

WYAPCO
Chapter Meeting
November 15, 2006
Casper, Wyoming

The meeting was called to order at approximately 2:15pm by Chapter President Dan Perko.

Treasurer's report given by Bill Gordon

Election of Officers: Membership elected for the year 2006-2007, Bill Gordon/President, Larry Sheridan/1st Vice President, Patty Bauer/2nd Vice President, Jennifer Shazzetz/Secretary ~ Treasurer.

President elect requested Dan Perko continue as WyoLink representative from the chapter. Dan accepted.

Bill then requested Joey Williams take over the Chapter Awards Committee.

Dan Perko held the swearing-in of the new officers.

Dan Perko requested feedback on a site for next year's conference. Jackson, WY was mentioned but the matter was not decided upon. It was decided that Dan would go ahead and lock in the dates with the Casper Holiday Inn, if only for the time being.

Larry Sheridan presented his report from the APCO International Executive Council Meeting held August 5, 2006.

- The issue of dues was brought up. An idea from last year's WYAPCO conference was discussed, whereby Jane Carlson inquired about having "Center Dues", a one time dues payment by an agency for all the dispatch personnel.
This matter will be included in a questionnaire to be sent out which will also address next year's site suggestions.
- A request was sent to National APCO to temporarily take over frequency coordination with a start date TBD.
- Encourage local chapters to give awards to senior members.
- Kent Drummond will write a position paper regarding lower dues for individuals not employed by a Public Safety Agency.

Dan Perko recognized Rob Wilson for his WYDOT support for Larry Sheridan's travel and chapter duties and responsibilities.

Bill Gordon advised he would submit this year's award winners for the national APCO awards.

Bill also discussed the transfer of the checking account to incoming Secretary~Treasurer Jennifer Shassetz. Jennifer will take care of the signature card and change the mailing address for the monthly bank statements from First Interstate.

Bill Fleming and Merle Watt will be working with the full support of the new Chapter Board members to increase commercial memberships.

Meeting adjourned at 3:03pm
Bill Gordon