Delaware Council No. 18, Knight Masons

May 7, 2011

Masonic Temple, Dover, Delaware

A meeting of Delaware Council No.18 was opened in form at 1:10 pm with the following officers present:

Excellent Chief
Senior Knight
Junior Knight
Scribe-Treasurer
Senior Warden
Junior Warden
Director of Ceremonies

David H. Laucius
G. Thomas Taylor
Sheldon L. Edwards, Sr.
Mark E. Irwin, PEC
Gilbert E. Greenfield
Jay C. Bergstrom
Jon Cottrell

Priest James R. Herrington-pt Steward A. Tony Maxwell-pt Sentinel Neal J. Sobocinski

Members present as per register. The Excellent Chief welcomed all present.

The minutes of the last meeting of October 30, 2010 were read and approved as read.

A motion was made, seconded and passed that \$50.00 be donated to Union Lodge No.7.

EC Laucius presented Sir Knight A. Tony Maxwell with his permanent membership certificate and card.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to approve the bills that may arise during the summer with a full report to be given at the next meeting. The Treasurer reported a balance of \$474.12 in the checking account and \$5,613.24 in the savings account for a total of \$6,087.13.

EC Laucius recognized the following Past Excellent Chiefs: Irwin, Dorsey, Schutz, Loveless, Benson and Herrington.

There were the following nominations for new members: Ken Yeager, Bruce Beck, George Gadsby and Jim Ruby. A motion was made, seconded and passed that the candidate2 be given the benefit of a test ballot. The ballot was found fair and they were declared elected to be received in the Council.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to meet at 3:00 pm, or as soon as the York Rite College concludes on October 15th at St. Johns Lodge or Lombardy Hall

A motion, was made, seconded and passed to donate \$100 to DeMolay to support their 2011 Conclave.

The following dignitaries were introduced:

M.E. Arthur A. Loveless, Grand High Priest of Royal Arch Masons in Delaware

M.I. Robert A. Benson, Most Illustrious Grand Master of Cryptic Masons in Delaware

R.E. David H. Laucius, Grand Commander of Knights Templar in Delaware

R.E.D. Sheldon L. Edwards, Sr., Grand Governor for Delaware of the York Rite Sovereign College

R.W. Mark E. Irwin, Chief Adept, Delaware College S.R.I.C.F.

There being no further business the Council was closed in form at 1:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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Mark E. Irwin PEC

Scribe