SUFFOLK COUNTY AMERICAN LEGION OCTOBER 2022 COUNTY MINUTES Patchogue, 10/07/2022

Commander Antonacci, opened the meeting at 2000 hours with proper ceremony and respect. Roll call of Posts showed 22 present, we had a quorum. Roll call of Officers showed 10 present and one absent. The commander of Post 269 welcomed us to his post.

Division Commanders Reports, (Included) next meeting 1st Division, 10/13, Post 1634, 1900. 2nd Division, 10/21, Post 1738, 1900. 3rd Division, 10/21, Post 155, 1830. 5th Division, 10/25, Post 419, 1900

Adjutants report accepted Ormandy/Wagner. Finance report was incomplete but was accepted Wagner/Barczak.

Chaplain Bergen, talked about possible 2 "4Chaplains" Services, one at LISVH, another TBA. Sgt at Arms Farley spoke about need for someone to replace him this coming year, and his willingness to show them what is expected. Service Officer spoke about "Operation Vest", flyer included.

Boys State Report included. PCC Roby Johnson, spoke on success of Department Commanders visit and thanked all who assisted. PCC Johnson also stated that so far nothing on Law and Order, and that so far one nomination for next year has been received.

Legislative Chair, Ken Dolan, spoke about introduced legislation, (included). He also spoke about Operation VEST to combat the suicide epidemic (included).

PCC Bruggermann, made a report on recent MIA/POW recoveries. PCC Pankowski, spoke on National visitation dinner at Antuns and the need to commit to tickets now.

Oratorical Chair, Lenore Braithwaite, spoke on upcoming county Oratorical Contest (included). David Issacs gave report on Legion Riders (included)

Membership Chair, PCC Robesch, talked about how important membership is to our organization. (Included are goals for county). P10DC Shadler, spoke about need to update bylaws (included).

Meeting closed at 2115, by Commander Antonacci with ceremony and respect. Next meeting is at Post 833, Smithtown, November 4th, 2022. Dinner at 1900.

PCC Jim Beecher SCAL Adjutant