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MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

FROM: CAWG CAC RECORDER

SUBJECT: CAC Meeting Minutes for 27 October

1. Listed below are the minutes for the CAWG Cadet Advisory Council Meeting of 27 October, which was held on a conference call, organized by C/Lt Col Colin Rodriguez, from 2000-2059 hours.

2. **OPENING BUSINESS**: C/Lt Col Colin Rodriguez, CAWG CAC Chairman called the council to order at 2001 hours.

- a. Roll Call:
  - (1) C/Lt Col Colin Rodriguez, CAWG CAC Chair
  - (2) C/2d Lt Chase Cormier, CAWG CAC Vice Chair
  - (3) C/CMSgt Maximus Davenport, CAWG CAC Recorder
  - (4) C/Capt Brian DiMasico, CAWG CAC PCR Representative
  - (5) C/2d Lt Christian Colabella, Group 1 Chair
  - (6) C/2d Lt Nicole Rauch Group, 2 Chair
  - (7) C/2d Lt Carley Chapman, Group 3 Chair
  - (8) C/TSgt Priya Hasham, Group 4 Chair
  - (9) C/Lt Col Zoe Hinds, Group 6 Chair
  - (10) C/Capt Christian Zoutis, Group 7 Chair
  - (11) C/Capt Rebecca Cherry, Group 8 Chair
- b. Reports:
  - (1) Group 1:

(a) Selected this week. Nothing to report.

(2) Group 2:

(a) Still selecting squadron representatives. Currently brainstorming – expected to get going in the next 2 weeks.

(3) Group 3:

(a) Just appointed chair. Sent out email for vice and recorder position. Should have it in next couple of weeks.

# (4) Group 4:

(a) Only person on Group CAC. Sent email out to squadron and staff. Communicating at upcoming recruiting event with group.

(5) Group 6:

(a) Getting active roster. Have reached out to all the squadrons asking for their representatives. Only big issue has been participation within CAC. No directives from group commander. Group Commander and CAC Group Chair have been talking.

(6) Group 7:

(a) Full rosters. Recent change of command. Very avid participation within CAC.

(7) Group 8:

(a) Full Roster. Established multiple lanes of communications. Goal to get more informative feedback from squadron representatives. Implemented a 3 strikes you're out system on attendance.

## 3. OLD BUSINESS:

- a. 3 primary initiatives:
  - (1) Communications channels.
  - (2) What gets cadets excited?
  - (3) What activities do Cadets want to attend?

b. Group Representatives will send out a complete roster to the CAWG Vice Chairman by 2 November 2019.

c. The survey being worked on from the last term was finished and released. Wing CAC will present to Col. Veta after the survey ends on 15 Nov 2019.

d. CAWG CAC Website: Working to revise the online presence of CAC. Contact representative page: Support that communication channel. Make sure that any Cadet can find out their CAC Representative easily, get feedback from Cadets.

e. Better publicize the website. Find a way to remind people that the website exists. Allow people to put their group on the website so that issues can be handled at the group level. Have an anonymous option so that members don't have to put their name or squadron if they don't want.

## 4. NEW BUSINESS:

a. Cawgcadets.org: Objective to increase amount of CAC meeting attendance. Lack of attendance has been a problem in the past. Increase CAC's presence with the cadets. People should know what CAC is doing and accomplishing. CAC has a false reputation of not doing anything; something that needs to be change.

b. Social Media Outreach committee needed, later changed to just Outreach Committee. Work with CAWG Public Affairs in order to communicate through social media. Idea proposed that CAC has their own social media. Goal of having a constant line of communication with members. Group Representatives should get face to face contact with the Squadrons and attend some of their weekly meetings.

(1) Debate in relation to the Outreach Committee, regarding electronic access: If they don't have access to a phone how is CAC still trying to have access to that direct line of communication? Answer: Paper form of communication that would be handed out at the squadron level. The data would be imputed by the Squadron CAC representatives, and sent to the Group level. This also provides the Cadet with face to face contact with CAC representatives.

- c. CAC Chair, C/Lt Col Colin Rodriguez: Move to vote for chair of the Outreach Committee. (Not all members voted.)
  - (1) 0 Members voted for C/TSgt Priya Hasham
  - (2) 0 Members voted for C/Capt Christian Zoutis
  - (3) 4 Members voted for C/Lt Col Zoe Hinds.
  - (4) C/Lt Col Zoe Hinds voted as the Outreach Committee Chair.

(5) C/TSgt Hasham and C/Capt Zoutis are made members of the Outreach Committee. d. CAC to be integrated back into the Cadet Programs Conference. The original idea of CPC was founded by the Cadet Advisory Council. CAWG CAC is planning on having a closed CAC meeting at CPC. CAC needs to be involved in the Ace Fair. CAWG CAC to be involved in the General Assembly.

## 5. OPEN FLOOR:

a. Regulations on Social Media posting, and presence asked about. Response: National is making a regulation on social media and what can be published. It is in the approval process. Any more ideas regarding this subject can be proposed through the proper channels of the chain of command.

b. Super ILP was asked about. Response: Announced by Maj. Glenn Wiggins. It's putting the first 4 ILP schools into one event on MLK weekend. This has not been announced officially. If any further questions email Maj Glenn Wiggins.

c. Action Items: Please work on getting that full roster of respective groups. By the 2<sup>nd</sup> of Nov, give any information to the CAWG CAC VC. Need a full roster of contact information. Send C/Lt Col Rodriguez ideas for CPC anything to get CAC involved.

### 6. CALL ADJOURNED at 2059.

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