POW/MIA Meeting September 23, 2017

Dept. Headquarters at 10:00 a.m.

Present were Derrick Stinson, 1st Division and Chella Yeakal, Vice-Chairman, 4th Division. Lisa Smith, 2nd Division was absent. Sam Rice, Chairman, 2nd Division and Ruthy Welty, 5th Division were excused.

Updated information from Sam:

- ❖ The Committee will discuss what to do with donations at next meeting
- Sam has more National League of Family brochures
- ❖ Sam will let the Committee know when the next meeting is
- ❖ The POW / MIA shirts next year will have "Illinois Remembers"
- The Committee will discuss the need for different sizes by email.

Department Adjutant, Marty Conatser visited the Committee to inform them about the new Centennial Coin to be released. Centennial Posts will have 1^{st} choice of coins. Only 500 coins will be made and numbered 1 to 500.

A motion was made by Derrick Stinson to purchase 2 POW / MIA flags for Department Headquarters. It was seconded by Chella. Motion carried.

The Department Commander, Bob Henderson and Department Sr. Vice-Commander, Mike Carder visited the meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 10:38 a.m.

Chella M. Yeakal Vice-Chairman