

DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA MARINE CORPS LEAGUE Commandant's Council Meeting Mar 2025 MCLPA HQ Building 3-95 Upper Deck Ft. Indiantown Gap, PA

15 Mar 2025

0900 - Opening Ceremony -Meeting was called to order at 0900 by SVC McCoy in the upstairs meeting room with the assistance of Sergeant at Arms Sundling and Chaplain Schreiber.

Acknowledge Past Nat'l and Dept. Commandants in Attendance

Jr. PDC Brady

National Staff in Attendance -

NE DIV Aide de Camp and Audio Visual and NE DIV Compliance - Jacob Bertin National Sergeant at Arms - Lisa Solarczyk

Roll Call of the Detachments - Adjutant Cook

23 Det. Present

Training:

- SVC asked for members to come up and address issues that Department can help with. Major overhaul made to the member portal by National. This could have caused day to day business to slow and lag. Issues with signing into the membership portal.
- Jim Mineo brought up PLM audit issues. Take this issue offline with Commandant Henry directly.
- Gene Irvin, Paymaster Valley Forge Det, Det dues issue brought up.
- Stephen Smalley, PW Milano, brought up Compliance issues.
- Retention is the first priority and foundation of a Detachment. Ideas : New member welcome packet, folder or business card, contact info etc. Exit letter to members who decide to leave. SVC discussed packet she got from National's meeting on recruitment and retention.

Good of the League :

- Craig Reeling has packets to pass around and Marine Corps stickers for vehicles.
- Dave Brady, First Capitol, York Revolution Marine Day at the baseball stadium in August. Chance to get into the community and media.

Announcements :

- SVC announced candidacy for Department Commandant. All positions are voted on in June at Department Convention. 13 other committees and liaison positions need to be filled at Department level before the June convention. Doug Graves, asked for a repeat of Officers that need to be filled at Department.
- Next Commandant's Council 27 June, 2025. Time is TBD.
- Dave Brady, President for MOY Society- nominations acceptable in email and snail mail and hand carried up until COB thursday at convention (BOT meeting Thursday).

Closing Ceremony: Meeting was adjourned at 1013 hours by SVC McCoy assisted by SAA Sundling and Chaplain Schreiber.

Respectfully Submitted by Sarah Cook, Adjutant, MCLPA