

Coastal Carolina Lodge 12 Meeting Minutes September 25, 2025

# **Lodge Meeting Opened:**

Brother Martin performed the opening prayer

1900 hours proclaimed open by Brother Second Vice President Shick

Oath of Allegiance

Out of Order: Nothing

#### Rollcall of Officers:

#### **Officers Present:**

Brother KC Canterbury – President
Brother Jim Tolman – Secretary
Brother Chris Shick – Second Vice President
Sister Shick – Treasurer
Sister Jade Pike – Recording Secretary
Brother Wayne Wells – Sergeant At Arms
Brother George Martin – Chaplain

#### Officers Absent:

Brother Tim Troxell - Vice President

**Reading of the minutes:** Digital or paper copies are available for review and will be located on the members only section of the website.

Motion made to accept the minutes as written and dispense with the reading.

Motion: Brother Freese Second: Sister Shick

Discussion: Sister Vanderpool brought to the attention of the lodge that the name of a new member was spelled incorrectly. This will be corrected before the approved meeting minutes are given to the IT Committee.

#### **Motion Passed**

## Acceptance of New Applications for Membership:

Joshua Floyd – North Myrtle Beach PD – Sponsored by Brother Shick Edgar Espino – Surfside Beach PD – Sponsored by Brother Shick Drayton Wallace – Horry County PD – Sponsored by Brother Shick Jake Owens – Horry County PD – Sponsored by Brother Shick Andrew Marts – Horry County PD – Sponsored by Brother Shick John Bass – Horry County PD – Sponsored by Brother Shick Zicko Lewis – Horry County PD – Sponsored by Brother Shick

Motion Made to Accept Applications:

Motion: Brother Gavin Second: Brother Rosaforte

Discussion: None

**Motion Passed** 

## **Officers Reports:**

<u>President – Brother Canterbury:</u> Been feeling bad the last few weeks. Gallbladder removed Sunday. Currently working light duty and should be coming off of light duty in 2 weeks. Currently working on recruiting at the office.

Vice President – Brother Troxell: Normal duties of the station

<u>Secretary – Brother Tolman:</u> Normal duties of the station. Attended State Mini Conference. Updated roster information for new members and learning the new database. Working on recruitment.

<u>Treasurer – Sister Shick:</u> Attended State Mini Conference in Columbia. Working with the new Zelle Transfers system and making sure it is working properly.

Account Balances - PUBLISHED

Operational Account: \$ 43,392.99 Educational / Ofc Distress Account: \$ 25,379.00 Fund Raising Account: \$ 31,632.13 Total of all accounts: \$ 100,404.12

Legal Defense Account: \$ 12,298.82 (\$20,298.82 drafted for Legal Defense)

Building Fund: \$ 141.00

<u>Second Vice President – Brother Shick:</u> Attended Mini State Conference. Working on recruiting and normal duties of the station. Put on presentations at HGTC and at NMB PD for recruiting and legal defense. Received the new Legal Defense cards in the mail (1,000 received for \$380.15). These cards will be handed out to current active duty members for now and in the future they will be presented to the new members at application time.

<u>Recording Secretary – Sister Pike:</u> Working on recruitment, regular duties of the station and attended the State Mini Conference

<u>Sergeant In Arms – Brother Wells:</u> Checking on a couple of members from the lodge regarding their welfare and attended the State Mini Conference. Brother and Sister Dean are currently feeling under the weather with their allergies. Got with VP about a few members cards

<u>Chaplin – Brother Martin:</u> Attended State Mini Conference. Met with a number of politicians. Contacted by Susan Vargo, National FOP Auxiliary, about establishing an Auxiliary Unit at our lodge. LODD from ODMP read to membership.

## **Committee Reports:**

IT Committee: Report given by Sister Vanderpool – Published Report Given By Brother Nadler - Published

**Discussion:** Issues with receiving GoDaddy e-mails. Brother President Canterbury is going to speak with State Lodge about getting an e-mail address through them to hopefully help with keeping our e-mail address from getting "spammed" or blocked. Recording Secretary Sister Pike resent the e-mails to Sister Vanderpool that she stated she did not receive. The e-mails were sent to Sister Vanderpool, "John Lodge" e-mail, and Brother Gavin's e-mail.

Conference Committee: Nothing to report

Committee reports will be accepted as information

Bills: Published – nothing beyond regular bills

**Discussion:** Nothing

#### Communications:

From the Board – Nothing to report

From the Floor – Nothing to report

#### Sick and In Distress:

From the Chaplain – Nothing further to report

From the Board – Nothing further to report

Unfinished Business: - Nothing to report

## **New Business:**

<u>From the Board:</u> State Mini Conference - Constitution and By-Laws all passed. Resolution about the state conference requirements will be changing and voted on in January due to the change to the By-Laws. Working on the State Conference bid and been in contact with other lodges that are willing to assist with the work.

State Lodge Communications:

From the Floor:

## Good of the Order:

New Challenge coins have come out for the state. We did not get any for our lodge due to having so many of the "6" Challenge Coins. We did get some to give away during the raffle 50/50 drawing. We have QR Code cards for the State 50/50 raffle. You can pick which lodge you are supporting (ie Lodge 12) and the lodge will get \$1.50 per ticket. The cards are located on the head E-Board table. Raffle will be held/drawn on November 15 at the Berkley Lodge Car Show.

President Brother Canterbury spoke with Brother Wells about his fundraising pick-ups. Angelo's Steak House has been contacted by the fundraising company and funds were solicited from him 3 times since May. Contacted him and told him he was named "Man of The Year for 2025" by our lodge. Brother President Canterbury contacted the Fundraising Company and informed them NOT to contact him again in 2025. We would like to get Cops and Kids Program back up and running. Brother SAA Wells would like for us to start holding our meetings at Angelos so that we can support his business. President Canterbury will look into holding our meetings there.

Chaplain Martin would like for our lodge to contact the State Lodge to contact the NC State Lodge to get the contact information for Deputy Shipman's home lodge so we can make a substantial monetary donation. Brother President Canterbury discussed the caps in place but will make contact with them to see what we can do. Chaplain Martin informed the lodge that the Guns and Hoses Baseball tournament was to be held this weekend but cancelled.

## 50/50: \$40 member \$40 building fund

There is only \$41 in the tips so we will have to take \$9 out of the 50/50 to make the \$50. \$31 will go to the building fund \$40 to the winner

Ticket #5626 won the 50/50

We will also raffle off some of the Conference Challenge Coins:

Ticket # 5625 Ticket # 5662

Ticket # 5693

Ticket # 5687

Closing Prayer: Performed by Chaplain Martin

**Lodge Meeting Closed** 



# SC FOP LODGE #12 AUGUST TREASURER'S REPORT August 28 – September 25, 2025

# **OPERATING ACCOUNT 1615**

Deposits		
8/25	Deposit	\$4,475.40
8/29	Interest	\$1.73
8/2-9/19	Zelle Transfer- Lodge Dues (33)	\$2,007.00
9/5	Deposit	\$415.00
9/19	Deposit	\$3009.00
9/19	Deposit	\$3577.80
	Total Deposits:	\$13,485.93

Debits		
8/25	Moose Lodge Donation	\$60.00
8/29	All American Storage	\$73.00
8/29	Ofc. Hemingway Funeral Donation	\$1500.00
9/2	Check 2302- Donald Nadler – Mileage (IT)	\$38.50
9/5	Carolina Bookke	\$400.00
9/15	Vistaprint – Legal Defense Cards	\$380.00
9/15	Check 2312- S.Shick- mini conf.	\$279.60
9/16	Check 2306- John Deane- mini conf.	\$275.40
9/16	Check 2307- Karen Deane- mini conf.	\$50.00
9/17	Check 2309- George Martin- mini conf.	\$50.00
9/17	Check 2316- SC FOP- mini conf. registration	\$220.00
9/17	Check 2319- SC FOP- poker chips	\$75.00
9/19	Check 2314- Jim Tolman- mini conf.	\$50.00
9/19	Check 2318- Jim Tolman- min conf.	\$216.30
9/23	Check 2308- George Frees- mini conf.	\$50.00
9/23	Check 2311- Drew Rosaforte- mini conf.	\$297.10
9/25	Hartford Ins.	\$594.00

Total Balance \$43,392.99

Total Debits: \$4,608.90

<sup>\*\*</sup> SC FOP Mini Conference Per Diem & Mileage Total - \$1,488.40 \*\*



# **COMMUNITY CHECKING (Education/Officer Assistance) 1636**

Deposits 0

Debits 0

Total Balance \$25,379.00

# **FUNDRAISING ACCOUNT (1660)**

Deposits \$2500.00

Debits 0

Total Balance \$31,632.13

Total Balance of all Accounts \$100,404.12

**LEGAL DEFENSE ACCOUNT 1639** 

LD Draft

- 20,298-82

Total Balance \$32,361.80

\$12,062.98

\* Building Fund \$ 141.00

# IT Committee Report September 2025

The IT committee has been working on getting as many of the missing emails from the Roster that we were sent in July added to the data and GoDaddy so that more members get the eblast emails that are sent.

We have identified several problem areas, with one example being GoDaddy's email addresses not matching the Roster, such as donadler@hotmail on one list and donadler@gmail on another. Other issues we have identified are the lack of any email, which we are trying to resolve. One way of getting possible email addresses was to look at the dues list for the dues collected in 2024 for 2025 for possible email addresses not included in the roster. While we realize the dues list may not be a complete list, as it was a working list for internal information, it did provide some additional emails we could add.

We did note that comparing lists produced a number of issues. There are 31 names that are on the GoDaddy email list that are NOT on the Roster. To compound the issue, the vast majority of those names appear on the Dues list. I sent the list to Brother Canterbury so that he could further research if those on the GoDaddy list are actual members, be they full, associate or honorary, so we can take any action to clear up the GoDaddy mailing list. We need in this instance to know if the people on the list are indeed members that need to be added to the roster, or no longer members that can be dropped from the GoDaddy list.

We will work to resolve the conflicting email addresses I mentioned earlier and advise the Board of any changes.

We have many serious issues with GoDaddy that are obviously making resolving some of our remaining problems difficult if not nearly impossible to address in any reasonable manner.

Don Nadler

## SCFOP Lodge 12 IT Committee Report, September 2025

Since the August Meeting, the IT Committee has been intensively involved with reviewing available information from multiple sources and updating the email list maintained through GoDaddy, which is used to send announcements and other information to the Lodge's Members. While we have made significant progress in updating the records to correct inaccurate emails, and to add email addresses and telephone numbers where they were previously missing, the Lodge remains in non compliance with South Carolina Law, which requires the Lodge to provide certain Notices and other information to ALL Members.

The IT Committee found that there is a significant delay in receiving information to update the email subscriber list, and new members are often not receiving the next meeting Announcement because of this delay. The delay in providing the information to the IT Committee appears to be related to delays in National informing the Lodge of Member numbers assigned to the new Members. That is information the Committee does not need in order to update the email subscriber list. We'd like to request that the names and other identifying information including telephone numbers and email addresses for new Members be provided to the IT Committee within 5 days of the Meeting, so that the Committee can update the email subscriber list and include new members on blast emails and other messages.

As reported at the several prior Meetings, The IT Committee requested President Canterbury to review the Member Benefits listed on the website and to confirm that this information is accurate. When the information is received from President Canterbury, the IT Committee can move forward to complete this assignment.

South Carolina Law requires the Lodge to notify ALL Members of Meetings and matters on which they are entitled to vote. Three months ago, as part of its ongoing review of GoDaddy administrative information, the Committee discovered a significant technical issue with the email list; GoDaddy's software was not properly adding new Member contact information to the list when information was provided. After hours of discussion, this issue was believed to have been resolved. Unfortunately the committee has discovered that the situation has NOT been resolved. IT Committee Member Don Nadler will report more detailed information.

In general, the issues with GoDaddy and its services related to our email subscriber list and announcements sent by the Lodge have not improved; they not only continue, but they are constantly changing and evolving.

It continues to be my opinion, and I believe the other IT Committee Members agree, that GoDaddy is not providing reliable, professional technical support services to the Lodge with respect to the Lodge website and what GoDaddy calls "Email Marketing" Services.

The IT Committee has spent most of its time and energy this month trying once again to reconcile information from GoDaddy with information from the Lodge's records. At the same time, the Committee is collecting and documenting the issues with GoDaddy in order to be able

to make accurate, fact based recommendations regarding the Lodge's website, email system, and related information collection and processing needs.

I reported last month that the IT Committee had not received all Minutes of Meeting for the current year. Recording Secretary Pike took issue with this report. I took her objections seriously and re-reviewed the IT Committee's files. While I am able to confirm that the Committee DID receive a number of Meeting Minutes, there was no record of Meeting Minutes for March and May 2025, and I request that Recording Secretary Pike forward those Minutes to the IT Committee at her earliest convenience.

The IT Committee needs the cooperation and assistance of the E-Board in order to do its job for the Lodge. We are also sensitive to the fact that the E-Board Members have many demands on their time (as do we) and we try not to make unnecessary requests of them.

Stephanie Vanderpool For the IT Committee