



MEXICAN AMERICAN GOLF ASSOCIATION
 Visalia/Tulare Chapter
 April 2, 2025

OFFICERS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Leon, Daniel – Pres.	<input type="checkbox"/> Serrato, Mary – Vice Pres.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Acosta, Victoria – Sec.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Calistro, Joe - Treasurer
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Acosta, Joe – Sgt. At Arms			
CHAIRS	<input type="checkbox"/> Serrato, Tino – Tournament	<input type="checkbox"/> Sanchez, Conrad – Handicap	<input type="checkbox"/> Rodriguez, Ben – PR & Member Recruitment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mendoza, Lupe – Jr Member & Social Media
MEMBERS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Garcia, Fred	<input type="checkbox"/> Garcia, Greg	<input type="checkbox"/> Cantu, Alex	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Whaley, John
	<input type="checkbox"/> Ramirez, Mark	<input type="checkbox"/> Sanchez, Jerry	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Morfin, Robert	<input type="checkbox"/> Stubbs, Don
	<input type="checkbox"/> Sanchez, Eddie	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ponce, Enrique	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Zimmerman, Chris	

- I. Meeting called to order at 6:02 p.m. at Black Bear Restaurant, Visalia, California.
- II. Moment of Silence for deceased MAGA members.
- III. Approval of Agenda- M/S/C John Whaley/Lupe Mendoza to accept the agenda. Secretary Victoria Acosta advised President Leon the quorum has been met to conduct business.
- IV. Correspondence and Announcements-Reminder Fresno Chapter mandatory, April 13,2025, Madera Golf Course. Central Council meeting April 26, 2025 at McCoys in Fresno.
- V. Approval of Minutes – Minutes of March 5 , 2025, presented. Robert Morfin stated his first name was not noted correctly it is Robert not John. M/S/C Lupe Mendoza/John Whaley to approve minutes as corrected.
- VI. Officer’s Report: Treasurer’s Report-Joe G. Calistro goes over treasurer’s report and budget for 2025. Discussion held. M/S/C John Whaley/Lupe Mendoza that we revise the addition in budget and accept the revised budget.
- VII. Committee Reports:
 - Tournament Chair-Tino Serrato Not Present John Whaley brought up the Chapter Newsletter states June 8, 2025, Tournament is being held at Valley Oaks, he thought it was alternating and at Tulare Golf Course. President Leon stated he will check into this. Discussion held on Madera Chapter Mandatory and location of tournament. President Leon stated he would check with their chapter president to confirm golf course.
 - Junior Members/Social Media Chair – Lupe Mendoza discussed Youth on Course and how to apply on their website. Discussion held on how to recruit junior members.
 - Handicap Chair-Conrad Sanchez not present.

- Public Relations-Ben Rodriquez – not present.

VIII. Unfinished Business:

- Status of setting up Venmo account through the chapter banking account. President Leon states the Venmo account set up. Discussion held on receiving monies and reimbursing monies through Venmo account. Discussion on using a QR code.

IX. New Business:

- Central Council meeting and V/T Chapter representatives. Discussion held on who is interested in attending the Central Council meeting as a delegate. Central Council meeting is April 26, 2025, at 9:00 at McCoys in Fresno.
- Central Council Chapters attending Chapters' mandatory tournaments- Discussion held on each chapter supporting each other's mandatories and sending at least one foursome.
- Hall of Fame – Victoria Acosta presented the Hall of Fame guidelines and application. Goes over qualifications needed for the Chapter to nominate a member to fill out an application. The application is submitted for review and approval. The Chapter approves at the Chapter level, then the Chapter President presents it at their Council meeting for review and approval at the Council level. The Council Director signs and the application is submitted to the State Hall of Fame Chairman. Once the State Hall of Fame reviews application it meets the qualifications then he submits the applications he receives at the May State meeting for the Council Directors to review with State Hall of Fame Chairman to present to the State Board (Council Directors and their delegates) their recommendations of the applications submitted. Those approved for the Hall of Fame will be honored at the State Tournament dinner. This year the State Tournament will be hosted by the Southern Council in Menifee/Temecula area. Discussion held but no names submitted.
- V/T Chapter banner – Discussion held on getting a new redesigned banner. President Leon will check into cost and present new design for review and approval. Discussion held on looking at a pop-up tent with V/T info on it.
- Memorial bench – Discussion regarding the Memorial bench which was previously at the Tulare Golf Course but was removed. Discussion held on getting a plaque for the V/T area at Valley Oaks for deceased members. Further discussion about cost for plaque, criteria for names to go on plaque and location of plaque tabled to the next meeting.

X. Adjournment: M/S/C Robert Morfin/John Whaley to adjourn the meeting at 7:05 p.m.

Respectively submitted

Victoria Acosta