



Georgia Polygraph Association

Minutes of Meeting March 10, 2020

Douglas County Police Department
8470 Earl D. Lee Blvd., Douglasville, GA 30134

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I. Call to Order

Members were welcomed to the Douglas County. The meeting was called to order by President John Sweat.

II. Members and Guests in Attendance

Nathan Sprague	Don Berez	Linda Howard	Steven Duncan
Meredith Edwards	Keith Woodford	Jay Hayes	Todd Vande Zande
Gilbert Guthrie	Amanda Baker	Jack Joiner	Michael Stephens
Arthez Woodruff	Latoria Reynolds	Christopher Wright	Edilberto Soto Jr.
Kenneth Adamczyk	Charles Hedrick	John Sweat	Sarah Keane
Thomas Davis Sr.	Ron Bae	Robbie Frederick	Brenda Nix

III. Secretary Report

Minutes for the January 2020 meeting voted on and approved. Four new members welcomed and added to the website directory.

IV. Treasurer Report

Current Balance for the GPA is \$16,335.72. Treasury report voted on and approved.

V. Old Business

Tri-State will be held at Tybee Island October 14, 15, and 16.

VI. New Business

Communication and efficiency will be improved by keeping the website up to date.

Steve Duncan (former APA President) will be one of the speakers at Tri-State teaching a 2-hour block of Pre-Employment and a 2- hour block of APA Standards.

GPA and GBI members will be free for Tri-State. All others can pay \$100 or become members of GPA for a nominal fee.

Discussion of email distribution list; there is a way to send a message to one person instead of the group.

Discussion by Vice President Sarah Keane on having some representation to the DCS Board. They have dropped the 250 exam requirement for PCSOT Examiners and are in the process of making more revisions.

There are several awards open for examiners through the APA; please consider a fellow examiner and nominate them.

VII. Announcements

The next regular meeting of the Georgia Polygraph Association will be held on Tuesday, May 12, 2020, at 10 am at the Warner Robins Police Department located at 100 Watson Blvd., Warner Robins, GA 31093. Catered training will be provided.

VIII. Adjournment

There being no other business the meeting was adjourned.

Training today covered Criminal Specific Post Test Interviews/Interrogations. The speaker was Capt. John Sweat from Douglas County Sheriff's Office.