

COBB COUNTY RETIRED EMPLOYEE ASSOCIATION

(CCREA)

MINUTES

JULY 16, 2018

The Monthly meeting of the CCREA was held on Monday, July 16, 2018 at the West Cobb Senior Center. President Reida called the meeting to order at 10:40am.

Invocation was given by President Reida, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance of the Flag by Bob Beard.

WELCOME: *President Reida welcome the July meeting of the Cobb County retired Employees Association. Please silence your phone.*

- **Recognition of New Members and guest:** *Tori Kadner, Gloria McNair, Tax Commissioner's Office and Susan Lester. Special Guest, Gerald Gillis. Welcome Aboard!*
- **Under the weather/special need:** *Ted Rice and Peggy Hawkins – let's keep them in prayer and also glad to see Babe Byrne, keep her in prayer.*
- **Birthdays/Anniversary:** *Mem Dooley and Melvin Holton, Happy Birthday and Judy Sheppard, Happy Anniversary!*

PROGRAM: *Bob Beard introduce, Gerald Gillis with the “Legacy of Service” our speaker of today. Mr. Gillis a native Georgian who grew up in Atlanta suburb of Decatur. He served in U.S. Marine Corps, is a novelist and speaker and the author of four novels: That Deadly Space, Dare Not Blink, Shall Never see so Much and Bent, But Not Broken. He also authored an eBook entitled Paige's Laws of Business. He brought with him one of his novels “That Deadly Space” civil was novel for sell \$15.00. If you need to get in touch with him, his email: geraldgillis01@gmail.com – phone no. 770-329-7943 web: www.geraldgillis.com.*

SECRETARY REPORT: *minutes were distributed, motion was made to accept the minutes and second -motion passed.*

TREASURER REPORT: *in the absent of Mike Ball, the treasurer report was presented by Bill Pardue 1st Vice President. As of July 16, 2018, we have \$8320.83 on hand. Motion was made and second – motion passed.*

OLD/NEW BUSINESS: *President talked about the One Exchange reimbursements, the best way to get your money.*

ITEMS OF INTEREST:

- *Anyone interested in Drivers education*
- *Honoring Vietnam Veterans/Cobb Civic Center*
- *Program for the rest of the year:*
 - August 20th BBQ*
 - September 17th Ga. Supreme Ct. Chief Justice Harris Hines*
 - October 15th Toney Hagler & Tressie Bloodworth*
 - November 19th Bill Volckmann*
 - December 17th Christmas Luncheon*
- *Home automation...water main shut off*
- *Happy with service providers: Judy Sheppard provided 2 services that she used – to clean roof and build new steps and handrails
Larry Etchison – 678 887 7366 and to haul debris B&D Cleaning
706 427 7003. If you have a reliable company, please share*

Drawing for gift card: Winner Yvonne Griffith “Congratulations!”

Dues are due

Next meeting will be on August 20th @11am for our BBQ.

Meeting adjourned at 11:45am.

Have a blessed Day!

Secretary

Jo Ann Mann