



Tampa Amateur Radio Club
General Member Meeting
Minutes
August 3, 2026

Call to Order

A General Membership Meeting of the Tampa Amateur Radio Club (TARC) was held on Monday, August 3, 2026, at the TARC Club House and via Zoom. Meeting was call to order by President, Bill Bode, N4WEB at 7:30 PM.

Attendees:

Board Members Present:

Bill Bode, N4WEB, President
Daniel McDonald, KA2TOC, Treasurer (via Zoom)
Larry Wissinger, KM4LEW, Secretary (via Zoom)
Art Gibson, AE4AG, HF Trustee (via Zoom)
Lu Romero, W4LT, VHF Trustee (via Zoom)
Larry Gispert, KR4X – SK
Jack Fritz, AE4JF
Rita DeHart, KC4RMS (via Zoom)
Glenn Enriquez, AE4GE via Zoom)

Board Members Absent:

Lee Boulineau, KX4TT, Vice President
Josh Dargoltz, KN4UXF

General Membership: 9 attendees at Clubhouse; 10 attendees on Zoom

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Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Reports:

Consent Agenda: Secretary & Treasurer's Report: **Motion to Secretary & Treasure Report; 2nd, Approved**

VHF Trustee – Lu, W4LT

- The repeaters are all working as they should.
- New repeater in Ruskin is performing better than expected and still operating with a PL of 100.0, Lu will change in next couple weeks.
- Bill reported that .025 at Ray J has been turned off until we change it over to .105

HF Trustee – Art, AE4AG

- 6 m antenna not working, there seems to be an issue with the coax connector on tower

Remote Ops – Lu, W4LT

- Both Flex remotes are working as should. We are still working through the Network upgrades.

Hillsborough ARES / RACES – Rob, KJ4TSP

- **No Report**

Members Services Report – Larry, KM4LEW

- We continue to add new members each month
- Larry announced that Larry Gispert, KR4X passed a couple of weeks ago, we will be having a Celebrate of Life in September

Buildings & Grounds – Jack, KO4HLB

- We are waiting on outside work until weather turns cooler

TARC Network Administrator – Steve, W0FFS

- Steve is in the process of rebuilding the club's LAN network and will be adding a VPN server when finished. Currently he is working on installing a new rack and equipment. He will adding new cameras and completing installation in next couple of weeks.
- With the addition of VPN, it will allow Lu to have control of an amp. & tuner for Flex One

President's Report – Bill, N4WEB

- TARCfest, Saturday, August 22nd
- We will be scheduling a meeting in next few weeks to discuss this past Field Day events.

Old Business:

New Business:

Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn at 8:00 pm; 2nd, Passed

Respectfully Submitted,

Larry Wissinger, KM4LEW

Secretary
Tampa Amateur Radio Club

Date of Approval: September 14, 2026