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Meeting Agenda Second Quarter Meeting, 1:00 PM, Saturday, May 16, 2020 Virtual / On-Line Meeting

- 1. Call to Order Randy Schulze KD0HKD
- 2. Welcome to the Internet! Our meeting is being hosted online due to the National Concerns over the COVID-19 Virus, using Jitsi.

3. Roll Call of Member Organizations with Representatives Randy Schulze KD0HKD Charles Van Way N0CVW Dave Hinkley KA0SOG Jeff Darby KS0JD SFTARC Dave Copeland N0EIR Herb Fiddich NZ0F Joe Krout KR0UT Kristal Thompson KR1STL Warrensburg ARC

- 4. New Membership Applications to the Council
 - a. None
 - b. 19 current members

5. Secretary-Treasurer's Report

Bank balance:	\$786.12
PayPal	\$190.32
Cash	\$ 40.00
TOTAL	\$1016.44

6. Minutes from the February 9, 2020 Meeting

a. Approved

7. Regular Committee Reports: No reports

- a. Activities Committee Keith Kaiser, Chair
- b. Recognition Committee Larry Staples, Chair
- c. Issues Committee, Bill Gery, Chair

8. Overview and Q&A of COVID-19 from a Physician's Perspective

- a. Dr Charles W. Van Way, MD N0CVW
- b. Discussion about Field Day. Consensus is towards home stations.
- c. Discussion about precautions in public.
- d. Discussion about impact on hamfests, both this year and in the future

9. Results of Yearly Elections:

- a. Offices:
 - i. Vice Chair: Incumbent, KC0SOG Dave Hinkley
 - ii. Board Member: Incumbent KR0UT Joe Krout
 - iii. Board Member: New Board Member, KR1STL Kristl Thompson, President, Warrensburg Area Amateur Radio Club.

10.Mo-Kan Sponsored / Managed Events for 2020

- a. Ham 400 Series Training: Organization Governance held on February 15, 2020.
- b. Certificates issued to:
 - i. Richard Fretwell W0KRF, Blue Springs ARC
 - ii. John Totzke W0JWT, Raytown ARC
 - iii. Gary Adams WA0BTM Warrensburg Area ARC
 - iv. Frances Adams KC0TFR Warrensburg Area ARC
 - v. Kristl Thompson KR1STL Warrensburg Area ARC
 - vi. Joe Krout KR0UT, Jayhawk Amateur Radio Society
 - vii. Dave Hinkley KA0SOG, Lee's Summit-Greenwood ARC
- c. Consideration to put the class 'On the Road.' Idea put on hold until outcome of COVID-19. Webinar under consideration.
- d. Continue Elmers' Table at Hamfests:

- i. Elmers' Table for Ararat Shrine Hambash Cancelled due to COVID-19
- ii. Request to provide Elmers' Table at Raytown ARC Hamfest, November 2020.
- iii. Table will be available at Warrensburg Hamfest, July 18, 2020, if it is held.
- e. Any New Activities? All ideas welcome.
 - i. Breakfast Club Net, via Kansas City Room Herb
 - ii. Local Contests

11.Any New Business

- a. Testing and training sessions in the Warrensburg facility
- b. Online testing in this area
 - i. Hamclass.org has online tests for practice
 - ii. Online training is available
 - iii. Testing is available online; the technology is available
 - iv. The VEC community would have to support this
 - v. Randy Schulze says that IBM might award a grant for this. He will explore the possibility.

12.Next Meeting:

a. July 18, 2020, venue TBA, but hopefully at the Warrensburg Hamfest

13. Adjourn