



## **Arizona Men of Leather**

**November 8, 2025**

### **Secretary Minutes**

#### **Membership meeting - 7:30 PM**

Members present: Mike S., Nick K., Joe R., Terry P., Joe C., Dennis D., Robert S., Von V., Steve T. (zoom), Ambros W., Adam K., Ali C., Mark L.

Mike S. read the Mission Statement

#### **Reports:**

- President - No Report – See prepared agenda
- Vice President – No Report
- Treasurer – Attached. Note about donation to the Alzheimer donation. Also, comment about movement of money to keep checking free.
- Events Coordinator - No Report
- Secretary - Emailed prior to meeting. No corrections from members.

Joe C., seconded by Ambros W. to adapt the minutes.

#### **New Members & Pledges**

No pledges this month.

#### **Old Business & Discussion**

Joe C. report on Patch. Possible vendor corrected coloring and displayed the proof patch to the membership. Motion to purchase 50 smaller size patches. Seconded and passed unanimously.

Joe C. report on Pins. Joe contact vendor of last manufacturer of pins. Color will also be updated to match logo. Motion to purchase 500 pins. Adam K. and seconded by Robert S. Passed unanimously.

Joe C. report on possible name badges. Joe will send around signup sheet at next regular meeting for individual purchase. Name tags would probably be around \$10 each. Might be able to purchase online via the regular website.

Phoenix Leather Pride and Phoenix Leather Pride Flag update by Mike S.

Mike S. and Nick K. thanked everyone for helping with the Parking Lot Party.

Pride Parade was successful. NuTowne event afterwards was successful.

Successful Alzheimer's Walk with some members participating.

#### **New Business**

##### ***Officer Nominations***

*Nominations are still open at the next meeting.*

- President: Mike S. will serve one more year.

- Vice President: Dennis D.
- Treasurer: Mark L.
- Secretary: Tod E.
- Event Coordinator: Ben C. (Nick K. will shepherd until after IML)

Mark L. and seconded by Dennis D. to move to accept the slate of officers. Passed unanimously. Office positions will take place with the January 2026 meeting.

Onyx Brunch at Kobalt for \$30 catered by First Watch which is next door. Purchase tickets at the website. Motion by Adam K. and Joe C. to create a \$80 dollar basket. Move unanimously.

AWOL two events. November 20<sup>th</sup>, 6pm, TransDay but will be at Trinity Episcopal Church. Ambrose explained future events at NuTowne, November 21<sup>st</sup>, 7pm. Mike S. will send out further information via email.

Leather and Ink events. November 22-23, at the Anvil. Fire demos and boot black with Leather Robb. Additional vendors. Food donations for Nurish Phoenix setup by Ben C. Discussion of various ways to donate. Give gift cards directly to Ben c.

November 29<sup>th</sup>. Live Estate auction with Ohio State memorabilia at half time. At NuTowne. Proceed will be for Adam's travel fund.

November 30<sup>th</sup> Gabby Birthday party brunch at C7 from 2p-5p. Home for Good pet charity.

December will be our AML Holiday Party with Club Night afterward. Details will be coming later via email. Discussion of possible alternatives.

Michael Coleman for NuTowne maybe putting a 2026 Calendar together.

Motion to adjourn by Mark L. and Ambrose W. and approved unanimously.

Submitted,

Terry Pochert, Recording Secretary