



Minutes of Meeting of  
November 7, 2007  
Location: Saratoga Fire Department  
The minutes were respectfully submitted by Don Steinbach, Secretary.

**Attendees:**

- Mark Bohrer, KI6KQD
- Fabrizio Corno, KG6UOH
- David Croker, KC6QIG
- John Glass, NU6P
- Greg Reynolds, KG6HDI
- Christina Sand, KG6ORH
- Yin Shih, N9YS
- Don Steinbach, AE6PM
- Joe Talaich, N6IWJ pm

The meeting having been duly noticed, it began at approximately 7:35 pm and was called to order by Christina Sand, President. There were introductions around the table and those present introduced themselves.

**Old Business:**

- The club has been granted a waiver of the fees levied by the fire district for the use of the meeting room (\$20 per meeting) for next year.
- The federal tax exempt status application is in the hands of the attorney for completion and submission. There may be some associated filing fees.
- Christina Sand has responded to the QSL cards received to date.

**New Business:**

**Treasurer's Report.**

- The checking account is in order.
- A reserve of \$300 will be maintained for possible future repeater expenses

**Secretary's Report.**

- The October minutes are posted on the web site. The minutes were approved.

**Business Items.**

- The club needs to devise a method for canvassing the Saratoga radio amateurs of record to determine their availability in case of an emergency. A form letter with a SASE and an email campaign with a fill-in form were discussed.

**Nets.**

- Don Steinbach checked into the monthly EOC net this morning. The all-call ringdown tones were heard, but the SelCal box did not respond.

**Emergency Communications Committee Report.**

- Don Steinbach reviewed the items from Jim Yoke's Golden Guardian briefing this morning. He also enumerated the items left to do to bring the SARA EOC station to full readiness.
- Dick Crouch wishes to resign as AEC.
- The Halloween Patrol was a success – no significant incidents to report.

- Christina Sand reported hearing interference on the repeater frequency after the earthquake. It was believed to be from the Loma Prieta net on 146.640 MHz which is very close to the K6SA frequency of 146.655 MHz.

***Emergency Services.***

- No report.

***Program.***

- There was no program.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:28 pm.