

HALL OF WASHINGTON LODGE No. 20 F. & A. M.
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

Stated Meeting

December 04, 2025

The Stated Meeting was opened at **7:56 PM** with the Master presiding and other Officers and Brethren present as shown in the Tiler's Register.

Officers

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| Joseph Wallach | Worshipful Master | Not Present | Senior Deacon |
| Bill Workman | Senior Warden | Nicholas Johnston | Junior Deacon |
| Brandon Jenkins | Junior Warden | Not Present | Marshal |
| Not Present | Treasurer | Maury Hicks | Senior Steward |
| Not Present | Secretary | Not Present | Junior Steward |
| Ramey Packer | Chaplain | James Dimmitt | Organist |
| Not Present | Assistant Secretary | Martin Buff | Tiler |

Brother **Jonathon Miller** served as Treasurer; Brother **Nicholas Johnston** as Secretary; Brother **Ramey Packer** as Senior Deacon; Brother **Maury Hicks** as Junior Deacon; and Brother **Isai Jaimes** as Junior Steward.

Reading of the Minutes

The Junior Warden, Brother **Brandon Jenkins**, moved that the reading of the November 06, 2025, Stated Meeting be dispensed with and that they stand approved as so distributed.
Seconded by Brother **William Workman** and approved by the Lodge.

Reports of Investigating Committees

The Master, Worshipful **Joseph Wallach**, informed the Lodge that the committee upon the application of Mr. **Samuel Drew Connell** to receive the Degrees of Masonry in this Lodge had made an unfavorable report, and declared the applicant rejected.

Balloting

None.

Reception of Applications

None.

Miscellaneous and Unfinished Business

(a) Reports of Special Committees:

None.

(b) Bills and Communications:

The Acting Treasurer, Brother **Jonathon Miller**, gave the monthly report of bills for **December 2025** in the amount of **\$ 2,148.75**. Audited by the Senior and Junior Wardens. Brother **Jonathon Miller**, moved that the bills be paid. Seconded by Brother **Ramey Packer** and approved by the Lodge.

The Stated Meeting was interrupted at approximately 8:06 PM due to a building-wide fire alarm, necessitating the immediate evacuation of all attendees. Following a prompt response and safety assessment by the Sacramento Fire Department, the alarm was confirmed as false. The building was declared safe for reoccupation at 8:16 PM, at which point members returned to the lodge room and the Stated Meeting resumed at 8:23 PM.

The Acting Secretary, Brother **Nicholas Johnston**, read a letter from the California Rainbow for Girls Foundation, Inc. reaching out to this Lodge for financial support for the California Jurisdiction of the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

(c) New Business:

The Master, Worshipful **Joseph Wallach**, informed the Lodge that Brother **Anthony Michael Contreras**, Entered Apprentice, had requested cancellation of his membership with this Lodge.

The Senior Warden, Brother **William Workman**, moved that the Lodge approve the request from Brother **Anthony Michael Contreras**, Entered Apprentice, to cancel his membership with this Lodge. Seconded by Brother **Brandon Jenkins** and approved by the Lodge.

Sacred Roll

None.

Oration

Open.

The Stated Meeting was closed at **8:33 PM**.

Dinner was served in the Banquet Room before the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Francisco Marques, PM
Secretary

Joseph Wallach
Master