

GMARC MEETING MINUTES October 20, 2020

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by Scott W1BIC, President

Minutes of September 15, 2020 on the Web site. Motion to approve N8XZ Ron 2nd
Seconded by Ron WD8MNX Motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report- Bill N8SA; Bank Balance \$8,082.72 Motion to approve KD8QXW ?
Seconded by Frank W8MNX

Membership Report Frank, 115 Regular and 56 Heritage Members. Website has official number of members. Renewal can be done by PayPal on Website with new Membership Form.

.Please send pictures to Frank that can be used on the Web Site (W8FKZ@comcast.net)

By law Changes will be done since they do not cover how to become a member. Wording to be decided by Board.

November meeting will be nominations for Officers.

The presentation by Rich KC8HMJ will be on the Xiegu G90 HF transceiver. It does up to 20 watts with a built in tuner and a nice very compact display including a panadapter. It has many other features too. Please read up on it ahead of time as that will make for a better presentation. It was in the March QST as well as Eham, The Spectrum Monitor, The SWLing Post and your favorite search engine.

December will be voting on Changes to By Laws plus Voting for new officers for 2021

Technical Committee Report- Ron WD8MNX Regular Power supply works; 440 side working fine at 50 watts for now.. When at 200 watts the ERP is 1,200. The 2 meter has some issues. Ron would like to spend a day and get many things fixed, including installing the 80 amp power supply. TGIF Network, many nodes and repeaters hooked up. GM Website and GM Facebook are listed on Detroit metro Room on Facebook.

Presentation by Roy, Shortwave Radio Receivers Article on GMARC Website dated October 2018 with information. SDR Website: Remotehams.com.

Motion to Adjourn at 8:40 pm. Ist Rick ? 2nd Roy W8MRW

Respectfully Submitted Linda Line, Recording Secretary