

Minutes for Chapter Meeting
January 21, 2017
Major K. M. Van Zandt Chapter #6, Texas SAR

9:00 a.m.

President Mike Connelley called the meeting to order.

- **Chaplin** Roger Tate led the invocation.
- **Compatriot** Dr. Johnson led pledges to the flag of the United States of America, to the flag of the State of Texas and to the SAR flag.
- **President** Mike Connelley introduced Tom Duncan as proposed new member.
- **Compatriot** Chris Blair presented a brief story on Police Officers Matt Pearce and Brandi Kamper.
- **President** Mike Connelley presented Officer Matt Pearce the Law Enforcement Medal and Brandi Kamper the Heroism Medal. Each gave an account of their actions. Fort Worth Police Captain Cheek gave a brief summary on the police department.
- **President** Mike Connelley presented Compatriot Ray Leftwich the Certificate of Appreciation..
- **President** Mike Connelley requested the previous month's minutes be accepted as posted on the Chapter Web page. The minutes were approved as posted. **Treasurer** Vaughn Oliver reported on the Chapter's finances, Treasurer's Report was accepted.
- **President** Mike Connelley gave a brief state of the Chapter, stating that membership was up, meeting attendance was up, and potential membership is up. There was a request for members to participate in guarding the traveling Viet Nam wall February 1 in Arlington.
- **President** Mike Connelley adjourned the meeting.
- **Recessional** was given.
- **Chaplain** Roger Tate led the benediction and the meeting was concluded at 10:39 AM. In attendance, per the sign-in sheet and observation, were 28 members and 7 guests for a total of 35 attendees.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen E. Smith, Secretary, Major K. M. Van Zandt Chapter.