## **Department of Illinois American Legion**

**Technology Committee Meeting September 23, 2017 1 p.m.** 

The meeting was call to order at 1:00 p.m. by Chairman Ron Payne. A salute was rendered to the colors, and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

All committee members present.

3<sup>rd</sup> Division Ronald A. Payne (Chairman) - Present

4<sup>th</sup> Division Michael R. Monroe (Vice Chairman) - Present

1<sup>st</sup> Division Kurt Lepinski – Present

2<sup>nd</sup> Division John Reece - Present

5<sup>th</sup> Division Stephen Wylie - Present

Ron asked if we knew who the District Technology representatives are for each of our Divisions.

Asked the new members to the committee why they are on the Technology Committee.

As we go out to our Division and District meetings if you here from a commander or post of issues on the Department web site to give the Technology committee the information for us to compile then forward to department instead each individual calling department with things they might have found.

National wants post's to put their history out on web site for public to see.

National is also encouraging more post adjutants to get signed up on mylegion.org for member information.

Talk to your Districts in your divisions to see if we can give a class or more information on mylegion.org to posts.

Marty will get us presentation used at National for mylegion.org for us to use as need through the Divisions.

Department Adjutant Marty Conatser came in and gave use information on a centennial coin that is being commissioned by the Department of Illinois. it is a bronze coin, engraved, 500 will be made with number 1-500 engraved on them any centennial post between 1 and 500 will get

a letter stating their coin is being held and have 30 days to buy it or will be released to be sold to someone else.

Department Commander Robert Henderson and Sr. Vice Commander Michael Carder, stopped in, brought greetings from the Department and was glad to see all the members that were able to make it. Commander's special project this year is Boys State, looking for more boys to attend would like to get a boy from every post. Sr. Vice Commander Carder mentioned if any districts are in need of membership vitalization be make sure they get in contact with Chad Woodburn membership director.

Ron encouraged all members to log into mylegion.org and navigate around the site to see if we have any question on using the site.

Ron will send a email out to everyone so we will have email address to share information with each other.

Rendered salute to the colors and meeting was adjourned in regular form at 1:58 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Michael R Monroe Vice Chairman Technology Committee 4<sup>th</sup> Division Chairman