



**LENNY MARGOLIS  
POUND 300  
Tennessee Pack  
Military Order of the Devil Dogs  
2 November 2021  
Gray Community Center, Gray TN**

After discussing the quorum requirement, the Dogs in attendance unanimously agreed to proceed with only 4 Dogs present.

Growl Called to Order by Pound Keeper PDD Brian MAUPIN at 1905

**Dogs in Attendance**

PDD Steve BICKFORD\*  
PDD Leon COX\*  
PDD Brian MAUPIN\*  
DD Kyle PRICE

\*Officer

**Dogs Astray**

PDD Larry BEVIL  
PDD Doug ESSINGER\*  
PDD Tim FERRELL  
PDD Kenneth KOTCHEVAR  
PDD Ken LARKEY  
PDD Fred MCCORKLE  
PDD Tom PARDUE\*  
PDD Bobby STEWART  
PDD Mike VOGT  
PDD Bobby WARD  
DD Tom PAULS\*  
PUP Gary CAMPBELL  
PUP Riley NEWCOMB

**MEMORIAL SERVICE**

PDD Edward GUCKERT  
PDD Jack LARKEY  
PDD John HICKS

**RECOGNITION OF DIGNITARIES**

None

**READING OF PREVIOUS SCRATCHINGS**

None

**SICK OR IN DISTRESS**

Don Elseroad, Tom and Joyce Pardue, Brian and Alaina Maupin

## **REPORTS**

### **Dog Robber**

#### **Committed**

Scholarship Fund 2021	300.00
Scholarship Fund 2022	300.00
Scholarship Fund 2022	53.68
Passport Fees	13.00
<b>Total Committed</b>	<b>666.68</b>

#### **Uncommitted**

General Fund	84.95
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**Total In Bank** **\$751.63**

#### **August 3, 2021 Unofficial Growl**

Passport Fees collected	\$4.00
Scholarship collected	\$60.00

#### **November 2, 2021 Growl**

Fines collected	\$10.00
Passport Fees collected	\$5.00
Scholarship collected	\$400.00
Membership Dues	\$38.00

PDD BICKFORD interim Pound Dog Robber reported interim appointment, updating authorized signatures at bank, updating banking address to 1904 Hillsboro Ave, Johnson City, TN 37604, submission of 990-N on October 21, 2021, PDD Pardue completed State Registration and Charitable Solicitation, collection of partial records from PDD LARKEY's home, transition from Quickbooks (fee) to Wave (free), and need to revisit Chris LARKEY for more records. Overall, the financial and administrative health of the pound is very good.

#### **Other Officers**

Dog Trainer – Notice of Death submitted for PDD Jack LARKEY and PDD John HICKS.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

None

## **OLD BUSINESS**

Confirmed that 2021 Scholarship was not awarded and the funds will roll forward in the scholarship funds.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

Nominations for new members: PDD MAUPIN provided written nomination to PDD BICKFORD via email. PDD BICKFORD motioned that we invite Marines in good standing, Micheal UGALE and Joe LUNCEFORD to the Feb 2022 Growl for initiation to be deferred to May 2022 if unavailable, seconded by DD PRICE, passed unanimously. PDD BICKFORD will send letters to nominees.

PDD BICKFORD motioned that we divide the stray dog roster among the member in attendance for personal contact in mid-January prior to the Feb 2022 Growl.

## **ELECTION AND INITIATION OF OFFICERS**

PDD BICKFORD took nominations from the floor for the following elected positions:

Pound Keeper – PDD Brian MAUPIN	PDD BICKFORD nom
Senior Vice Pound Keeper – PDD Tom PARDUE	PDD BICKFORD nom
Junior Vice Pound Keeper – DD Kyle PRICE	PDD COX nom
Smart Dog – PDD Doug ESSINGER	PDD BICKFORD nom
Dog Trainer – PDD Leon COX	PDD BICKFORD nom
Police Dog – PDD Leon COX	PDD BICKFORD nom
Mad Dog – PDD Doug ESSINGER	PDD BICKFORD nom

Nominated officers were elected by single unanimous vote without contest. Officers who were not present will be asked if they are willing to continue to serve in their elected positions.

Sir Pound Keeper appointed the following officers:

Dog Robber – PDD Steve BICKFORD  
Watch Dog – VACANT  
Barking Dog – PDD Tom PARDUE

Sir Pound Keeper served as Installing Officer and installed the duly elected and appointed officers.

**GOOD OF THE ORDER**

None

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

None

Pound Keeper PDD Brian MAUPIN adjourned the Growl at 2005.



Submitted by: PDD Steven D. BICKFORD  
Sir Dog Robber