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**Minutes of General Meeting February 15, 2022
Via ZOOM**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Ex VP Ken Tennefoss.

Roll call was taken. Present were: CRYC, DYC, MCYC, NOTS, PYC, RCBC, RCYC, TYC.

Bridge officers present were EX VP Ken Tennefoss, Ken Williams, Doug Balkema

Minutes as amended for January were not approved and seconded as distributed as there was not anyone stating that they saw them.

Treasurer Report- Mike Kondrat was unable to attend. Information brought in from Mikes email.

Just so everyone knows what is happening. There was a mix up in Longview's PayPal payment for the 3 holes they sponsored. They mistakenly stopped payment on it and so you will see strange things like us paying PayPal \$240 and \$8.87. This is to pay PayPal back the money we already transferred to our bank account. The payment situation should be straightened out in another 60-75 days. ☺ In the meantime, Longview paid us the \$250 for the 2021 golf sponsorship and their 2022 dues. Also, Christina Gould will be donating the \$250 or so dollars once her bank and PayPal figure out what to do. Very nice of her!

Ken and Mike have received their new credit cards to replace those from Andy and Larry. It appears that our Zoom account has a correct VISA number since they charged my new VISA already for Feb. ☺ Only small problem is that they gave me the \$1500 card and Ken the \$1,000 card. If it's a problem we can change it out but right now that credit union is a bit squirrely. We will need to verify that the Zoom account VISA is switched over

VP – Alicia Robinson - Unable to attend.

Ex VP- Ken Tennefoss- **Opening Day**, Doug is working with getting the PT boat for opening day and still in the process of working with the fire department for the fire boats. Permit process from Coast Guard has not been approved yet and is still in the approval process.

Announced that the Camas public dock will be closed till June 3rd for repairs. Making it more compliant for ADA requirement.

MCYC has announced that St Patrick's day event has been canceled.

Working on speakers but no one has committed yet. If you know of anyone that is interested or topic of what you like to hear about, please let us know.

Daughters of Neptune meeting is scheduled March 5th at 1 pm at Columbia River yacht club.

Coast Guard is changing their website and will not be able to see past reports from the new link. Will have to make to pull this info before they make the change. Sent out a notice on the luxury tax bill for boats and electronics has been removed from Committee. The bill was to fund women who were in the foster system with around 512.00 a month.

Standing Committee Reports –

Doug Balkema/ sheriff and enforcement rep – Two Multnomah deputies that run the river stated the number of suicides that were going on. Just walking into the river and not coming up. There are around 6 and they recovered 2 so far. David was there with PDX fire and rescue. Working with Portland Fire for on going support and working on possible contracts. If you are needing vessel exams will pass the info over to the right person. Right now, the Coast Guard is only allowed 15 mins exams which is hard to do. But once the restrictions ease up, they will be longer.

Kirk Lance- Unable to Attend

Good of the Order-

Andy – Doesn't look like anyone has stepped up as golf chairman. Currently the tournament is reserved at Meriweather.

Meeting adjourned,

R/S

Ron Bergmann

CRYA Secretary