SC Chapter 30 173d Airborne Brigade Association Monthly Meeting May 9, 2015

Chapter 30 meeting was called to order by President Lester Yeargin, at 1200 hours.

Invocation, (Chaplain Wako) / Pledge of Allegiance/Toast to Fallen and POW/MIA, (Jesse).

Secretary report (Jesse) The minutes from April meeting was read and approved with the correction, (omitted from the April meeting), that \$1,000.00 be transferred from the treasury and deposited into the reunion account.

Treasurer and membership report (Wendell). Chapter balance is \$4, 209.93. Total membership is 116 members.

Vice-President Report (Waco), made remarks and favorable comment in reference to the past National Reunion in California.

Corresponding Report (Allen) stated that there are no new changes due to the fact that the editor (his daughter) has been involved in others areas.

Chaplain Report (Waco) informed everyone that Joe Marques conducted a very good memorial service at the reunion.

Judge Advocate (Allen) stated that there will be a board of director meeting, after our next regular meeting in June.

Quartermaster Report (Wayne). No formal report given. Merchandized is still available for sale.

President Report (Lester) provided detail information covering all aspects of the past national reunion in California to include pro and cons in planning for our hosting of the next reunion.

Good of the Order, "Top" reported on the Sky Soldier Magazine and stated the cut- off date for submitting an article for publication.

Johnny Mayo reported on the status of the monument to recognize the war dogs and stating that this project is ahead of schedule.

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A discussion and a reminder of the Memorial Day parade in Aiken, SC on Saturday, May 23, 2015

Wayne commented on the bus rental fees for the reunion is \$550.00 per day. He suggested that we establish a minimum fee of \$3.00 - \$5.00 so that we can recover some of our expense.

A short discussion was entertained on the possibility of securing a bus to travel from Columbia, SC to Columbus, GA at the time of the reunion.

Respectfully submitted, J.L. Beacham