DFW Parliamentarians met in person April 26, 2021. Members present included President Charlie Bowles, Vice president and Unit Parliamentarian Charlie Bass, Member Hester Schwarzer, Member Rory Etienne, guest David Beckworth, Mrs. Bass and Secretary Kevin Baker. Quorum was established. Unit Treasurer Denise Dotson-Hardwick was absent. An educational session was presented by Member Hester Schwarzer. Education session used as its theme the answers to frequently asked parliamentary procedures as crossword puzzle blanks.

**Call to Order – 7:35pm**

**Approval of Minutes:**

* The minutes for the DFW Unit March 2021 meeting were sent out electronically and no corrections were submitted.

**Treasurer’s Report:** Denise Dotson-Hardwick

* Treasurer submitted updates for the bank account showing the balance and her report was submitted for audit. Debated mitigation of account dormancy. Treasurer completed actions to add Mr. President to the bank account.
* **Officers’ report**
  + President’s Report – Spoke regarding Texas State Association of Parliamentarians (TSAP) virtual Convention April 30 and May 1 2021. All members delegates and unit VP elected Historian TSAP.
  + Vice president – Did continuing education presentation to the Lone Star Unit. Selected as member of TSAP Audit Committee. Stated Member Etienne selected to sit on Scholastic Committee TSAP. States there may be some items eligible mentioned in February minutes to consider for treasury usage
* **Standing Committee Reports:** 
  + Membership Committee – Denise Dotson-Hardwick – in absentia No report.
  + Education Committee – Established Education Session Responsibilities
    - May Kevin Baker
    - June TBD

**Special Committees: Expenditure Items Committee**

Member Rory Etienne motioned a bylaw amendment to add Art VIII Sec 1 adding a Youth and Community Service Committee. Motion seconded. President appoints VP to chair meeting steps down to participate in debate. President spoke in favor of amendment. Member desires to review TSAP assignment seeking duplication of effort mitigation. After debate member withdraws motion for next business meeting

**New Business**

Next Regular Meeting May 24, 2021

Adjourned 8:30 pm