

Minutes ARE March 11, 2026

General Meeting called to order at 19:09 by Greg K2ROG

Members Present: Greg K2ROG, Kevin KJ5BHA, David K4JLM, Chris KE5KPC, James WJ2K, Jim N5JCP, Dewey KI5UWK, Suzanne KG5VTM, Pete KC5IMZ, George KC5QEX, John N5JGJ, Bobby KJ5CFZ

Guests: Fred Little AB5D

Minutes: George made a motion to accept the February meeting minutes, seconded by Pete. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: For the month of February we had a beginning balance of \$3395.46, some members paid their dues leaving us a balance of \$3423.88.

Events: ERBC each Friday at 8:30am. The location at Texan Kitchen 415 N Main St. Euless, TX 76039. Jim mentioned that they have been well attended.

The club social will be at 6pm on March 16 at Spring Creek BBQ 1509 Airport Fwy. Bedford.

HEB Joint Radio Club breakfast is every 3rd Saturday at 7am at Egg Haven Cafe 760 Airport Fwy, Suite 100, Hurst TX, 76053. RSVP is needed by midnight on the Thursday before the breakfast.

We have 2 Fox Hunts planned. 1st is Saturday, March 21 starting at 7:30pm and the second is April 26 starting at 8:30am

3rd annual POTA Camping in April is at will be at Fort Richardson State Park from Oct 23 to the 26. Chris has reserved cabin 8 already. If you can come, please join us. It is around 1.5 hour drive from Euless.

Kevin was planning to attend the Irving Hamfest and get a table, but a work project prevented him from going.

The Skywarn class that was cancelled will be rescheduled, but the date has not been announced.

Texas Emergency Management Conference is May 26-29. If you want to volunteer, you can sign up.

Business: ARE was announced by the city of volunteer organization of the year for 2025. Greg attended the presentation to accept the award for the club.

Kevin was given an award by Greg for his support for the club.

If you have not already seen it, on the website there is an [Emergency Communications Plan / Operations Manual](#). Take a look and see if any corrections or additions are needed.

Greg asked members what they have been doing in radio this year and any goals that they have.

Greg talked about GMRS and asked who owns a GMRS radio. He mentioned that a few area GMRS repeaters have been active in the DFW area.

Greg invited any member to contact him and work out a time you can go to his house and he can show you some of the things he has learned and give members a chance to operate on HF if they do not have a radio.

Volunteer hours for the month of February are 8 that gives us a total of 54 for Jan to Feb.

Greg gave a short presentation on a new system he started to participate in, the National Bulletin Distribution Net.

Motion to adjourn was made by Bobby at 20:41, seconded by Pete. Motion passed.

Minutes submitted by: Chris Shanahan KE5KPC