

Minutes of the Mohave Sportsman Club

Meeting of May 8, 2025

- I. OPEN THE MEETING AT 6PM
- **II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- III. CALL TO ORDER
- IV. OPEN CALL TO MEMBERS

Mike Lilaroos asking about the Porta Potties. Asked if we can get the porta potties to be cleaned before the shoot. Vicki asked Victor to check and see if they can come out.

Victor presented plaques to two exceptional volunteers. Bob and Laurie came up and were given the plaques. Bob gave thanks to Victor for helping them with the heavy lifting.

- V. CLOSE CALL TO MEMBERS
- VI. OPEN BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
- VII. ROLL CALL

Present	Absent		
Х		Fred Bunge, President	
Х		Farren Clark, Vice President	
Х		Vicki Holm, Treasurer	
		, Secretary	
		, Government Liaison	
Х		Jim Merritt, Director at Large	
Х		Craig Severance, Director at Large	
		, Director at Large	
QUORUM MET:		YES or No	

VIII. READING & APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES:

Previous minutes of	04/10/2025	were read by	Vicki Holm	
Motion to Accept		Seconded		Accepted
Notes:	All were in favor			

IX. TREASURER'S REPORT:

Vicki Holm		Read the Treasurer's Report			
Motion to Accept by:	Jim Merritt	Seconded by:	Farren Clark	Accepted	

X. OLD BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

1) Fishing for Smiles –Fred Herring spoke about the event. Articles put in Miner, Standard, Radio stations. Miner has a man doing video taping and putting together a video about the event. 198 children signed up and 190 adults. 700 lbs of fish have been stocked. McKee, Pepsi has made nice donations. 6 trophies have been ordered. Doing raffles and kids meals tickets, fishing poles, cal-ranch tickets, Branden theaters and many others gave prizes for the raffles. Hoping for a great turn out. Thanks for all the support.

XI. NEW BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

- 1) Stan Snow Plans to improve the 1000 yard range. Proposing to move the stairs from the side that has been condemned and put them so they can be used for a way up to the platform. Also would like to enlarge the parking lot. Also the berm at the 1000 yard parking lot needs to be enlarged. Would like to move the silhouette shoot to the 1000 yard. Stated the scrap metal has the abrasion resistant steel for .58 cents per pound. Would like to get approval to get started. Fred asked for incremental plan to see what we need. Farren made motion that we give \$400.00 for them to put in the pad. Fred askes for plan to be submitted. Matt Shwartzkoff stated he is pretty sure but he will have to check that there has already been an environmental study that cleared us to enlarge the parking lot. Also has done the environmental clearance to put stairs. He will check what has been cleared. Game and Fish would really like to see the end with the rebar sticking out be the first thing taken care of as that is a huge liability. Matt states he would like to work with Stan to put together a plan. Stan states he would like that. Matt states the days of going out and putting up forms and pouring concrete are over due to the liability and the lawyers. Motion made by Farren to work with fish and game and table this decision and the work on the 1000 yard until we can hear something back from Stan and Matt. Vicki Seconded motion.
- 2) Jim Merritt 1000 yard targets. Paper targets are no longer available. Electronic targets are taking over and everyone is going to those. They are \$750.00 each they come in a pack of 4. Have to make some brackets to put them up. For an intermediate on the targets Larry Stephey had found a place that can print vinyl targets and then they will need to make stands to hang them on. Jim would like to get \$500.00 approved for getting the vinyl targets and wood for the stands. Matt stated he can put them in touch with the person to talk about the electronic targets. Matt would be more than willing to have anyone come to the Ben Avery range to see their set up. He states there is no one who is making the paper targets anymore. Matt states the electronic targets is the way to go. Jim asks for a motion of \$500.00 to get the vinyl targets and the supplies needed. Vicki made the motion. Fred seconded. All were in favor. Farren made motion to table the money on the electronic until further information can be given. Fred seconded.
- 3) Sig Sauer incident Vicki read the email from Williams sporting club. Matt stated he has already put together a response to that email as he received the same email. Where do we draw the line? Board decided to disregard making any kind of ban and Matt will send email to them.
- 4) Clays for CTC Vicki gave report of how many much it will cost for the clays to be ordered. Jim makes motion to buy clays and Farren seconds. Matt states Flagstaff is ready to order. He will get ahold of them

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- 5) Matt was pressure washing the range last two days. Wanted to state thank you for all the volunteers getting signed up with the online system. The turn out has been great. Director has been very pleased with the outcome. Matt states any of our volunteers want to call him to help get the set up he is fine with that.
- 6) Water bill 336.00. If anyone sees any water standing. If you see greener plants or bees. If you see swamp land or anything out of ordinary. Please let the range office know.
- 7) SCTP proposal bring the five stand back to life. Proposal is to be able to let them have the authorization to start triage on the skeet fields. They have been working on the fields slowly. Motion made by Jim to allow and Farren seconded.

XII. CLOSE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Vicki		made a motion to adjourn the	meeting	
Motion to Accept	Jim	Seconded	Fred	Accepted
by:		by:		

Meeting adjourned at:	pm