Minutes for LSARC meeting of July 18, 2018

Meeting was brought to order by Walt, WA6LII, at 2:05 pm at First Christian Church, 763 Passion Play Rd. Eureka Springs, AR.

minutes from the June meeting, Jim KCOGDV moved to accept as read, Fred WB9ONV seconded, "I"s were unanimous, minutes were accepted.

Treasurer's report was given by Walt in the absence of Susan KA3MEX. After utilities were paid and dues collected the new balance is \$1,006.27. someone moved to accept as read, someone else seconded, "I"s were unanimous, treasurer report was accepted.

Old Business: Walt added a deadbolt to the repeater building. He set it to the same key as the regular door lock so if you have a key it works on both locks. He also sprayed herbicide and there were no leaks detected around the building. And there were 2 power failures from the grid but our backup power worked fine.

New Business: Rudy and Walt drought up the need for LMR-400 coax for our 440 repeater so we can raise the 440 antenna 15 to 20 feet higher on our tower. Cost of 100 feet is \$140. Length needed was increased to 110 feet to be safe. Rudy moved to buy the coax and Jim seconded the motion. "I"s were unanimous, motion passed.

An alternate location for our monthly meeting was discussed in the case the church is not available. Fred suggested the Elks Club in Holiday Island, Anna will look for a suitable place preferably along Hwy 23 for ease of finding and more central to members.

Meeting closed at 2:26 pm and food was served.

Attendees: (19) Rudy KE5MUE and Reta Behrens, Fred WB9ONV and Mary Jane Willman, Pat KD0PQM and Jim KC0GDV McCarthy, John Hinkamp AB5KB, Lloyd KD0I and Cathy N0QQB Lank, Allen KF5ROH and Carol KG5BJW Fowler, Pat N6WIF and Terry N6WI Dean, Sean Michael KD0ULQ, Mary Ellen KG5NRV and Walt WA6LII Phelps, Anna Ahlman KG5FDF, Peggy KK5JW and C.W. W5CWW Warren

Submitted by Terry Dean, Secretary