



MEXICAN AMERICAN GOLF ASSOCIATION
 Visalia/Tulare Chapter
 February 5, 2025

OFFICERS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Leon, Daniel – Pres.	<input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Serrato, Tino – Tournament	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sanchez, Conrad – Handicap	<input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Garcia, Greg	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cantu, Alex	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Whaley, John
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ramirez, Mark	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sanchez, Jerry	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Morfin, Robert	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stubbs, Don
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sanchez, Eddie			

- I. Meeting called to order at 6:00 p.m. at Black Bear Restaurant, Visalia, California.
- II. Moment of Silence for deceased MAGA members.
- III. Approval of Agenda- M/S/C Tino Serrato/Lupe Mendoza to accept the agenda.
- IV. Correspondence and Announcements-Reminder Merced Mandatory on February 16,2025 in Atwater. There are two groups going from Visalia/Tulare. Memorial Tournament has been changed from Febuary 9th to February 23 at Tulare Golf Course.
- V. Approval of Minutes – Minutes of January 8, 2025 presented. M/S/C Lupe Mendoza/Tino Serrato to approve minutes of last meeting.
- VI. Officer’s Report: Treasurer’s Report-Joe G. Calistro goes over treasurer’s report and budget for 2025. Is in receipt of invoice from NCGA for payment of GHIN. M/S/C Joe Acosta/Tino Serrato to accept treasurer’s report as submitted.
- VII. Committee Reports:
 - Tournament Chair-Tino Serrato states working on February 23, 2025 Memoral Tournament at Tulare Golf Course. There is room for 32 players. Would like confirmation to play with payment at least one week before tournament so they can advise Tulare Golf Course number of players. Discussion held.
 - Junior Members/Social Media Chair – Lupe Mendoza states discussions on Junior Membership have been held as to NCGA and Youth on Course for GHIN.
 - Handicap Chair-Conrad Sanchez states membership is 38 regular members and 6 multi-members.
 - Public Relations-Member Recruitment Chair-Ben Rodriguez stated he is working on a flyer to put at the Tulare Golf Course and Valley Oaks regarding the benefits of joining Visalia/Tulare Chapter. Discussion held.

VIII. Unfinished Business:

- Alternating golf courses (ad hoc committee)- Tino Serrato reports the committee met and decided the Memorial Tournament will start the alternate schedule between Valley Oaks and Tulare Golf Course. If a tournament is a two day tournament then one day it will be on one course and the next day at the other. The month of December is a floating tournament and could be taken out of the area. M/S/C John Whaley/Tino Serrato that we alternate courses everytime we play tournaments except for June 9, 2025 and exception is if we decide to go to outside course.
- V/T Chapter Zelle and Venmo accounts – Discussion held on whether the chapter should accept monies through Venmo or Zelle for dues or tournament fees. M/S/C Ben Rodriguez/Robert Moofen that the Visalia/Tulare Chapter accept Venmo as one method of payment.
- Rescind Junior Membership dues of \$10.00 per bylaws-Discussion held on Junior membership dues and State Bylaws stating Junior members are not charged dues. M/S/C Ben Rodriguez/Joe Acosta to rescind the motion to charge Juniors \$10.00. Discussion held on Junior membership. Ben Rodriguez stated the Central Council has a budget set up to help Juniors with tournament fees. M/S/C Tino Serrato/Ben Rodriguez Per State Bylaws Juniors cannot compete for monetary awards.

IX. New Business:

President Leon stated due to the time New Business items on agenda will be tabled to next meeting.

X. Adjournment: M/S/C Tino Serrato/Lupe Mendoza to adjourn the meeting at 7:06 p.m.

Respectively submitted

Victoria Acosta