

## Minutes NJRPFA State Meeting. September 24, 2018

### Call to order:

The meeting of the New Jersey Retired Police and Firemen's Association was called to order by President Valdora on Monday, September 24, 2018 at 1200 hrs at the Ancient Order of Hibernians, 271 2nd St., South Amboy, NJ.

Pledge of Allegiance-Prayer in memory of departed.

President Valdora led the members in the pledge of allegiance and memorial prayer.

Roll Call of Officers and Delegates.

### Present.

President Valdora  
Vice President Dennis Deal  
Vice President Walt Szatjowski  
Treasurer Len Mundy

### Excused.

Vice President Dave Earle  
Secretary William McKnight  
Sergeant At Arms William Seaman  
Trustee Ed Rappleyea  
Trustee Robert DelSordo

### Absent.

Financial Secretary James Stewart.

### Attendance.

Local 9-12  
Local 11-2  
Local 3-4  
Local 12-1  
Local 16-2  
Local 8-1  
Local 15-1  
Local 1-1

### Minutes.

Minutes of the previous meeting were distributed by mail and email.  
Motion to approve by local 16 second by 12. Motion passed.

### Guest Speakers.

Rob Hammer and Mike Giaramita of US Law Shield gave a presentation on the coverage provided by their firm if you utilize deadly force or find yourself in trouble for weapons offenses. Updates on NJ firearms law was also provided.

We took a break for refreshments at this point.

John Sierchio and Marty Barrett made presentations and appeals for support for the newly created pension board retiree position. President Valdora asked members to back one candidate so as to not divide up the retiree vote. A motion was made by local 16 and seconded by local 8 to give every local a chance to provide their position in writing on the two choices. Motion was passed.

Treasurers Report.

We started with \$12,615.52. We took in \$2019. We spent \$180.80. We now have \$14,453.72 on hand. Motion to approve by local 8 seconded by 16. Motion approved.

2019 meeting Dates.

The following dates were proposed for the 2019 NJRPFA State Meetings.

Monday, February 11, 2019  
Monday April 8, 2019  
Monday, June 17, 2019  
Monday, September 23, 2019  
Monday, December 9, 2019

Motion made by 16 seconded by 3. Motion passed.

Liaison Committee.

The following locals had the following items of interest to report.

Local 8 reported they held a seminar to advise members about survivors navigating the pension system on the death of their spouse. They also reported a recently well attended barbecue.

Local 9 advised us their next meeting was to be held on 10/3. No meeting in November and President Burns would like to see a new president step up in local 9 by January 2019.

Our next meeting will be Monday, December 3, 2018 at the Willingboro FOP Lodge. 4136 Rte 130, Beverly NJ.

Adjournment was at 1510 hrs. Motion by 12, second by 16. Approved.