

SELAMA GROTTTO M. O. V. P. E. R.

STATED SESSION OF SELAMA GROTTTO MARCH 14 2012

MONARCH
CHIEF JUSTICE
MASTER OF CEREMONIES
TREASURER
SECRETARY
VENERABLE PROPHET
CHAPLAIN
MARSHAL
CAPTAIN OF GUARD
SENTINEL

BRUCE WARD
JOHN T. R. DEVORE
THOMAS MCVEIGH
P. M. HARDY BRYAN 3RD
EDWARD W. FLOWERS,
DAVID VINCENT
P. M. FRED P. KINNEY, ABSENT
WILLIAM WEST
P.M. CHRIS WEBB,
P.M. JOHN BURRELL ABSENT

MONARCH BRUCE REQUESTED PDDGM, P.M. RICHARD GREEN TO ESCORT DDGM JIM MASON INTO GROTTTO AND BE RECEIVED.

MONARCH BRUCE OPENED SESSION AT 7; 30 P.M. WITH PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND RENDEREING HONORS TO THE CANADIAN ENSIGN.

BENEDICTION GIVEN BY PRO-TERM CHAPLAIN P.M. ALFRED RODGERS

MONARCH BRUCE CALLED FOR SUSPENDING THE REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR THE INSTALATION IN SHORT FORM OF CANDIDATE ROB BENSON.

INSTALLATION TEAM MONARCH – BRUCE, CHAMBERLAIN - P.M., G.T. BARRY DUPRÉ, ORATOR- DDGM, P.M. JIM MASON, CHIEF JUSTICE DAVID VINCENT AND SUPPORTERS P.M. S' TREASURER, HARDY BRYAN, P.M. RICHARD RENSHAW. PROPHET ROB WAS PRESENTED WITH GROTTTO BY-LAWS,. AND FEZ AND ESCORTED TO A CHAIR WITH FELLOW PROPHETS

MONARCH CALLED FOR CONTINUING REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS –

MASTER OF CEREMONIES- THOMAS MCVEIGH FOR INTRODUCTION OF PAST MONARCHS, GUESTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS- THERE BEING NO VISITORS, HE CONTINUED WITH P.M. DDGM JIM MASON, PAST MONARCHS CHRIS WEBB, BARRY DUPRÉ, HARDY BRYAN, RICHARD RENSHAW, RICHARD GREEN AND ALFRED RODGERS WERE RECOGNIZED, AS WAS PROPHET FRED KALKBRENNER MASTER OF DAYLIGHT LODGE. UPCOMING EVENTS WERE BROUGHT TO OUR ATTENTION. IN PARTICULAR THE MONARCHS BALL THIS SATURDAY WITH THE GRAND MONARCH, HIS LADY SUSAN, THE GRAND MASTER OF FLORIDA HIS LINE, WITH THEIR GUESTS.

MONARCH BRUCE ADVISED THAT SINCE GOOD FRIDAY IS APRIL 6, THERE WILL BE NO FRIDAY NIGHT SOCIAL.

MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 8, 2012 WERE READ, CORRECTED AND ACCEPTED AS CORRECTED.

CORRESPONDENCE - NOTICE ADVISING OF TIME FOR MAINTENANCE OF AIR CONDITIONING UNITS.

RECOMENDATIONS OF BOARD TO GROTTTO-RECOMENDATION- PRESENT GRAND MONARCHS LADY, SUSAN, \$100.00 FOR HER FUND - MASONIC SERVICES ASSOCIATION, ATTENTION VETERANS VISITATION PROGRAM .

RECOMENDATION-SPLIT COST OF "PHILLIPS HEARTSTART ONSITE DEFIBRILLATOR" WITH DAYLIGHT LODGE WHO WILL APPROPRIATELY INSTALL AND MAINTAIN THE UNIT, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1012.55.

MONARCH BRUCE CALLED FOR BILLS AGAINST GROTTTO. BILLS TOTALLING \$411.27 WERE READ, MOTION TO PAY BILLS, SECONDED CARRIED.

MONARCH CALLED FOR TREASURER, P, M, HARDY BRYAN WHO ADVISED PRESENT BALANCE \$3799.09, MOTION TO ACCEPT TREASURERS REPORT PENDING AUDIT, SECONDED CARRIED.

OLD BUSINESS- MOTION,TO ACCEPT RECOMENDATION THE GROTTTO PRESENT TO GRAND MOMARCHS LADY SUSAN, A CHECK FOR \$100.00 FOR HER PROJECT- THE MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION FOR VETERANS VISITATION PROGRAM, SECONDED CARRIED.

MOTION THAT THE GROTTTO SPLIT THE DIFFERENCE FOR THE COST, \$1012,55, TO DAYLIGHT LODGE TO PURCHASE, INSTALL AND MAINTAIN A PHILLIPS HEARTSTART ONSITE DEFIBRILLATOR WITH CASE AND BACK UP BATTERY TO BE INSTALLED IN AN APPROPRIATE LOCATION IN THE BUILDING. ON THE QUESTION CARRIED.

MONARCH BRUCE REFERRED TO LETTER OF INSPECTION =OF AIR CONDITIONING UNITS, RECOMMNDEING THAT P. M. GREEN BE REQUESTED TO CONTACT LINDSAY REFRIGERATION FOR APPAOINTMAEN AND TO PROCEED WITH MAINTENAVE AT A COST NOT TO EXCEED \$150.00 PER UNIT. MOTION TO MAKE APPOINTMENT SECONDED CARRIED.

NEW BUSUNESS

WE WILL HAVE A TABLE MANNED BY CHIEF JUSTICE JOHN DEVORE AT THE PILGRAMAGE DAY PROGRAM 10 A,M, TILL 3 P.M. AND ANY OR EVERYONE IS INVITED TO COME AND ASSIST.

REMINDER-FLORIDA STATE GROTTTO ASSOCAITION SPRING SESSION APRIL 14- 15

SOUTHEAST GROTTTO ASSOCIATION MAY 3-4

REPORT OF UNITS-

PAST MONARCHS- P.M. CHRIS WEBB FOR PRESIDENT FRED KINNEY, ADVISED PAST MONARCHS INTEND TO HAVE A FUND RAISER IN THE MONTH OF JUNE WHICH WILL BE A SPAGHETTI DINNER FULLY MANNED BY PAST MONARCHS EXCEPT FOR THE CHEF.

JOKERS-P.M. CHRIS WEBB- ADVISED NO PARADES, THE MATTER OF INSURANCE IS STILL BEING CONSIDERED.

CAST- P.M. BARRY DUPRÉ - ADVISED FULL CEREMONIAL WILL BE PRESENTED APRIL 21, 2012 WITH THE NEW PROPHET ROB BENSON BEING INDUCTED.

MOTOR PATROL- P.M. CHRIS WEBB ADISED THEY WILL MEET THIS SUNDAY AT 11 A.M. AT NORTHSIDE LODGE.

COMMITTEES-

TOOTHBRUSH- WILLIAM WEST IS STILL TRYING TO LOCATE THE BRUSH P.M. JOHN BURREL MADE, AND ADVISED THAT THE NEXT DRIVE WILL BE AT MADEIRA BEACH IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

CHIEF JUSTICE JOHN DEVORE ADVISED THE ENCHANTED LANTERN PROGRAM IS MEETING THE MINIMUM OF 1 PURCHASED A MONTH BUT THERE ARE MORE AVILABLE ALONG WITH A TIE FOR AN EXTRA \$10.00.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS-

MONARCH BRUCE ADVISED GRAND MONARCH MOE HAS BEEN HOSPIALIZED WITH A HEART CONDITION BUT IS EXPECTING TO BE RELEASED AND WILL ATTEND OUR MONARCHS BALL. ALONG WITH THE LINE OF GRAND LODGE OF FLORIDA.

P.M. HAROLD MALONE WAS VISITING ELMER O. SMITH LODGE TO RECEIVE HIS 50 YEAR MASONIC LODGE PIN WHICH THEY PRESENTED TO HIM AT LODGE ON THE GROUND FLOOR.

P.M. CHRIS WEBB ADVISED HIS GRANDFATHER AND FORMER SENTINEL OF OUR GROTTTO, IS RECOVERING FROM HIS HEART PROBLEMS,

KELLY DOUGHERTY IS ALSO RECUPERATING FROM A BROKEN RIGHT SHOULDER AND ARM, DOCTOR ADVISED IT WILL BE ANOTHER 6 – 8 WEEKS FOR SIGNIFICANT HEALING.. ELLEN AND LEE GRIFFITH ARE PROGRESSING AND BE GLAD FOR VISITS.

MONARCH BRUCE CALLED FOR RECEPTION OF DDGM JIM MASON WHO ADVISED THIS, AS HIS OFFICIAL VISIT SHOWED THAT SELAMA WAS DOING SATISFACTORILY IN ALL APECTS, AND HE APPRECIATED BEING INVOLVED IN THE INITIATION OF AND WELCOMED PROPHET ROB INTO THE GROTTTO. HE THEN ADVISED OF THE GRAND MONARCHS EDICTS FOR THE YEAR - REGARDING REINSTATEMENT OF SUSPENDED PROPHETS, WEARING OF MILITARY INSIGNIA ON OUR FEZ, SUPPORTING F.S.G.A. IN ITS ATTEMPT TO PROVIDE A HOSPITALITY ROOM AT THE GRAND LODGE SESSION.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MONARC JIM MASON CLOSED WITH A THANK YOU AND GOOD FELLOWSHIP

MONARCH BRUCE PROCEEDED TO CLOSE GROTTTO IN FORM AT 9;10 WITH PRAYER

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

ED FLOWERS , SECRETARY