

L.A. Division Advisory Board Minutes

December 8, 2022 7:00 pm (via Zoom)

Call to Order – Vic Cavalli

Roll Call / Quorum - Nick Lisica

Vic Cavalli, Superintendent/Director	Chuck Fisher
Nick Lisica, Chief Clerk	
Kevin Spady, Paymaster	
Mike O'Brien	

LA Division Officers in Bold

Approval of Minutes

• Minutes from November 10, 2022 meeting

Officers/Committee Reports

- Finance
 - Finance Report Kevin Spady
 - No transactions over the last month
 - \$17,090.82 in the account

• Communications Team

- Status: 4th Quarter LA Coupler publication / distribution Nick Lisica
 - Promoting events was discussed, and it was decided that it was best to continue to include events in the "Schedule of Events" section free of charge. Any ads/articles related to events will be charged the standard ad fare (as outlined in the publication).

• Membership Team

- o Start Planning: Bi-monthly layout/club sponsored open houses Vic Cavalli
 - First to be held March/April 2023? Second, late-May?
 - We will plan the event with the understanding that things may change due to public health concerns.
 - We will target quarterly home/club layout visits.
- o Status: Distribution of Division Members' Satisfaction Survey Vic Cavalli
 - No progress this month.
- All Other Committees/Teams
 - Open forum

New Business

- Schedule: 2023 Annual Membership Meeting and Banquet All
 - February 25th, March 4th, or ???
 - It was decided to push the event until at least March.

• If necessary, the event could be held outdoors to address public health concerns (possible locations: Travel Town, LA Live Steamers).

- Review and approval: 2023 L.A. budget prior February 2023 Vic Cavalli
 - Working on it, to be presented by year end.

Old Business (updates provided as available)

- Status: Transfer of L.A. assets to Division storage locker Vic Cavalli
 - Locker is paid for through November 2025.
- 2023 L.A. Division Sponsored/Attended Shows All
 - Great Train Show (Ventura) February 18th & 19th
 - Start lining-up layouts for Division Sponsored 2023 Open Houses Vic Cavalli
- On Hold: Develop New Member's Welcome Packet

Next Advisory Board Meeting Date: January 12, 2023 at 7:00 pm via Zoom

Adjournment – Vic Cavalli – 7:55pm