4MV, announced Betty Walker, KK4RPA, was a silent key and Dan passed around a card for the family.

Dave, N4MW, showed a 900 mHz repeater he built that had been used to support the State Police and was now available for use in Williamsburg.

Our program was presented by Bob Mintern, a senior Fire Fighter/Medic with JCC who described the process of the county obtaining the Incident Management Tasks Command and Control vehicle known as MC1 and the equipment on board and the staff training involved. We then were treated to a tour of the unit in the parking lot.

AI4QQ	John		K8LF	Jerome		N5VCU	Bobby
AI4WU	Chuck		KC3JCQ	Greg		no call	Leslie
AJ4RS	Bob		KC4CMR	Chris		no call	John
AJ4XV	Dave		KI4SNN	Paul		NR4C	Bill
AK4MV	Rick		KM4JRG	Bob		WA3RWP	Wally
AK4XH	Martin		KM4YSN	Randy		WD2AHA	Jack
K1NUH	Ed		KU4FO	Carl		WG4F	Dan
K4MI	Will		N4MW	Dave			

Attendees:

Respectfully submitted, Dan, WG4F. Please send any corrections or additions to me.