SCRATCHINGS 2015 PA PACK FALL GROWL PA Department HQ Building Fort Indiantown Gap, PA October 16, 2015

Worthy Pack Leader PDD Fussenegger called the 2015 Fall Growl to order at 2050 and the opening ceremonies were conducted.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: All Elected and Appointed Officers were present except WWD,WBD they were excused. PDD Rod Hoffman served as Assistant Police Dog.

ROLL CALL OF POUNDS: 11 Pounds of Pennsylvania Pack were present.

DIGNITARIES: NATIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR & Kennel JR Vice Chief, PDD Tom Hazlett Kennel Jr Past Chief Devil Dog, PCDD Leanna Dietrich Kennel Dog Trainer, PDD Tom Minchin Kennel Deputy Dog Trainer, PDD Johnny Gill Kennel Deputy Dog Robber, PDD Jim Powell Kennel Police Dog, PDD Rod Hoffman Kennel Deputy Veterinarian, PDD Fussenegger NE Div Vice CDD Bernie Scott National JA Dennis Tobin

PAST PACK LEADERS:

PDD Tom Hazlett (56th) PDD Gary German (52nd)

DOGS OF THE YEAR:

PDD Tom Hazlett, Past Kennel Dog of Year 2013
Pack Dog of the Year:
PDD Ed Pienta - current
PDD Tom Hazlett
PDD Jim Powell
PDD George Souder
PDD Gary German

SCRATCHINGS: The scratching from Spring Growl were posted on Web. A motion to accept the Spring Growl Scratchings, 2nd and the body passed the motion.

MEMORIAL SERVICE: A Memorial Service was held for all departed Dogs. Four Dogs have passed this last quarter.

SICK AND/OR DISTRESS: PDD Daniel Condron foot operation,

OFFICER REPORTS:

PACK LEADER: Every thing is going great.

Sr. Pack Leader: Installation reports must be in by Mid. November. \$31,000 Big Bones Donated to Children's Hospital at the National Convention.

Jr. Pack Leader: Lotto fund raiser based on PA daily number. Get in by March Growl.

Dog Robber: The Quarterly Report and the Financial Report were presented verbally. Motion made and seconded to accept report, Passed.

Smart Dog: Reported there were no known legal problems. Filed State Corp papers.

Dog Trainer: No report.

Police Dog: No report.

Mad Dog: No Report.

Watch Dog: Reported that 29 Dogs were in attendance.

Barking Dog: Not Present.

Quartermaster: Reported \$775.50 Big bones in sales at this Grand Growl, \$17 Big Bones in Donations Jar.

Jr Past Pack Leader: No report.

INITITIONS: None.

OLD BUSINESS: PDD Ed Pienta, Pound 38, was named **Dog of the Year** at the Grand Growl Banquet but was not present. Presented award at this time.

Installation: None.

NEW BUSINESS: Pounds must file and forward 990-N to Kennel Dog Robber, Via the Pack Dog Robber. Pack needs to track these.

Motion made to apply for membership in "<u>PA War Veteran Council</u>" with 2 Pri & 2 Alt members, at a cost of \$200.00 big bones, 2nd and passed.

GOOD OF THE ORDER: None

ANNOUNCEMENTS: PassPort fees/fines checks MUST be made payable to Kennel, MODD, but send all paper work thru the Pack Dog Robber for tracking.

Pd 132 fund raiser at rest area on I81, \$2000 big bones.

Next Growl will be the Winter Growl, 8 January 2016, at Red Lion Inn, Grantville, PA.

CLOSING: There being no further business Pack Leader Fussenegger closed the Fall Growl at 2110 with the proper ceremonies.

Respectfully Submitted,

Layne Chang.

PDD Eugene C. Irvin, 12-245 Worthy PA Pack Dog Robber Pound # 179