



The October 28th meeting of MARCAN, held at Shawnee Police Department, was called to order by President Susan Smith at 1127 hours, with fifteen (15) members present.

The minutes were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report

In the absence of Carol Stanton, Lisa McMullen read the Treasurer's Report. The balance at the beginning of September was \$1,772.11. We had no debits and \$35.61 credits, leaving an ending balance of \$1,807.72.

Training Report

Because Dawn Clausius was absent, Susan reported that next year's IACA Conference will be held September 27-30 at the Arlington, TX, Convention Center. Conference fees will be \$450, and the Sheraton hotel should be about \$139/night plus taxes.

A K-State Professor will be presenting a talk on Neighborhood Crime at JCCC. Susan hopes to determine if this would be a course to consider for the First Friday Free Training series.

Membership Report

Dawne Jarrett advised that there are no changes to report. Renewals will be sent out within the next two weeks.

Old Business

No one objected to the temporary revision of the by-laws during this election period, and nominations for the positions of President, Vice President of Membership and Treasurer should be submitted to Jamie May before November 13. She will confirm that those nominated wish to run for office and then prepare and distribute a voting ballot by November 18.

The by-law committee expects to have the proposed revisions by late 2009 or early 2010.

New Business

Lisa McMullen and Jen Dachenhausen will check various suppliers' prices for a traditional-type holiday meal for the December 16th party at Shawnee PD. Susan will send out an email notification about the party, encouraging members to bring a supervisor or commander with them to the party. She will request RSVP's and keep track of them for an accurate count in order to purchase the meals.

As a reminder, MARCAN will cover the certification test fee for any MARCAN member who decides to take the IACA Certification test.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED: Beverly Redding, Secretary

(In attendance: Susan Smith, Lisa McMullen, Jen Dachenhausen, Michelle Stueve, Mike Fracul, Mark Phillips, Bev Redding, Dawne Jarrett, Kendra Kingsbury, Leigh Ann Springer, Tim Layman, Sabrina Potts, Duane Davidson, Jennifer Massey, Ilena Spalding)

******See Page Two for directions for next year's meetings in Mission and Independence.******

