



THE IMPERIAL DOVE COURT DE FRESNO, INC.
REIGN 49
THE COURT OF WHISKEY, INTEGRITY, AND TEQUILA



Minutes of the Special Court Meeting July 25, 2022

Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 7:32 p.m. by Christopher Saenz (Elected Emperor 49)

Invocation: Mario Valencia provided the invocation

Roll Call:

Members – Abraham Lopez, Ajay Alvarez, Alfonso Gonzales, Austin Villa, Brandy Manzanedo, Brian Bayless, Brianna Gonzales, Danni Espindola, Demont Smith, Franky Juarez, Freeman Manuel, Jasmine Navarro, Jess Fitzpatrick, Jesse Merrell, Joey Wilbourne, Jose Gutierrez, Juan Salcedo, Federico Rodriguez, Marc Rosario, Noriko Ramento-Mossman, Phillip Rendon, Randy Velasco-Stoll, Ray Quenga, Ricardo Rodriguez, Rosio Leon Velasco-Stoll, Steve Santistevan, Tony Lane, Travis Rockett, Trent Cross, & Zayn Guajardo

Imperial Family – Jesse Villabos (Empress 1 & 4), Steve Hagopian (Empress 7 & 27), Bryan Peterson (Emperor 12), Patrick Gonzalez (Empress 14), Lupe Cordova (Emperor 20), Juan Felix (Empress 20), Ronnie Armenta (Emperor 29), Jon Archer Pace (Emperor 31 & 38), Anthony Damian (Emperor 35), Robert Damian (Empress 35), Larry Laird (Emperor 36), Joseph Duran (Empress 36), Nickolas Lucio (Emperor 40), Paul Hernandez (Emperor 42), Gilberto Torentela (Empress 43), Josef Aguilar (Emperor 44), Mario Valencia (Emperor 45), Matt Garcia (Empress 45), Jose Montes (Emperor 46), Mark Balanon (Empress 46), Abraham Torentela (Emperor 48), Christopher Thompson (Empress 48), Christopher Saenz (Elected Emperor 49), & Angel Madera (Elected Empress 49)

Guests – Stephanie Shidler & Nicko Vallez

New Business:

1) Election of Court officers & Imperial Family to the Board of Directors for Reign 49

Vote by secret ballot- Court Secretary Nominees: Alex Love, Franky Juarez, Jr., & Travis Rockett
Travis Rockett elected Court Secretary

Vote by secret ballot – Court Treasurer Nominees: Franky Juarez, Jr., & Jesse Merrell
Jesse Merrell elected Court Treasurer

Vote by secret ballot – Parliamentarian Nominees: Claudia Chaves, Franky Juarez, Jr., & Tony Lane
Franky Juarez, Jr. elected Parliamentarian

Vote by secret ballot- Imperial Family Board Seat

It was announced prior to voting for Imperial Family Board seats Patrick Gonzalez (Empress 14) & Nickolas Lucio (Emperor 40) withdrew their names to be considered for positions on the board.

Nominees:

Abraham Torentela (Emperor 48), Anthony Damian (Emperor 35), Christopher Thompson (Empress 48), Gilberto Torentela (Empress 43), Jesse Villalobos (Empress 1 & 4), Jon Pace (Emperor 31 & 38), Jose Montes (Emperor 46), Joseph Duran (Empress 36), Larry Laird (Emperor 36), Marc Balanon (Empress 46), Mario Valencia (Emperor 45), Maliyah Martinez (Empress 47), Mathew Garcia (Empress 45), Nickolas Lucio (Emperor 40), Patrick Gonzales (Empress 14), Paul Hernandez (Empress 42), and Robert Damian (Empress 35)

As ballots were being tabulated, Ronnie Armenta, Emperor 29, shared with the court information regarding an upcoming wine tasting. Event will be at the home of Ronnie Armenta from 4:00 - 6:00 pm. 15 person capacity. Tickets are available on the court website.

The Imperial Family elected to the board were Jesse Villalobos (Empress 1 & 4), Anthony Damian (Emperor 35), Mario Valencia (Emperor 45), Jose Montes (Emperor 46), & Mark Balanon (Empress 46).

Next Court Meeting

Monday, August 1, 2022 at 7:30pm, EOC LGBTQ Resource Center

Motion to Adjourn:

1st – Ricardo Rodriguez

2nd – Trent Cross

Meeting adjourned