

Masonic Temple Thursday Evening, October 15th, 2026. At a Stated Communication of Fellowship Lodge No. 84, A.F. & A.M. Smithfield, NORTH CAROLINA. HELD ON THE ABOVE DATE PRESENT:

WM: *Matthew Marek, PM*
Zach Stanley

SW: Tom Lock

JW: *Ben Wagoner PM* *Graves Dees, PM*

Treas: Jack Wooten PM

Sec'y: *John Cook*

Chaplain: John Cook

SD: *Matthew Marek PM* *Tim Kolb*

JD: Allen Turnage

Steward:

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Tyler: Hutch Earp PM

Marshal:

Other Members Present: *Mike Davidian*

Guests: *Mark Phillips, Williamsburg Lodge #6*

Lodge was opened on the third degree of Masonry in Due Form at 7:30PM. Minutes from 01OCT2026 read.

DEATHS REPORTED:

SICKNESS REPORTED: *Joe Hester, Stomach Surgery - get well card.*

WM asked for the Secretary's Correspondence:

1. Unpaid Dues; 2 members still have not paid dues:

Scott Andrew Dorman

- still pending - Jack Wooten will call

✓ Joseph Louis Hester Jr. *Done*

a. Has the committee connected with these brothers? If so, any luck in collecting payment. *Just appointed*

b. Is it time to vote on suspension for unpaid dues? *What till contacted on next meeting.*

*Confina - initiate Ashley Swells from tonight Court's file.
Last practice Sunday p.m. 3 to 4 p.m.*

2. Poinsettias: Are we purchasing this year. Bro Secretary noted that last year they were purchased and only 3 were delivered while the rest died in the dining hall. *Vote. Buy; use new list, distribute.*

*Table Lodge Tickets - 4 left. use text system to make aware.
Passed - unanimous.*

3. Elections to be held in November. *Just 11/19* The Lodge should work to find a new Secretary for next year and going forward as this Bro Secretary's 5th year serving. I no longer have the capacity nor will serve in the seat. I will not be able to accept the position should I be elected but will be glad to help with transition.

*You're lucky today. Send card, Girl. Ara.
Dennis Edward - Cook Wed. 14th Ben Wagoner 21st - 10th.
Tonight for CA treatment. Jack Wooten Monday, 10/26/26
forward.*

WM Correspondence:

1.

Possible seat @ Totole Lodge
Robert Hopping Lodge 218 Raleigh
Robert Cupper Lodge 218 Raleigh
~~Robert~~ Fredrick Joseph Lodge Palmyra #147 Duane NC
and members.

MASONIC EDUCATION:

OTHER:

Meal Cost:

Meal Collection:

There being no further business, the minutes were read and approved, and the Lodge was closed in due form and harmony at 8:30 PM.

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