



**SOUTHEASTERN MINNESOTA  
POLICE & PEACE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION**

**Business Meeting Minutes  
November 17, 2003**

**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

- A. **Call to order** – 1645 hours
- B. **Prayer** – Gary Schroeder
- C. **Pledge** – Wayne Hoffman
- D. **Roll call of officers**
- **President** - Wayne Hoffman - Here
  - **Vice-President** - Merlin Iverson – Not Here
  - **Sergeant at Arms** - John Mueller – Not Here
  - **Executive Director** - Gary Schroeder, Sr. - Here
  - **Chaplain** - John Sibley - Not Here
  - **Board Members at Large**
    - Denise Haefner - Here
    - Jeremy Gunderson - Here
    - Ken Wickelgren - Not Here
  - Past President** - Jim Richardson - Not Here
- E. **Introduction of host agency:** Owatonna PD – Gene Fisher
- F. **Introduction of special guests:** Brett Knutson – US Secret Service
- G. **Reading of the last meetings minutes:** Waived
- H. **Treasurer's Report:** Checking - \$616.01 / Savings - \$5830.75 = Total \$6446.76
- I. **Reports by other Associations**
- a. **BCA** – Move into New building is November 17 2003
  - b. **Chief's Association** - NONE
  - c. **MPPOA** – Rick Krueger read notes from Mike Walsh
  - d. **PERA** - NONE
  - e. **Southeastern Board** - None
  - f. **Sheriff's Association** - None
  - g. **Trooper's Association** - None
  - h. **FBI** - NONE
- J. **Recreational activities 2003**
- Golf - September 15, 2003 - Owatonna - Owatonna PD. We had 45 golfers – 5 just for dinner (Total of 50 people). We raised \$ 935.00 for Joel Welinski and family.

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- J. **Any other committee reports** - None
- K. **Any unfinished business: Training / Meeting Dates for 2003:**
- Training / Meeting November 17, 2003 - Owatonna PD
- L. **Any new business:** New Dell laptop was purchased for SEMPPOA for \$850.
- a. **Training / Meeting Dates for 2004:**
- Annual Meeting - January 13, 2004 - Hubbell House - Dodge County
  - March 15, 2004 - Need someone
  - May 17, 2004 - Red Wing PD
  - November 15, 2004 – Owatonna PD
- b. SEMPPOA Website - Kyle Mestad has the new website up and running.  
Website: [www.semppoa.org](http://www.semppoa.org) . Cost for domain name – server space for one year was \$95.00.
- c. Need ideas for new Life Members retirement gift from SEMPPOA. Gold Jackets are about gone.
- d. Ken Wickelgren showed a new pistol case for locking your gun up in your vehicle
- e. Ken Wickelgren wanted to use new SEMPPOA logo – Ken will be checking on the cost, what we need to do to get it ready for use.
- f. Read letter we got from the MN LEMA Chapter regards to \$1.00 check off box on tax return. SEE ATTACHED
- M. **Nominations for Life Membership:** None
- N. **Anything for the good of the order:** None
- O. **Today's menu:** Off menu
- P. **Adjourn:** 1711 Hours

Respectfully Submitted,

**Gary L. Schroeder, Sr.**  
**Executive Director**