



Minnesota Repeater Council

Fall 2022 Newsletter

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5155 Morgan Ave S.
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Jerry Dorf, NØFWG
601 Sunset Street
Buffalo MN 55313
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Appointments

Frequency Coordinator

Jerry Dorf, NØFWG
See Secretary's info

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User Liaison

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MRC Webpage <http://www.mnrepeaters.org>

MRC Mailing list:

This mailing list is for announcements and general discussion of MRC events, policy and operations.

pairlist.net/mailman/listinfo/mrc

THE Fall MRC MEETING Will be held on Saturday October 22, 2022

In person at
**Hennepin County Library
River Valley Room Oxboro
8801 Portland Ave S
Bloomington MN 55420**

**Zoom option will be available
Details will be available on the
MRC Website prior to the
meeting & via the MRC email
reflector**

Registration will start at 12:30 PM

Call to order at 1:00 PM

**For the most up to date
information please visit.**

<https://mnrepeaters.org>

If you have questions regarding your repeater coordination or membership please email or ask before the meeting date!

It is important that if your not going to attend the meeting to proxy your vote to someone who can attend. This can be another club member or any licensed amateur, it does not have to be a MRC member.

Secretary / Coordinators notes:

The highlights since the spring meeting.

Annual update status as of 9/10/22

I mailed them out later than usual this year on Aug 26th. Approximately 194 were mailed out. Makeup postage stamps are challenging as they do not always show face value. I have not begun to process 26+ envelopes that arrived this week, 2 are non deliverable returns.

I received a inquiry on where to put a full duplex hotspot that is not addressed in our bandplan.

With the high gas prices and low turnout at the meetings do we want to consider online only meetings?

Annual election of officers will occur at the fall meeting, President and Secretary Treasurer will serve again.

73s

Jerry Dorf, NØFWG

Minutes of the Minnesota Repeater Council

Spring meeting held On April 23, 2022

Brainerd hamfest & Online via Zoom

Call to order by Chairman Jay Maynard at 11:00AM

Quorum was met with a total of 40 members in good standing on the roster, 10 in attendance of which 4 are non-metro.

Introduction of members and officers made.

Chairman's Report: Jay Maynard K5ZC

Secretary & Treasurer's report: Jerry Dorf N0FWG
Reports presented to membership in the newsletter & handout.

Frequency coordinator: Jerry Dorf N0FWG
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Technical Committee:
Not present

Announcements:

New Members:

Thomas M Ernster KB0FFF Associate Fridley MN

Dale Maroushek N0PEY Regular Maplewood MN St Paul Radio Club

Motion made, seconded and passed to accept new members. Motion passes

Old Business:

UHF Link/band plan committee: Still need to document Jay Maynard will work on it.

Online coordination systems used by other groups, Jay Maynard will work on it.

New Business:

Discussion on going 100% virtual for meetings, plan to discuss options at the fall meeting.

Fall Meeting: metro location, open for suggestions

Meeting Adjourned at 11:16 AM

Jerry Dorf, N0FWG
Secretary Treasurer
Minnesota Repeater Council, Inc

Minnesota Repeater Council Checking Account

September 10, 2022

| Date | Type | Description | Debit | Credit | PayPal | Balance | Comments |
|-----------|-------|----------------------|----------|----------|-----------|-------------|---------------------------|
| 3/14/2022 | PP | Tomas M Ernster | | | \$9.16 | \$9,642.76 | ASC Dues 2023 |
| 3/16/2022 | PP | Ben Franske | | | \$18.81 | \$9,642.76 | Reg Dues 2024 |
| 3/17/2022 | PP | Ervin Kleinschmitt | | | \$9.16 | \$9,642.76 | Reg Dues 2023 |
| 3/19/2022 | PP | TOM SVIHEL | | | \$9.16 | \$9,642.76 | Reg Dues 2023 |
| 3/19/2022 | PP | Michael Langer | | | \$18.81 | \$9,642.76 | REG Dues 2023 |
| 3/21/2022 | DEP | THOMAS TRAUGHBER | \$10.00 | | | \$9,652.76 | REG Dues 2024 |
| 3/21/2022 | DEP | DALE MAROUSHEK | \$50.00 | | | \$9,702.76 | Pending Reg 2026 |
| 3/24/2022 | PP | JOHN A LINDQUIST | | | \$9.16 | \$9,702.76 | Reg Dues 2022 |
| 3/26/2022 | DEP | JAMES BABCOCK | \$30.00 | | | \$9,732.76 | Reg Dues 2024 |
| 3/26/2022 | DEP | DON RICE | \$50.00 | | | \$9,782.76 | Reg Dues 2026 |
| 4/4/2022 | DEP | RANDY CONRIGHT | \$20.00 | | | \$9,802.76 | REG Dues 2027 |
| 4/18/2022 | PP | MARTY CODY | | | \$9.16 | \$9,802.76 | Reg Dues 2023 |
| 4/19/2022 | PP | RICHARD ROBERTS | | | \$28.46 | \$9,802.76 | Reg Dues 2025 |
| 4/20/2022 | PP | GEORGE CHRISTOFERSON | | | \$9.16 | \$9,802.76 | ASC Dues 2023 |
| 4/22/2022 | PP | Mike Miller | | | \$9.16 | \$9,802.76 | Reg Dues 2022 |
| 4/23/2022 | PP | JOHN CZECH | | | \$9.16 | \$9,802.76 | Reg Dues 2023 |
| 4/23/2022 | PP | Paypal | | \$205.94 | -\$205.94 | \$10,008.70 | Transfer balance |
| 4/25/2022 | DEP | JAY MAYNARD | \$20.00 | | | \$10,028.70 | Reg Dues 2024 |
| 4/25/2022 | DEP | Dan Karg | \$20.00 | | | \$10,048.70 | ASC Dues 2026 |
| 4/25/2022 | DEP | TERRY ZELLMAN | \$20.00 | | | \$10,068.70 | Reg Dues 2024 |
| 5/2/2022 | DEP | MICHAEL STECKELBERG | \$20.00 | | | \$10,088.70 | ASC Dues 2026 |
| 5/21/2022 | DEP | BRIAN PFEIFER | \$10.00 | | | \$10,098.70 | Pending Reg 2022 |
| 5/25/2022 | PP | Athel Tanner | | | \$9.16 | \$10,098.70 | Pending REG 2022 |
| 6/1/2022 | Debit | Pair | \$87.77 | | | \$10,010.93 | Web hosting |
| 6/25/2022 | Debit | Postmaster | \$174.00 | | | \$9,836.93 | Stamps Fall mailings |
| 7/6/2022 | Debit | Walmart / Office | \$39.74 | | | \$9,797.19 | Envelopes #10 & #9 return |
| 7/23/2022 | Debit | Walmart / Office | \$23.50 | | | \$9,773.69 | #10 Windowed Envelope |
| 9/7/2022 | PP | BRYAN MAYER | | | \$9.16 | \$9,773.69 | Pending REG 2023 |
| 9/9/2022 | PP | Ervin Kleinschmitt | | | \$9.16 | \$9,773.69 | REG Dues 2024 |

New Coordinations

| Type | Callsign | City | Output | Sponsor | Reg | CoordDate | Status |
|------|----------|--------------|-----------|---------|-----|-----------|-------------------|
| RPT | K0SLC | VIRGINIA | 146.68500 | K0SLC | NE | 7/22/2022 | UnderConstruction |
| RPT | K0OE | DULUTH | 444.80000 | K0OE | DUL | 9/3/2022 | UnderConstruction |
| RPT | N0GQA | STATEWIDE | 145.23000 | N0GQA | STA | 7/31/2022 | Operational |
| RPT | KF0CQX | LITTLE FALLS | 444.23125 | KC0CQX | CEN | 7/24/2022 | UnderConstruction |
| RPT | TK0SLC | VIRGINA | 147.31500 | N0AGX | NC | 7/22/2022 | UnderConstruction |
| RPT | KB0YHX | CLOQUET | 145.25000 | KB0YHX | NE | 7/22/2022 | UnderConstruction |
| RPT | KD9RFH | STILLWATER | 442.97500 | WC0SO | ME | 6/14/2022 | Operational |
| RPT | NI0K | SHEVLIN | 444.21875 | NI0K | NW | 4/10/2022 | UnderConstruction |

Minnesota Repeater Council

Membership and Renewal application form

Name of organization or individual sponsor: _____

Repeater Call: _____ Frequency(s): _____

Repeater Location(s): _____

Trustee information (MRC Main Contact).

Trustee Callsign: _____ Name: _____

Phone: _____ Address: _____

Email: _____ City: _____

Other: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Club or alternate contact/mailing address.

Callsign: _____ Name: _____

Phone: _____ Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Type of Application: Renewal New membership Trustee Change Database Update

Regular Membership Dues \$10.00 year Organization or individual who is operating a Amateur Repeater Station on a frequency coordinated by the MRC. Has one vote at all meetings. Receives all mailings.

Associate Member Dues \$ 5.00 year Organization or individual with a active interest in constructing an Amateur Radio Repeater station or in the activities of the MRC. Can participate in the activities of the MRC but has no vote. Receives all mailings.

Newsletter may be downloaded on the MRC web page

Renewals may be paid via PayPal via the MRC webpage <https://mnrepeaters.org>

Signed: Repeater Trustee/Regular Member

Date: _____

Mail all Applications and dues to:
Minnesota Repeater Council
Jerry Dorf, N0FWG Secretary/Treasurer
601 Sunset Street
Buffalo MN 55313
763-682-2169
jerryd@jerryd.net

of years Paid: _____

Total Amount: _____

Check #: _____

Name on Check: _____

Other Info: _____

Membership Approval Granted: _____ Date: _____

Dues Paid for: 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030 2031 2032 2033 2034 2035 2036

Agenda
Minnesota Repeater Council General meeting
Fall 2022

- I. Call to order 1:00PM
 - A. Welcome
 - B. Establish quorum
 - C. Introduction of officers and members
 - D. Review Agenda
- II. Reports
 - A. Chairman
 - B. Secretary & treasurer report
 - C. Frequency coordinators report
 - D. Technical Committee
- III Individual Announcements
 - A.
- IV. Applications for membership All are for Regular
 - A. Athel Tanner AC0FO Carlton
 - B. Brian Pfeifer KA0ANQ Eveleth
 - C. Jay A Andolshek KA0DYN Brainerd
 - D. Byran Mayer, KD0UUC Maplewood
- V. Old business.
 - A. UHF Band plan committee
Need to Document
 - B. Other coordination groups online processes
 - C. Online meetings / Renew zoom
- VI. New business
 - A. UHF Band plan committee Full duplex hotspots
- VII. Election of Officers / Appointments
 - A. User Liaison needs to be elected
 - B. Apointments
- VIII. Spring Meeting, Out state location.
- IX. Adjournment

Delegate Registration (Proxy) Form

Regular member. _____

Repeater Call: _____ Frequency: _____

Trustee: Call: _____ Name: _____

A regular member is an organization or individual that is the Trustee of record for an operating repeater in the MRC frequency coordination database with MRC membership dues paid in full at the start of the meeting.

Primary Delegate Call: _____ Name: _____

Alternate Delegate #1 Call: _____ Name: _____

Alternate Delegate #2 Call: _____ Name: _____

Restrict voting privileges: If you wish to be registered for purposes if counting attendance, but do not want your assigned delegate to have voting privileges, check here

Duration of Proxy: Check here to allow this proxy to be used at future MRC meetings. This proxy may be altered or revoked at any time by the regular member. Check here to restrict voting to current meeting.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Regular Member (Trustee)

Please mail this proxy to the Secretary at least one week prior to the meeting. Advance registration is appreciated.