TASMA members:

During our last meeting, we discussed that we were in the process of transitioning the database to Hamclubonline, as a better solution to manage the coordination information. As we entered the current data into the new system, we discovered anomalies regarding repeater call signs, coordinates, contact information, and other technical information. While most of the issues are from older coordinated repeaters that owners have not updated with TASMA, the newer coordinated repeaters that have been processed through the technical committee have less or no issues. Chuck N6GYY is currently updating those repeater systems into the new database. When the final inputs are complete, the technical committee will review and take appropriate action as needed to correct the anomalies. This may be in the form of a request for the repeater owners to login to Hamclubonline and update their information online. Once the committee finds the data to be accurate, the information will be transferred to the tasma.org website.

On a different matter, the TASMA Technical Committee is always looking for people who would like to participate on the committee. If you feel that you qualify, please go to http://www.tasma.org/tcapp.pdf and download the TASMA APPLICATION FOR TECHNICAL COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT form and send it via email to the Technical Committee Chairman.

Lastly, the next general meeting will be held on April 1st at the Walnut Library in Walnut CA. Look to the right for directions and address.

David Elder, KA6TBF
TASMA Chairman

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Next Meeting:
Walnut Public Library
April 1, 2017

Please arrive at 10:00 AM to take care of renewing your membership and avoid disrupting the meeting. The meeting will start promptly at 10:30.

Member at Large Report

Greetings TASMA Members,

Here we are well into 2017. I hope it is a good year for us all. As you may know, I recently had surgery for Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm. I have fully recovered, and I’m back to work. I look forward to seeing everyone at the General meeting.

David Summers
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General Meeting Minutes

Saturday, December 3, 2016
Walnut Public Library
21155 La Puente Road
Walnut, CA 91789

NOT APPROVED

1. Registration: KB6CMO W6TNA W6DVE N6JO K6THQ N6JLG AC6DX KD6DDM N6GYY KA6TBF KR6AFT KC6BEU KC6BBE AJ6B

2. Call To Order
With quorum present, meeting was called to order at 10:32am.

3. Introductions
All in attendance introduced themselves and the group(s) they represent, if any.

4. Approval of Previous Minutes
Joe motioned to approve minutes from August 6, 2016 general meeting with a minor correction, passed unanimously.

5. Treasurer’s Report
Tina W6TNA’s report was in the newsletter, current bank balance at end of October is $8799.18.

6. Technical Committee Report
Chuck N6GYY gave report of technical committee activity. Please see the report published in the November 2016 newsletter.

7. TASMA Database Report
Sean AJ6B gave report on current state of the TASMA database.

8. Board Member at Large Report
Dave KD6DDM gave his report about the continuing efforts on TASMA presentations.

9. Vice Chairman Report
Delia KR6AFT gave a report about the continuing efforts in forwarding HAM radio in the community as an emergency service.

10. Chairman Report
Dave KA6TBF gave report on current state of TASMA.

11. Old Business
   a. Bylaw change passed through the election process.

12. Elections
   a. No new nominations made for the officer positions.
   b. Final results:
      Chairman: Dave KA6TBF
      Vice-Chairman: Delia KR6AFT
      Secretary: Sean AJ6B
      Treasurer: Sean AJ6B
      Member at Large: Dave KD6DDM

13. New Business
   a. No new business

14. Open Forum
   a. Nothing from the floor.

15. Next General Meeting is April 1, 2017. Location will be announced prior to meeting.

Motion to adjourn by Joe N6JO passed unanimously by 11:44am.

Meeting minutes created by Sean Reigle, AJ6B, Secretary on 12/3/2016

Posted 3/25/2016 SR

Agenda
TASMA General Meeting
April 1, 2017

1. Registration (10:00am)
2. Call to Order (10:30am)
3. Introductions
4. Approval of Previous Minutes
5. Treasurer Report
6. Technical Committee Report
7. TASMA Database Report
8. Board Member at Large Report
9. Vice Chairman Report
10. Chairman Report
11. Old Business
12. New Business
13. Open Forum
14. Next Meeting Announcement
15. Adjournment
HAMCON 2017 will again use the Torrance Marriott Redondo Beach Hotel’s entire 10,300 sq. ft. Grand Ballroom for a 63-booth Exhibitor Room. Attending give you the opportunity to see, touch, and discuss the latest ham equipment with sellers representing a wide range of amateur radio interests. As some manufacturers do not sell through stores HAMCON 2017 represents a fabulous opportunity to see such firms’ equipment line up-close.

**Battleship Iowa Special Event**
A special visit to the Battleship Iowa at Los Angeles Harbor with buffet dinner in the Iowa’s officers’ wardroom has been arranged for early-arriving HAMCON 2017 attendees on Friday afternoon, Sept. 15, 2017. Space is limited.

One of just four battleships in its class, the USS Iowa served during World War II, the Korean War, and 1991 Persian Gulf operations.

For more information visit the HAMCON website.  
[http://hamconinc.org](http://hamconinc.org)

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**Technical Committee Report**

The current members of the committee are:

- Chuck Messel N6GYY
- Sean Reigle AJ6B
- Keith Kasin AI6BX
- Greg Madden WQ9P

The Technical Committee will present their report at the next General Meeting, on Saturday, April 1, 2017.

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**Vice Chairman’s Report**

Amateur Radio is often referred to as the "First Social Media" of the 20th century. Today, amateur radio continues to thrive, with our main event during the month of June. Field Day is just around the corner. I'm asking our membership to snap a photo or two at their Field Day location this year. Submit your photo to me, and I'll insert a few in the next TASMA newsletter.

Delia Kraft, KR6AFT

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