

**Association of Retired San Jose Police Officers and Firefighters
General Meeting Minutes**

January 9, 2025

Meeting was in-person with no Zoom

Called to order at 11:03am by Vice President John Shuman – Roll Call

Officers Present:

John Shuman – VP Police; Walter Bugna – VP Fire;
Larry Samarron – Treasurer; Dale Foster – Secretary

Officers Absent: Ray Storms

Directors Present:

Jim Spence; Tim Miller; Don Bartels; Gary Johnson; Ken Jacksteit

Directors Absent: Joe Roberts

Attendance:

35 members attended in-person

0 members attended via Zoom – no Zoom this meeting

Vice President Shuman lead the membership in the “Pledge of Allegiance” and then asked for a “Moment of Silence” in remembrance of those members who have passed away and those who are having medical and other challenges in their lives.

General Meeting Minutes from November 14, 2024 – Minutes were distributed to those attending and will be uploaded to the Association website per direction of the Board.

Treasurer’s Report – Treasurer Samarron provided a report on Account Balances and Income/Expenditures for November and December, 2024.

Reports from Committees – No Reports

Presentation – No Presentation

Old Business – No Old Business

New Business – No New Business

Vice Presidents’ Report – VP Shuman made the following announcements:

- Donations for Police Officers and Fire Fighters who have lost property in the LA area fires will be done as soon as it is determined how best to provide financial aid.
- Social Security policies have changed due to being voted in by Congress and the President. How these changes will affect public safety retirees is not known in detail at this time but as soon as more accurate information is made available the Association will put it out to the membership.

- The letter from the city regarding Medicare Part B reimbursement will be coming out soon. Look for it and act on the information quickly so you can get your reimbursement.

President's Report – No Report

Vice President Shuman adjourned the meeting at 11:57am