



Robins AFB Post
Society of American Military Engineers
Board Meeting
14 January 2025

Board Members:

Officers:

President: Col. Cheryl Deloughery (Present)

Vice President: Mike Coats (Present)

Treasurer: Mike Coats (Present)

Secretary: Carrie Holderfield (Present)

Directors:

Director, Education and Mentoring: Col Tasha Folds (Absent)

Director, Programs: Joe Ballard (Present)

Director, Finance: Mike Coats (Present)

Director, Memberships: Justin Knight (Present)

Director, Events/Small Business: Eric Anania (Absent)

Director, Emergency Preparedness: Greg Culpepper (Absent)

Senior Enlisted Advisor: CMSgt Rebecca Coulombe (Absent)

Mr. Mike Coats, the Post Vice President, initiated the meeting at 1530 hours via Conference Call.

Upcoming Meetings:

The next General Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, 15 January 2025, at the China Buffet restaurant in Warner Robins, at 1200. Our speaker this month is our Post Vice President, Mike Coats. Mike will be briefing us on the HQ AFRC Program Overview, presenting all the project information AFRC for the coming years. February's presentation will be Habitat for Humanity.

Programs/Program News:

Mr. Joe Ballard provided a copy of the 2025 schedule of programs on 8 January 2025. The program schedule is attached to these minutes. In March, we will hear from Marshall Wall and the 78 Civil Engineer Group Program Overview. Mr. Ballard is hoping to secure the Georgia Technical Research Institute for our April meeting to discuss some of their latest projects and technology work. Our annual golf tournament will be held in May this year. June may have a speaker from GDoT. Everything past March is tentative at this point in time.

Post Membership:

Mr. Knight updated the Post roster and sent to Mr. Coats and Mr. Ballard. Mr. Coats will check the Streamer Portal for information on our Post growth in 2025.

Treasurer/Finance Update:

Mr. Coats provided the finance report on 7 January 2025. A copy of the report is attached to these minutes. No further comments were noted.

Installation Readiness:

No new updates regarding installation readiness.

Education and Mentoring:

Scholarship application information is available. We will be working on getting the information out and working on packages in late January.

Events and Small Business:

No new updates regarding events and small business

Ms. Holderfield will be working on reviving the newsletter. Mr. Coats will email the ballot to members today with Board approval and will have hard copies available at the meeting tomorrow. Mr. Coats will induct officers during the February meeting on the 19th, so it may be good to send the letter after that meeting.

Unfortunately, Mr. Yates could not accept the position as Post President because he will likely be transitioning soon. Also, Col. Folds will be leaving as the Director, Education and Mentoring as her new job as Mission Support Commander has increased her responsibilities and travel requirements. Mr. Brandon Parson, with Pond, will be joining as the Director for Emergency Preparedness on the ballot replacing Mr. Greg Culpepper.

SAME National:

Col Deloughery would like to share information regarding the Career Transition Workshop and JETC.

Mr. Coats indicated that he will also send out information requests for the Streamer.

Recorded by:

Carrie Holderfield
Post Secretary