CREVE COEUR POLICE FOUNDATION

October Meeting 10/8/2026

8 October 2026 / 4:00 PM / ROOM 113

ATTENDEES

Richard Wiginton, Diane Christy, Mike Hurwitz, Kylie Swinney, John Echel, Michael Vaclavik, Phil Lane (via phone), and Guest - Lt. Dan Herich, Creve Coeur PD.

Meeting

The meeting was called to order by Richard Wiginton at 1606 hours.

AGENDA

Submitted for approval at 1710 hours by Michael Vaclavik / Seconded by Mike Hurwitz/ No dissenting votes

Approval of the Minutes from the meeting held on September 9th, 2026.

Motion to approve by Diane Christy/ Seconded by Mike Vaclavik/ All were in favor.

Old Business

- Police Week 2027 Follow-Up - Richard Wiginton & Lt. Herich
    - Foundation responsible for paying lodging and airfare
    - Only 2 officers for the first year
    - Dates of travel/lodging - Wednesday, May 12th - Sunday, May 16th.
    - $4,500 cap for the entire event
    - Richard Wiginton will reach out to Chief Jeff Hartman to see if the City will allow officers to attend as regular duty time.

- If approved, those chosen will be chosen by raffle.
- Diane Christy motions to send two officers to police week at 1622/ seconded by John Echel / All in favor

New Business

- Trivia Night Review
  - From Diane Christy -
    - Registration table: Assign tables rather than letting people pick, move table down the hall further, do t-shirts inside, if doing attendance prizes, have the tickets given at another table. The only business at the registration table should be check-in, mulligans, and issuance of alcohol bands.
  - Limit the amount of same category items for Silent Auction
    - Combine smaller items into larger baskets
  - Donate $500 to TI
    - Kylie Swinney moved to donate $500.00 to TI at 1650 / seconded by Phil Lane / All in favor
  - For historical purposes:
    - Mulligans were $10.00 for 6.
    - 50/50 tickets were $20.00 for a roll of 40 tickets
      - We may want to reduce this number next year.
    - What's In Your Bag game - entire table split $50 Pizza World gift card. Buy-in was $10.00 per table.
    - Best Table Decoration - Only one table participated. Won $50 Pierce Creek card to split between table.
    - Best Dressed contest - no one participated
    - Heads or Tails - $1.00 buy-in - winner got half the money
    - Silent Auction - number the items and the bid sheets, but do it more inconspicuously. Use runners to help gather winning money, and have multiple people taking cash, Venmo, or Square payments.
- Topgolf Fundraiser
  - Only 2 people have signed up
  - Open up to the community by making a Google Form (people pay by Venmo/PayPal)

- Guns n’ Hoses Participation
    - Motion by Mike Vaclavik at 1658 to spend $1000 on GNH Gold Sponsorship and give out 10 free tickets / seconded by Mike Hurwitz / All in favor

- 75th Anniversary Swag
    - Tabled

- Board Member Terms
    - Tabled

Additional Topics

- Mike Hurwitz stated he thought several items were out-of-date on our website, however, upon review, everything was up-to-date.

- Budget to buy a printer, housed by Secretary.

Meeting Adjournment

- Motion to adjourn by Mike Vaclavik at 1711 hours/ Seconded by Mike Hurwitz / Adjourned at 1711

NEXT MEETING:

- Next meeting scheduled for November 12th, 2026 at 1600 hours.

Prepared by:

Approved by: