

The Rotary Club of Putnam County  
Board of Director's Meeting Minutes  
November 18, 2014

**Board Members**

**Present:** Steve Patrick, George Six, Sam Sentelle, Marilyn Pemberton, Denise Springer, Cheryl Rust, Bonnie Prisk and Jon Miller

**Absent:** Dianna Casto, Bob Alexander, Chuck Nuckles

The meeting was called to order by President Sam Sentelle at 11:00 AM.

**Reading and approval of the minutes of previous meeting**

Minutes for the July meeting were read and approved unanimously.

**New Members**

Adolfo Torres and Robert "Rob" Hughart II were presented for new membership. Marilyn Pemberton motioned and Steve Patrick 2<sup>nd</sup>, approved unanimously by board.

**Membership Dues**

Membership dues were the main topic of discussion:

George Six presented a recommendation to adjust the membership dues and fees from \$130/ yr. to \$360/ yr. This new adjustment will affect our Rotary bylaws and needs to be voted on Dec 2nd (the board voted unanimously to move forward with a vote from the Rotary members). A second item was suggested during this time of raising the new member "initiation fee" from \$25 to \$100. This fee will go directly to RI towards the goal of \$1000 to be a Paul Harris Fellow. This will also contribute to the clubs, "Every Rotarian every Year" project. The board voted on this with a vote of (6-2). 6 votes in favor and 2 against.

**Membership Deletions**

Harold Payne has requested that he be removed from Rotary Membership.

**Happy Dollars**

Happy Dollars have been voted on to be giving \$250 for the Putnam Project Life Saver bracelets.

Sam Sentelle made a motion to adjourn meeting, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Steve Patrick approved unanimously by Board.  
Meeting adjourned at 11:57 PM

Submitted by Jon Miller, Putnam Rotary Secretary