

GMARC MEETING MINUTES FOR JANUARY 2006

- I. Meeting begins at 7:00pm, January 17th, 2006. Joe, N8OZ starts and conducts the meeting.
- II. Introductions of club members, with a few special guests from the Tri-State K-9 Search & Rescue
- III. Minutes from December: A motion to accept the minutes was made by Chuck, N8ZA and seconded by Mike, N5WCS. Vote passes.
- IV. Treasurer's report is presented by TJ, N8RUH. The club has a balance of \$1878.88.
- V. Old Business presented by Bobby, N8CY. The club has a total of 56 active members. A reminder that 2006 dues are payable!
- VI. Technical Committee presented by Chuck, N8ZA. Chuck concluded that the repeater is running smoothly and is not sensitive, as before.
- VII. Club Liaison Report given by George, K8GEO. Discussed upcoming events such as: Morse Code at L'anse Creuse, Jan. 23rd for free; Hazel Park isn't having normal tech classes but still have an Extra Class on February 1st. Contact John Fleming , K8UP by eMail: john@fleming-photo.com. For a summary of all upcoming events: http://gmarc.org/Upcoming_Ham_Events.htm (provided by David, KC8TTQ)
- VIII. Old Business: None
- IX. New Business presented by Chuck, N8ZA.
 - A) Chuck received an eMail from Ann-Marie, K8AMR at SATERN. February 3-5, 2006 SATERN is looking to use the repeater for the Super Bowl XL emergency communications only. A motion to allow the use of the repeater by SATERN in February was given by Rich, K8OX. Chuck, N8ZA seconded the motion. Vote passes.
 - B) MI QSO party is on April 15th from Noon to Midnight. For more information go to <http://www.miqp.org>
 - C) February 4th from 9am to – 7pm USECA FYBO 2006 - QRP Contest Metro Beach Metropark
- X. Break from 7:18 to 7:30
- XII. Guest Speakers from Tri-State K-9 Search and Rescue, Larry KD8CRA and Ethyl. They are looking for communications help and discussed the procedures to K-9 Search and rescue. To find out more information or to get involved, contact them at GoFind@sbcglobal.net , (248) 335-6578, or check out their website at <http://www.bloomington.in.us/~raven/>

XI. Motion by Brad, N8VI to adjourn the meeting at 8:30pm. The motion is seconded by Chuck, N8ZA. Vote passes.