

AGENDA



Mat-Su APOA Monthly Meeting

1130 hours

Thursday June 3, 2021

**THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE
SUNRISE GRILL**

918 S Colony Way Palmer, AK

11:30 am

- I **Call to Order:** Steve Adams is unable to attend he will call in.

- II **Approval of the Prior Meeting Minutes:** May
Guest Speaker: No Guest Speaker – board meeting only

- III **Treasurers Report:**
A. Treasurer's Report: Checking Savings Edward Jones

- IV **Old Business**

- V **New Business**

- VI **Next Meeting: July 1, 2021 At the Sunrise Grill 11:30 am**

- VII **Adjournment**

Call in information 530-881-1212 Mtg# 678-392-104

**Alaska Peace Officers Association
Minutes for the Board Meeting
May 6, 2021**

Attendees: John Glass, Belinda Bohanan, Kalie Bell, Jan Jenski, Rae Arno, Bert Cottle, Jeff Laughlin, Glenda Ledford, Mike McGinty, Dwayne Shelton, Daniel Potter, Shane LaCroix, Jim Plumley, Will Walton, Joe Pendergrass, Loretta Harrison

Telephonic: Angella Long

I Call to Order at 11:30 hrs. by Acting President Treasurer John Glass

II Approval of the Prior Meeting Minutes: Minutes approved for April meeting

III Approval of agenda: Agenda approved

IV Reports

A. Secretary/Treasurer's Report John Glass

- Checking \$645.54 Savings \$16,702.79 Edward Jones \$40,606.62

Guest Speaker: Commissioner Julie Anderson of Commerce and Economic Development. She gave a rundown of where she comes from, a bit of her family history. She spoke regarding how important community development is to the SOA, and the need to move forward after the last year in regards to COVID-19. There are 6 divisions in her department, and 8 corporate divisions under them. Several grants are being worked on to help fund businesses 1.25 billion to help community AK Cares grants 5800 grants, 23 for rural areas. They need ideas of how we best utilize the funds. How do we best support the development of our communities? Oil and Gas industry has lost over 7000 jobs in last year. They are working on the development of a port in Nome, AK for cruise ships, Military, mining. Areas that are being addressed Mining all over state, development of Port of Anchorage, Airport cargo new cold storage. They are doing a survey of infrastructure to improve broadband across state. She also noted the option to pay off the 1.1 billion school Bond indebtedness finish what we all ready started. These presentations have been such a wealth of information. Thank you, Bert, for making these happen.

B. Motion was made 1st by Belinda Bohanan 2nd Jan Jenski to award the APOA Scholarship to Danielle Farley, Palmer High and Evan Taylor Mat-Su Middle College School.

Election Results are as follows Steve Adams President, Belinda Bohanan Secretary, Jeff Laughlin Board member Thank you for your support we received 25% 17 ballots were returned. Thank you Angella Long for setting the process up.

V Old Business

A. Regarding the Travel Trainer Web-anar Motion was made to pay another \$1000. For a total of \$2500 total this will help defer the cost Anchorage is paying. All agreed.

May 22, 2021 is the Annual Special Olympic Torch Run it will be virtual this year. You would sign up at Wonderland Park between 9-10am \$35.00 to register if you run or not, and you get a t-shirt. All money collected stays in the Mat-Su Valley.

C. Just a reminder regarding the APOA Benefit Concert will be at the Menard Center this year. June 18th, 2021 7:30pm the group will be the Box Tops. Don't forget we are always looking for volunteers, and it's in the valley this year. 😊

- Several major events coming to the Valley
- Air Show will be held at the AK State Fairgrounds estimate 20-30 thousand people.
- Rodeo on Memorial Day weekend coming up from the lower 48, and bringing bull riders

- Hoping to invite the Commissioner of AST to our June meeting.

VI New Business Kalie reminded us of the 75th Anniversary APOA Crime Conference being held on May 2-4, 2022.

Next Meeting: June 3rd, 2021 11:30 am Sunrise Grill Palmer, AK Summer meetings are for the Board, but if you are in the area stop by.

VII Adjournment at 12:35 hrs by Acting President/Treasurer John Glass

VIII A drawing was held at the end of the meeting by Kalie just for attending the meeting. Belinda won a Glock knife. 😊

Respectfully Submitted by Belinda Bohanan, Secretary