Sun City Center Amateur Radio Club

General Membership Meeting, October 4th, 2017

Board of Directors: Vice President, Richard Wiczalkowski KD4WMR Secretary, Dennis Russell K9VFU Treasurer, Michael Friolet AG3K Program Director, Dick Hillyer W2RWH Emergency Coordinator, Rick Sochon N1OV

Acting President Rick Sochon, N1OV opened the meeting at 2:00 PM with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Nominating Committee member KI4TMX, Jim solicited volunteers for the 2018 Board of Directors. Send to:

KI4TMX Jim at <u>jkey7@tampabay.rr.com</u>, or K4DGG Doug at dgatchell@pobox.com

Rick delivered a presentation on lightning.

Dick presented and demonstrated a 40 meter half wave NVIS folded dipole antenna, and a half wave 2 meter/440 cm portable J-pole antenna.

Thanks to N8DDS Deya & N8PF David for Greeter service and KJ4ASZ Dee for Refreshment service.

Moment of Silence for the Puerto Rico Hurricane & the Las Vegas Mass Casualty.

KI4TMX Jim, Acting Secretary