Sun City Center Amateur Radio Club Board Meeting March 31, 2021

Board of Directors

President, Joel Bahl KQ0J Vice President, Rick Sochon N1OV Treasurer, Rick Indiano N2VSN Secretary, Judy Wozniak K4WOZ Program Director, Jim Key KI4TMX Emergency Coordinator, Rick Sochon N1OV Station Trustee, Bob Goldberg WA4M

Joel Bahl, President, called the meeting to order at 1:00 PM. Joel had to provide the required documents to the CA again, it appears that they were misplaced. Joel met with Board member Ken Bauer and the issue was cleared up.

Treasurer Report: Rick reported the Treasury Balance is \$4,229.47 and there are 53 paid club members.

New Business: The Board approved free membership next year for CA "outsiders" as they lost the use of our facilities last year and much of this year.

Joel reported that all antenna projects are completed and in good working order. There were good results from the DX contest last week. Joel stated that the amplifier needs the antenna tuner when on high power and 15 meters. The current tuner works very well for this purpose and if anyone needs to see how to tune it let Joel know.

Joel also stated that the SCC DMR repeater has a few glitches in usage. Please use time slot one. Mr. Eric Nisenfeld WA4EMN continues to work with Bridgecom support on the issues. The radio room is open under modified "old" rules, no outsiders allowed.

Program Director replacement for Jim Key is needed.

There is still a need for net controls, net control backups and room monitors and backups.

Program for the General Meeting: April's meeting will be about emergency plans and deployment changes. These are major changes and our members that wish to participate in emergency operations need to take proactive steps to engage with other groups such as ARES, RACES, and CERT and get the required training and engage with these groups. We need to update our documentation (some updates have been made already on the website) to ensure that all of the new processes are clear.

Mr. Bob Goldberg was absent.

Meeting closed at 2:00 PM