

THE NEW JERSEY FREEMASON

Spring 2012



M.W. Douglas R. Policastro
Masonic Home Administrator
2001 - 2012

**LEGACY OF
QUALITY CARE**
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PROPOSED GRAND LODGE
BUDGET 2012-2013

Membership Base = 21,996

	Budget 2011-2012	Budget Proposed		Budget 2011-2012	Budget Proposed
OPERATING REVENUE			GRAND LODGE ACTIVITIES		
Grand Lodge per			Annual		
Capita Assessment	\$342,333.75	\$307,944.00	Communication	\$125,000.00	\$135,000.00
Blue Lodge Insurance			Emergent		
Assessment	87,925.00	76,986.00	Communications	1,000.00	1,000.00
Acacia Lumberton			Northeast Conference		
Management Fee	68,300.00	68,300.00	of Grand Masters	5,000.00	5,000.00
Staff Contribution to			Conference of Grand		
Annual Communication	30,000.00	35,000.00	Masters of N. America	20,000.00	20,000.00
Annual Communication	15,000.00	15,000.00	Feast of St. John	4,000.00	4,000.00
Sale of Supplies	15,000.00	15,000.00	Past Grand Master's Jewel	10,000.00	10,000.00
General Fund Interest			Awards and Certificates	5,000.00	5,000.00
and Dividends	9,000.00	9,000.00	Table Lodge	500.00	0.00
Permanent Fund Interest			225th Anniversary	0.00	22,000.00
and Dividends	72,000.00	72,000.00	TOTAL GRAND		
Digitized Proceedings	0.00	10,998.00	LODGE ACTIVITIES	\$170,500.00	\$202,000.00
Trenton Temple Assessment	0.00	43,992.00	EDUCATION PROGRAMS		
Trenton Temple Ballroom Renovation	0.00	43,992.00	Ritual Committee	\$500.00	\$500.00
Trenton Temple Operating Revenue	0.00	90,000.00	District Deputy		
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	\$639,558.75	\$788,212.00	Grand Masters	1,000.00	1,000.00
PASS THROUGH ASSESSMENTS			Education Services	3,000.00	1,500.00
Masonic Charity Foundation	\$448,146.00	\$395,928.00	Youth Committee	3,000.00	5,000.00
Initiate Fee for MCF	10,000.00	10,000.00	Old Trenton Temple		
GWNM per Capita	24,897.00	21,996.00	Lodge museum	5,000.00	500.00
Initiate Fee for GWNM	1,200.00	1,200.00	Masonic Leadership		
DeMolay per Capita	24,897.00	21,996.00	Conference	7,000.00	7,000.00
Rainbow per Capita	24,897.00	21,996.00	NJ Freemason Magazine	75,000.00	75,000.00
Historic Trenton Masonic Temple	49,794.00	0.00	TOTAL EDUCATION		
TOTAL PASS THROUGH			EXPENSE	\$94,500.00	\$90,500.00
ASSESSMENTS	\$583,831.00	\$473,116.00	CHARITABLE PROGRAMS		
OPERATING EXPENSES			MSA Hospital		
PERSONNEL			Visitation Program	\$5,000.00	\$2,500.00
Salaries	\$124,500.00	\$126,990.00	NJ Veterans		
Payroll Taxes	11,000.00	11,500.00	Hospital Program	10,000.00	2,500.00
Group Insurance	0.00	0.00	Masonic Relief Assoc.	0.00	0.00
Pension	0.00	0.00	Masonic Services Assoc.	1,000.00	1,500.00
TOTAL PERSONNEL			CHIP	5,000.00	4,000.00
EXPENSE	\$135,500.00	\$138,490.00	Wheelchair Track		
OPERATING EXPENSE			and Field Meet	500.00	500.00
Audit	\$16,000.00	\$16,000.00	Masonic Blood Bank	500.00	500.00
IRS Form 990	4,000.00	8,000.00	TOTAL CHARITABLE		
Accounting and			PROGRAMS	\$22,000.00	\$11,500.00
Bookkeeping	18,000.00	18,000.00	PASS THROUGH ASSESSMENTS		
Investment Advisor	0.00	0.00	Masonic Charity		
Office Supplies	7,000.00	7,000.00	Foundation	\$448,146.00	\$395,928.00
Telephone and Fax	8,000.00	8,500.00	Initiates Contribution		
Printing	5,500.00	10,000.00	to MCF	10,000.00	10,000.00
Postage and UPS	8,000.00	10,000.00	GWNM Assessment	24,897.00	21,996.00
GL Collars, Aprons			Initiates Contribution		
and Tokens	2,500.00	2,500.00	to GWNM	1,200.00	1,200.00
Official Expense	30,000.00	30,000.00	DeMolay	24,897.00	21,996.00
Equipment Contract and Leases	3,000.00	3,000.00	Rainbow	24,897.00	21,996.00
Legal	5,000.00	1,000.00	Historic Trenton		
GL Insurance	13,000.00	13,000.00	Masonic Temple	49,794.00	0.00
Blue Lodge Insurance	87,925.00	76,986.00	TOTAL PASS THROUGH		
Trenton Temple Operating Expense	5,000.00	80,000.00	ASSESSMENTS	\$583,831.00	\$473,116.00
Trenton Temple Ballroom Renovation	0.00	43,992.00	TOTAL REVENUE	\$1,223,389.75	\$1,261,328.00
Digitize Proceedings	0.00	10,998.00	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,221,256.00	\$1,256,582.00
Miscellaneous	2,000.00	2,000.00	SURPLUS (DEFICIT)	\$2,133.75	\$4,746.00
TOTAL OPERATING					
EXPENSE	\$214,925.00	\$340,976.00			

GRAND MASTER'S MESSAGE

My Brothers:

The other day I was thinking about my life as your Grand Master and how different it is from my forefathers. Today we have Computers, Tablets, Laptops, Personal Data Assistants (PDA) and Cell Phones. Years ago if the Grand Master left the state the Deputy Grand Master took over, if he was also away then the Senior Grand Warden, then Junior Grand Warden, assumed the Grand Masters duties. Today we are in constant communications thru PDA's either by voice or text. We have automobiles that can take us from one end of the state in a matter of hours, how lucky we are to have such conveniences. I can just imagine my predecessors traveling around the state by horse and buggy, train or even early automobiles. I am sure that there were not receptions and Grand Lodges of Instructions at opposite ends of the state two nights in one week.

We have just completed our [annual Charity Foundation trip to Florida](#). We had a world wind trip having luncheons in Tampa, Fort Myers, West Palm Beach and Orlando. There is a lot of driving involved and it was well worth the time and efforts. While in Florida, I renewed some old acquaints and made many new friends. One of my old friends and brother was a member of my investigating committee; it was so good to spend a few moments with him at the Fort Myers luncheon. Since returning home I have received an email from a brother thanking me for spending time with his mother, she had called him to tell him how thrilled she was to have had lunch at the same table as the Grand Master. I also have received thanks from a sister at an Eastern Star meeting who's friend had called to tell her how nice it was that I spent time with her on the trip. Those few comments make the trip worthwhile for us.

On December 7th I had the honor of attending the Wreaths Across America events at Liberty State Park in Jersey City and the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Holmdel. At both locations, I took part in ceremonies to honor our fallen veterans. [Wreaths Across America](#) is an interesting project. Many years ago a tree farmer in rural Maine had the idea of placing Christmas Wreaths on veterans' graves. This practice has grown annually to the point where this year, eight tractor trailers traveled from Maine to Arlington National Cemetery, with wreaths for graves of our fallen veterans. What a sight it was to see the convoy traveling into Liberty State Park and then again on the Garden State Parkway to Holmdel, let alone take part in the ceremony.

A very singular event will take place in the last few days in February: I will have the pleasure of making two Vietnam war veterans a [Mason-On-Site](#). Both of these men were wounded during that conflict and today live in the Paramus Veterans Hospital and the Masonic Home. One veteran is already an Entered Apprentice,

who is unable to complete his degrees in the traditional manner. So, we will provide an abbreviated Fellowcraft and Master Mason degree. The other veteran was so impressed with the members from lodges around the Paramus home that he asked to become a Mason. I was made aware of this so we will be working with Lessing - Passaic Lodge (which he applied to) to become a Master Mason.



Fund-raising for the Masonic Charity Foundation and the Children's Dyslexia Centers has become an important cause for me this year. While receiving donations at receptions and various mailings sent out during the year we had a fun-filled fund-raiser which was a [Tricky Tray Auction](#), where one purchased a sheet of numbers and then placed one of the 26 tickets from the sheet into a container next to a basket containing items that one would like to own. A number was drawn, and you could have been the winner among those who also would have liked to have had that particular basket. There were 125 baskets that were auctioned off at a value of one-hundred dollars or more, and we had an overflow crowd of 350 people who attended the auction. Lodges, individuals and companies provided either monies to purchase the prizes, or the prizes themselves. The staff members and their families are too numerous to mention in the space allotted. However, a very special thanks goes out to Karyn and Barbara Visscher, who headed the creation of the prize baskets and organization for the event; and George and Donna Mackanin, who arranged for the catering. I also wish to thank Glenn Trautmann and Bill Phillips for transporting the baskets to Burlington; and Glenn Visscher, who created the wonderfully designed book of prizes for each table.

Most Worshipful [Larry S. Plasket is retiring](#) as Grand Secretary this April. I congratulate Larry on his many years of service as our Grand Secretary. He did a fine job for us and we wish him well in the future.

This will be my final article as your Grand Master, in the event of the election of RW Glenn R. Trautmann, Deputy Grand Master. I [appreciate all the support](#) I have received this year from all, including Lodges and Grand Lodge Officers and the Elected Line, and Members of the Charity Foundation, the employees of the Masonic Charity Foundation, and the Grand Lodge Office Staff: Brian, Ginger and Bernadette.

Sincerely and Fraternally,

William L. Morris, Jr.
Grand Master

11th ANNUAL TEDDY BEAR GOLF CLASSIC

for the benefit of

The 32nd MASONIC LEARNING CENTERS FOR CHILDREN

at Burlington Country Club, Burrs Road, Westampton (Mt. Holly), NJ

Monday, SEPTEMBER 24, 2012

11:00 AM REGISTRATION and free gifts
Complimentary warm-up at driving range

11:45 AM LUNCH Hot dogs, hamburgers, iced tea and lemonade

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LEGACY OF QUALITY CARE

Our Mission Statement states: “The Masonic Home of New Jersey’s purpose is to provide superior long-term care and enhance the quality of life of our residents, by providing a home-like atmosphere, excellent nursing care and a wide variety of activities”. The success we enjoy today reflects the 114 years of hard work and accomplishments of those who have preceded us. We have diligently worked to accomplish our mission of providing excellent health care for our residents. I am very proud to have been a part of this philosophy.



I am so very proud of the Home’s staff. They have met the challenge and have found ways to accomplish their goals. Due to this commitment, our donors believe in what we do and have made it possible for us to continue to provide first-class care for our residents.

A number of our staff have distinguished themselves by being on their professional boards, which brings recognition to them as well as the Masonic Home. I am currently the President of the Masonic


Communities and Service Association, which is the National Association of Masonic Home Administrators. This in itself reflects greatly on what we in New Jersey have been doing.

Unfortunately, 2011 was not a good year for my wife, Pat, and I, as we both lost our Fathers. Life has proven to be too short and, with all of my Masonic endeavors, Pat and I haven’t had the chance to do the things we have wanted to do. Both of ours sons have graduated from Grad school, have jobs and are now on their own. After a lot of thinking about our future, we decided that March 1, 2012 would be my last day employed at the Masonic Home so we can enter into the next phase of our lives, which will certainly include some rest, relaxation and travel.

I have been very privileged to have had the opportunity to work at what I consider the best Long-Term Care facility in the State. The Home is truly a place where “We Prove We Care” is a fact, not just our motto. Throughout the years I have been so very fortunate to have worked with some of the finest volunteers and most caring staff imaginable who have dedicated themselves to the residents, the Home and me. It has always been obvious to me that the source of the Home’s greatness and reputation is that dedication.

With the number of positive changes and new ideas going on at the Home, I feel certain that its future is secure and I am comfortable with my decision to leave. I will miss the many people associated with the Home but am thankful for the truly remarkable experience of being part of such a worthy organization, one that the entire Fraternity can be proud of.

Sincerely and Fraternally,


Douglas R. Policastro, R.Ph., LNHA

I can remember walking into the Masonic Home on December 3, 2001 as the Associate Administrator and thinking how fortunate I was to be able to be apart of the lives of so many New Jersey Freemasons and their loved ones knowing that I was about to make a difference in their lives. The feeling doesn’t get any better than that!! Now I look back on it and I have to say, “Where has the time gone”, it does feel like it was yesterday.

So many changes have happened in such a short period of time and I am proud to have been involved in all of them in one way or another, such as:

Construction of new wings and remodeling of the Medical Center;

The original concept of an “all inclusive rate” changed to a “pay as you go arrangement” for room and board was instituted;

Opening up our doors to the general public to better posture our income;

Applying for and receiving our Assisted Living license;

Involvement, from the very beginning, with the concept of Masonic Hospice Services (now called Acacia Hospice) to benefit our residents and in the surrounding three counties;

Reducing our fraternal care financial expenses;

Starting a short term rehab unit for those individuals who just had a hip or knee replacement;

Providing respite care;

Adding our first Marketing Department;

Remodeling our front entrance;

Addition of seven acres of Solar panels;

Rezoning of our property that increased the value of our property and hopefully set the stage for our CCRC project; and

Staff fund-raising events for the benefit of the residents and believe me, the list goes on.

DEPUTY GRAND MASTER'S MESSAGE



My Dear Brother,

In preparation for my tenure in the Grand East, let me share with you the agenda I will, with your assistance, institute as we celebrate the **225th anniversary** of our Grand Lodge. It will be a three-pronged program which will address the following areas: membership, Fraternal and business.

MEMBERSHIP

In order to facilitate an improvement in membership, we must look at both the current and future membership. Let's first look at our current membership. Over the years we've watched so many men join our ranks and shortly thereafter drop out of sight. There are probably a myriad of reasons for this symptom. Often it comes down to a new member not feeling a connection to his Lodge. Many years ago, a **Mentoring Program** was developed and the Lodges who are using it see a far better retention rate than those that don't. We will begin using a simple form to insure each new Brother is assigned a Mentor when he petitions a Lodge and receives the lesson pertaining to each Degree before being advanced. A Mentor should be attached to his new Brother for at least his first year of membership. It is this act of Brotherhood that will transform these new members into Brother Masons.

Sometimes a Brother falls by the wayside before he receives his Third Degree. Obviously he had an interest in the Fraternity at one point. Why that spark faded we may never know. Through personal contact we will attempt to reignite that flame in these Entered Apprentice and Fellowcraft Brothers and bring them back into the fold. I will be scheduling a **Statewide One Day Class** and these Brothers will be invited to continue in their Masonic progress. Though it will be Statewide, in order to make this a more intimate personal experience, the Degrees will be conferred at the District level all on the same day.

In addition to our lost members, there are several **unrecognized Lodges** throughout New Jersey. Many of these are composed of men who once held membership in Grand Lodges with which we had Fraternal Relations. They fled oppressive countries and landed at our shores without any Masonic papers to prove their status. Consequently, they banded together and formed their own Lodges. They took the same Obligations as you and I and continue to live upright lives. I have a committee in talks with some of them about the prospect of bringing them into the Grand Lodge of New Jersey.

FRATERNAL

There are so many examples that we have all seen or heard of Brothers helping another in their time of need. In this spirit of Brotherhood, my Grand Chaplains will be doing the work of Chaplains. They will be **visiting hospitalized Brothers and those homebound** because of illness or age. They may call on other Brothers to travel with them on these visits. I hope you will answer that call.

I will also require each Lodge to hold a **Widows' program or a memorial program** for the widows and orphans of our departed Brethren. We need to let our Masonic widows know that they are not forgotten and that we are still here for them. Additionally, each Lodge will be requested to hold a **Child ID program** during the year. We are our Brother's keeper.

BUSINESS

There are so many options a Brother has each night besides attending Lodge. If there is nothing being offered at the Lodge, you can bet that he'll find something more exciting to fill the night. In order to assist our Worshipful Masters, I am instituting a **Lodge Programs Committee**. This committee will set up a repository on the Grand Lodge website for programs a Master may borrow for use at Lodge Communications. With this new tool we should never see the words "Regular Communication" in a Trestleboard.

I am also working on our **Masonic Blood Bank**. Many years ago, as a young Freemason, I like many of you, was told that should a Mason or a member of his family need blood, they would receive it free of charge. Today, as then, the Fraternity still donates thousands of pints to 5 different blood centers in New Jersey. What most of you don't know is that it stopped being a "blood bank" several years ago. Though we make regular deposits, we are not able to make a withdrawal. There is no longer free blood for Masons. This is entirely unacceptable. These blood centers are making huge profits on our blood. I've instructed our blood bank chairman to inform each blood center that either they will offer free blood to New Jersey Freemasons and their immediate family or we will no longer hold blood drives in our Lodges. If only one center is willing to work within these parameters, they will be given the green light to cover every Masonic Blood Drive in New Jersey. No matter the outcome of this issue, we all know the importance of donating blood and I will continue to encourage each of you to do so no matter what venue is used in the future.

I've scheduled 19 **"District Meetings"** for the coming Masonic year. These will be meetings where I and other Grand Lodge Officers will visit a District and give the Brethren an update on all aspects of the Fraternity ➤

UNCONTESTED NOMINEES FOR OFFICE



Grand Master
Glenn R. Trautmann
Acacia Lodge #20
11th District



Deputy Grand Master
David A. Dorworth
Covenant Lodge #161
19th District



Senior Grand Warden
Gerald J. Sharpe
Keystone Lodge #153
23rd District



Grand Treasurer
Robert J. Sheridan, P.G.M.
Atlantic Lodge #221
23rd District



Grand Secretary
William L. Morris, Jr.
Loyalty Lodge #33
10th District



Grand Lodge Trustee
Andrew G. Churney
Mt. Holly Lodge #14
19th District



Historic Trenton Masonic Temple Trustees
George A. Chidley
Mt. Moriah Lodge #28
19th District



Historic Trenton Masonic Temple Trustees
Stephen P. Wolfson
Peninsula Lodge #99
5th District

DEPUTY GRAND MASTER'S MESSAGE

including: Grand Lodge, Masonic Charity Foundation, Acacia Hospice and Acacia Lumberton Manor. We will use a town-hall format and the Brethren will be able to ask questions on any Masonic subject. Most of these meetings have been scheduled to coincide with the District's DLI.

We have a very active and useful **Secretaries Association**. I will be asking them, with the assistance of the Grand Secretary, to implement a training program for new Secretaries. We will continue the very successful **Leadership Conference** in Elizabethtown, PA as well as the **Officer Training seminars** in Burlington.

Brethren, this is an aggressive agenda, one which I cannot accomplish on my own. I ask each of you to

embrace the program I have outlined and together we will raise our Fraternity to new heights.

Finally, I want to thank all who have been volunteering at the Historic Trenton Masonic Temple. This is your Fraternity, make the most of it.

Sincerely and fraternally,

Glenn R. Trautmann

NOMINEES FOR JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN

(Vote 1 of 3)

R.W. Richard B. Kell



Personal: Married for 34 years to my wife, Susan. We have two children: Ed, an electrical engineer, who is married and belongs to Navel Lodge #4 in Washington, D.C., and Heather, who is a teacher in Swedesboro, NJ. My

wife and I have resided in East Greenwich for 23 years.

Education: Graduated from Glassboro State College in 1974 with a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education. I also obtained my Masters Degree in Education Administration in 1980.

Professional: Taught elementary education in the Westville Public School system for 33 years, several of which I served as principal. I retired from teaching in 2007.

Masonic History:

- Raised in Paulsboro Lodge #262 in 1981
- Worshipful Master 1987, 1988
- Lodge Maintenance Trustee 1987 to present
- Past President of 21st District Masters and Wardens Association
- Worshipful Master Paulsboro Swedesboro Lodge #157 in 2002

Other Masonic Affiliations:

- Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Valley of

Southern New Jersey

- Royal Arch Mason Joshua Chapter #51
- Royal and Select Master Van Hook Council #8
- Knights Templar Cyrene Commandery #7
- Crescent Shrine
- Society of St. Johns

Grand Lodge:

- Grand Chaplain 1990
- District Deputy Grand Master 1993-1994
- Ritual Committee 2006-2011
- Vice Chairman Ritual Committee 2010-2011
- Appeals and Grievances 2008-2011
- Acacia Lumberton Manor, Inc. 2011

Statement: Brethren, I wish to serve as your next Junior Grand Warden. Education has been an integral part of my life, as a student, a teacher, and a school principal. I view the education of those in our fraternity and others' perception of us as central issues on which we need to focus in coming years.

Being a member of this great Fraternity has impacted the way I live my life in many ways. The lessons we learn throughout our Degrees—about the distinction of being a Mason—affect each of us. During the Enter Apprentice Degree, we learn the fortitude and courage to face each and every obstacle before us. Prudence regulates our lives and actions relative to present and future happiness. Temperance guards our minds against the lure of vice. We are taught to avoid excess in any habits we have. Justice is that

standard of right which enables us to give every man his due, without regard to race, color, or religion.

In the Fellow Craft Degree, we are encouraged to continue learning about liberal arts and sciences throughout our lifetimes. We are taught to follow the rules of our great Fraternity and when they are violated, that we must act to ensure that our society remains on the straight and narrow.

The Master Mason learns integrity. As a young man I was told that my word should be my bond. As Master Masons, we learn that many agreements are based on a handshake and the word of the man to whom you are talking.

Some of our Brethren enjoy using ritual to show love for our Fraternity; we all strive for perfection in saying the words correctly and in the right order. We are very proud when our Lodge does well. Ritual is a very important part of our Fraternity and is what differentiates us from other organizations. However, being a Mason is not about simply saying the correct words; living your life based on the morals and values that are taught in our Degrees is much more vital.

Combining life lessons with rituals and the teachings of the Degrees allows each of us to continue our education in Masonry. Each time I hear a degree, a lecture, an opening, or a closing, I attempt to implement one word or idea to improve my character and my actions. Using this continuing education of rituals and lessons will allow us to reflect on becoming better men and serving our Fraternity and its' future.

state licenses in Electrical, Fire Protection and Building Inspector Disciplines. I also got my Construction Official Certification.

Eventually, I became the Construction Official in Montclair. I was in complete charge of the Construction Department; from the issuance of permits thru final inspections and issuing appropriate certificates. I had a yearly budget of one million dollars and a large staff of inspectors. We issued approximately 3,000 permits a year from 1995 thru 2005.

I also handled all legal, technical and personnel issues. I was often required to appear in court and on several occasions, was subpoenaed to the Appeals, Municipal and Superior Courts since I was also the Custodian of the township's building records.

In all my career positions I have had to deal with the public, manage employees and maintain the fiscal and moral integrity that honest leadership requires. Additionally, I had to develop and even more important, to work within the budgets of these organizations.

I understand the realities of the real-world of finance, administration and leadership. As your next Junior Grand Warden I will apply these hard-learned lessons to do my part in guiding our Craft's future.

After serving Madison Lodge #93 as Worshipful

NOMINEES FOR JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN

(Vote 1 of 3)

R.W. Anthony W. Montuori

Master in 1979, I had the honor of serving the Craft as Grand Tyler in 2003. I was the District Deputy Grand Master of the 11th District for three years, from 2008 thru 2010. Currently, I am a member of the Grand Lodge Ritual Committee.

I know how to get things done. Since 2006, I have been Chairman of the Wheelchair Track and Field Committee. After evaluating the situation, I made it my goal to make the program self-sustaining.

Of course I could not do this by myself, so I sought out motivated brothers and created what is now a committee of 16 hard-working brethren dedicated to keeping the event on an ever more successful course.

It has not cost Grand Lodge a single penny.

R.W. Dennis R. Winter



Personal: Married 37 years to Joan. We have a son and a daughter. We reside in West Deptford Township, New Jersey.

Education: Graduated in 1971 from West Deptford High School, West Deptford, NJ, Gloucester County Community College, 1973, Philadelphia Technical Institute, 1974, Ford Parts and Service Division Service Management School, 1975, I.C.S.-Intext Automotive Lab Tech, Westport Connecticut, 1985.

Professional: Service Manager for Ace Ford of Woodbury, NJ. Received Lifetime Achievement Award in Strathmore's Global "Who's Who" for achievement in Leadership, Dedication and Perseverance in their profession in 2005. I retired in 1994.

Community: Volunteer on U.S.S. Battleship New Jersey, BB62.

Masonic History:

- Raised in Paulsboro Lodge #262 in 1984
- Worshipful Master in 1989
- Paulsboro Lodge #262 Ritual Instructor 1990-1991
- Lodge Trustee: 1990-1994
- President of the 21st District Past Masters, Masters and Wardens Association in 1991
- Past Secretary/Treasurer of South Jersey Past Masters, Masters and Wardens Association 1991-1993

Other Masonic Affiliations:

- Williamstown Chapter #149, Order of Eastern Star
- International Police Square Club (Associate Member)
- Past Secretary Joshua Chapter #51 Royal Arch Masons

Grand Lodge:

- District Ritual Instructor of the 21st District: 1991-1993

We have raised enough money every year to run this event at no cost to our Grand Lodge.

Under my Chairmanship, we have built up a \$10,000.00 surplus towards our next meet in 2012. The Wheelchair Chair Track and Field Event is completely self-sufficient.

I am telling you about this achievement so that you know that I have the organizational abilities coupled with real-world life experience that it takes for a Junior Grand Warden to work his way up to the ultimate leadership position. My Brothers, I have what it takes not only to get the job done, but also to select the right men to help me do it as your future Grand Master.

I also have a great personal life. I have been married to my wife, Roe, for over 40 years. We were high school sweethearts. She is without doubt my best friend. Together, we have created

- Sports Promotion Committee: 1991-1994
- Dispensations and Warrants Committee: 1991-1995
- Renewal Committee: 1993-1994
- Education Committee: 1993-1994
- Ritual Committee: 1992-1993; 1999-2002
- State of the Craft Committee: 1998-2007
- District Deputy Grand Master of the 21st District: 1995-1998

Statement: The office of Junior Grand Warden is one that none of us should ever take lightly. We all know that the winner of this election will be our Grand Master in a few short years. On one hand, as you are considering the qualifications that a candidate brings before us, you must also do your best to evaluate his character and integrity. On the other hand, he must also have a solid understanding of the operations and procedures of both our Grand Lodge and Charity Foundation. Finally, he has to have a sound working knowledge of the lodges that make up our Grand Jurisdiction.

I have spent many years in our Grand Lodge and have been blessed to serve in a variety positions. The experience I have gained has enabled me to effectively deal with every situation that has come my way. This is why I want to be your next Junior Grand Warden.

I am a "Grass-Roots" Freemason. I have never forgotten where I came from or the lessons my brothers have taught me along the way. I strongly believe in the "Brotherhood of man under the Fatherhood of God". These are the pillars of my belief. They have served as the basis of my development as a Mason. They have made me a better man, husband and father.

My Brothers, I have been an active member of my lodge since 1984 and have served our Grand Lodge since 1991. I understand the problems that are facing our lodges and the resentments that have manifested themselves with our Grand Lodge. I will work diligently to resolve this situation. We all have to come to understand that we can not move forward as a Fraternity until we have satisfactorily resolved these situations. Abraham Lincoln said, "A house divided against itself cannot stand" and my Brothers, neither can we.

a wonderful family and I am very proud of them all.

My Brothers, these are critical years. We must have the right men as our leaders. They must have practical experience that they can use to successfully handle each challenge as it comes up. At the same time they must always be looking towards and planning for our future.

I am a successful businessman, as well as an accomplished administrator and planner. I have demonstrated that I can handle any and all of the duties that will be assigned to me as your Junior Grand Warden and ultimately lead our Fraternity in my turn.

I am asking you to place your confidence in me when you step into that voting booth and remember: YOU WILL NEVER BE SORRY IF YOU VOTE FOR MONTUORI!

This being said, I will focus my energies towards creating harmony between our Grand Lodge and Subordinate Lodges, including, but not limited to the elimination of programs that are not working and the reduction of paperwork to our Lodge Secretaries. I will also help to continue the work that is being done to reduce the cost of running Grand Lodge in order to reduce the financial burden to our Lodges.

These are my goals, but I can not accomplish them without your approval and support. I do not have all the answers, far from it. I do know that there are many of you who are eager and able to lend me a hand. I will be looking for help, aid and assistance.

My professional life has gone a long way to prepare me for the Junior Warden's office. I worked in the automotive business as a New Car Dealership Service Manager. The dealership was founded in 1913 and prides itself in providing the best service to our clients. I was in charge of the full daily operations of our very successful service department, including scheduling, routing of personnel assignments, hiring and firing, budgeting, audits, inventory, time-studies, union-negotiations and most importantly, "Customer Satisfaction".

Having worked for a top-notch company with highly qualified staff will be of great value to our Fraternity as I will apply those values to my Grand Lodge service as your next Junior Grand Warden.

My Masonic life has been an extension of my professional life. I have served Paulsboro Lodge #262 as its Worshipful Master in 1989. This was followed with many other leadership positions including President of the 21st District Past Masters and Wardens Association, Secretary of Joshua Chapter #51 Royal Arch Masons, Secretary/Treasurer of the South Jersey Past Masters and Wardens Association, District Ritual Instructor and District Deputy Grand Master.

I continued serving our Grand Lodge in many leadership-related positions including the Sports Promotion, Renewal, Education, Dispensations and Warrants, Ritual and State of the Craft Committees.

With your vote, I will be able to do my part in helping to make the changes in our Grand Lodge that are making us a stronger and united Fraternity.

NOMINEES FOR MASONIC CHARITY FOUNDATION

(Vote 3 of 4)

R.W. James C. Gaul



Personal: I am married to my lovely wife Mary and we have lived in Lower Bank, Burlington County for the past 16 years. We have 7 wonderful children, 12 grandchildren, with number 13 on the way.

Education: Drexel University, 1973 Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.

Professional: Chairman and President, Eastview Trust Company. Specializing in Wealth Accumulation, Wealth Management, Tax Planning, Financial Planning and Estate Planning since 1973.

Masonic History:

- Member, H.T. Dewey Lodge #226
- Worshipful Master of H.T. Dewey Lodge #226 - 2009, 2010

- Secretary of H.T. Dewey Lodge #226 - 2011 to present
- District Ritual Instructor of the 23rd Masonic District
- 1st Vice President 23rd Masonic District Past Masters, Masters and Wardens Association
- Interim Trustee - Masonic Charity Foundation
- Member of the Board of Governors of The Children’s Dyslexia Center at Northfield

Masonic Affiliations:

- Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, Valley of Southern NJ - Excelsior Council Princes of Jerusalem
- Trinity Chapter #38 Royal Arch Masons
- Atlantic City Forest #11 Tall Cedars of Lebanon, Past Grand Tall
- Crescent Shrine, AAONMS
- Masonic Kilties of New Jersey
- South Jersey Past Masters, Masters and Wardens Association

Statement: My Brothers, as you are aware, the Masonic Charity Foundation has come a long way in the last few years; however, there is still much work to be done. The Board consists of very dedicated Masons who are working diligently to keep the Foundation financially solvent and growing during these trying economic times. My extensive background in investments and financial planning will add to the strengths of the Board and will bring a new layer of expertise in money management, asset allocation and strategic planning.

I was privileged to have been appointed an interim member of the Board in October of 2011 and so I already have several months of hands-on experience, having been placed on several financial committees.

I promise you that I will work tirelessly to help make our Foundation even stronger so that we will always be able to continue doing our good works of Charity and Brotherly Love.

R.W. Michael F. Lakat



Personal: Born New Brunswick, NJ, current residence is Ringoes, NJ.

Education: BS in Physiology; MS in Environmental Science; post-graduate work in biological aerosols.

Professional: During my 30-plus year career in government service, I have served on numerous advisory and professional committees and boards tasked with addressing such issues as: (1) low-level radioactive waste disposal; (2) communicable diseases; (3) pandemic influenza; (4) bio-terrorism; (5) agro-security; and (6) vector-borne diseases.

Masonic History:

Symbolic Lodge:
Hightstown Apollo #41 (Hightstown) - Past Master 2004; Darcy Lodge #37 (Frenchtown); Solomon’s Lodge #3 (Philadelphia); Pacific Rim Lodge #12 (Vladivostock, Russia) Life Member.

Grand Lodge:
Grand Pursuivant (2009-2010); Constitution & By-Laws Committee (2009-present).

Scottish Rite:
Valley of Central Jersey; Orator, Trenton Consistory (2011-2012); Past Sovereign Prince, Mercer Council Princes of Jerusalem (2005); Meritorious Service Award (2007); Executive Council (2006-2011), Chair, 2010-2011; Trustee (2011-2016); Valley Membership Chair (2005-2008); Coroneted Sovereign Grand Inspector General (33°), 2009; Valley Central Jersey 33° Society (President 2011-2012); New Jersey 33° Society; New Jersey Council of Deliberation, State Membership Chair (2008-present); Valley of Boston; Valley

of Philadelphia; Valley of Washington, Orient of the District of Columbia.

York Rite:

Capitular Masonry:
Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, Grand Scribe (2011-2012); Past Grand Master of the 2nd Veil (2002); Grand Representative to the Kingdom of the Netherlands (2009-present); Past High Priest of Three Times Three Chapter #5 (2003); Convention of Anointed High Priests, Recorder (2006-present); Perpetual Life Member, Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Royal Arch Masons International; Haggai Lodge of Mark Master Masons; Girard Mark Lodge #214, Life Member (Grand Holy Royal Arch Chapter of Pennsylvania); Grand Representative to North Carolina for the Grand Chapter (2003-2005).

Cryptic Masonry:
Past Thrice Illustrious Master of Gebal Council #3; Grand Marshal, Grand Council of Royal & Select Masters (2003-2004); DDGM 3rd Cryptic District, Grand Council of Royal & Select Masters (2004-2011); Council of Thrice Illustrious Masters; Order of Ish Sodi (2009); Grand Representative to Maine for the Grand Council of Royal & Select Masters.

Chivalric Masonry:
Past Grand Commander, Grand Commandery of Knights of Templar NJ (2008-2009); Chair, Jurisprudence Committee, Grand Commandery of NJ (2011-present); Past Grand Commanders Association (45ers); Knight Commander of the Temple (KCT), July 2008; Past Eminent Commander, Palestine Commandery #4; Helena Commandery #3 (Palmyra, NJ); Mary Commandery #36 (Philadelphia, PA); Life Member of Boston Commandery #3 (Boston, MA); Recorder/Treasurer of Order of Knights Preceptor (2006-present); Grand Representative to New Mexico for the Grand Commandery of NJ; Grand Encampment, Grand Commandery Coordinator, 65th Triennium.

Other York Rite Bodies:

Warder (2012-2013) Shrewsbury Priory #4, Knights of York Cross of Honour; Knight of York Grand Cross Honour - One Quadrant; Past Sovereign Master (2008), J Howard Haring Council #116 Allied Masonic Degrees; Junior General (2012), St. Stephen’s Conclave, Red Cross of Constantine; NJ College, Societas Rosicruciana In Civitatibus Foederatis, VII°, Medalist (2011); Sea of Galilee Tabernacle #6, Holy Royal Arch Knight Templar Priests; York Rite College #18, Secretary (2003-2009), Athelstan Nobility (No. 1336); Southern New Jersey Council #11 of Knight Masons; Joshua Association, Life Member & Trustee from NJ (2010-present); Pilgrim Chapel #11, Commemorative Order of St. Thomas of Acon.

Other Masonic Organizations:

Trenton Forest #4 TCL; Hunterdon Forest #13 TCL; Tall Cedars Foundation, Life Member; International Police Square Club; Talomed Grotto (now defunct); Cresent Temple, AAONMS; Hunterdon County Shrine Club, President (2004-present); Knights of Mecca; Potentate’s Aide (2007); The Society of the Saints John; Delaware Valley High Twelve Club #593; Ancient Egyptian Order of Sciots, Harold D. Elliott Pyramid #1.

Research Lodges:

Philaethes Society; Life Member, Scottish Rite Research Society; NJ Lodge of Research & Education #1786; Southern California Research Lodge; Missouri Lodge of Research; South Dakota Lodge of Masonic Research; Pennsylvania Lodge of Research, Associate Member; Silas H. Shepherd Lodge of Research #1843 (WI); Quator Coronati Correspondence Circle; Founding Member, The Masonic Society.

Other Masonic Organizations:

Life Member, Royal Order of Scotland; Life Member, Grand College of Rites of the United States of America; Grand Lodge of

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R.W. Michael F. Lakat

Pennsylvania Library & Museum; The Masonic Order of the Bath in the USA (2004-2114); Oriental Order of the Palm and the Shell 2008); Order of the Secret Monitor.

Social, Community & Civic Organizations:

Association for Intelligence Officers; National Military Intelligence Association; Military Order of the Purple Heart (Life Member); American Ex-Prisoners of War (Life Member); Special Operations Warrior Foundation; Association of the United States Army; Army “A” Club (United States Military Academy, West Point); 97th Bomb Group Reunion Association; American Legion; BPOE, New Brunswick Lodge #324; Sigma Xi-The Scientific Research Society; Friends of Historic Hudson Valley; National Heritage Museum (Lexington, MA); Hunterdon County

Historical Society; International Thomas Merton Society; Notary Public-State of New Jersey; Association for Gravestone Studies; Carpatho-Rusyn Society; Czechoslovak Genealogical Society; The Rusin Association; Statue of Liberty/Ellis Island Foundation.

Statement: Although this is my first venture into an elective Grand Lodge office, I have had the honor and privilege of serving in various leadership roles in a number of Masonic bodies. I am proud of my Masonic accomplishments, but now wish to serve the Fraternity on a different level. Shortly after submitting my petition for candidacy, I began to attend meetings of the Masonic Charity Foundation (MCF) and Masonic Hospice Services as an observer. Watching the workings of the Foundation has been a tremendous learning experience for me. It is also the best way for me to be up to speed regarding their issues and challenges in the

event of my election. During my attendance at those meetings I have come to recognize the needs and goals of the Foundation and how it relates to the Fraternity. That said, I believe that I am qualified by virtue of my experience (both Masonic and professional) to be a Trustee. As Freemasons we are charged with improving the lives of our Brothers and to lay a foundation for those who will come after. I look forward to making contributions on both of those fronts.

I sincerely and respectfully ask for your support to allow me to serve as Trustee of the Masonic Charity Foundation. Thank you.

“The true Mason labors for the benefit of those who are to come after him...Most men desire to leave some work behind them that may outlast their own day and brief generation.” — *Morals and Dogma* by III. Albert Pike

R. W. Roger Quintana, PGC



Education: State University of New York – Purchase, Bachelor of Arts - 1981; State University of New York – Purchase, Master’s Degree in Psychology - 1983; Rutgers University Certificate in Labor Relations - 2007; Registered by

the FINRA in Securities – Investments Advisor 2000 - 2011; State Licensed in all Major Insurance Line Licenses.

Professional: Financial Consultant since 1990 - 2011; County of Hudson Investigator 1990 to 2009; County of Hudson Personnel Officer 2009 - Present; AFSCME Local 2306 President 2005 till 2009; AFSCME COUNCIL 52 - Executive Board 2005- 2009; Weehawken Township – Director of Community Affairs 1985-89; Weehawken Township – Chairman Rent Leveling Board 1985-1995; U.S. Dept. of Commerce - Director of North East Operations 1985-1990.

Masonic History:

Mother Lodge:
Blue Stone Mystic Tie Malta Doric #35

- Initiated, Passed & Raised - 1993
- Master - 2004
- Secretary - 2006 to Present
- Trustee - 2010

Dual Lodge Affiliations:
Secaucus Hudson #72

- Master

Sons of Liberty #301

- Secretary - 2005
- Trustee - 2008

Atlas Pythagoras #10
Monmouth #172

Masonic Charity Foundation Trustee - 2009-2012

- Pensions and Benefits Committee 2009-2012
- Strategic Planning Committee - (Chairman) 2010

• Hospice Advisory Committee - (Chairman) 2009-2012

Meritorius Medal Awarded - 2010
Grand Chaplin - 2006

Masonic Affiliations:
Valley of Northern New Jersey – Scottish Rite as of 2000

Children’s Learning Centers - Scotch Plains Campus

- Board of Governors

Salaam Shrine A.A.O.N.M.S. – Livingston NJ as of 2001

- Ambassador as of 2001

Council of Royal & Select Masters of New Jersey

Adoniram Council #9 & Corinthian Chapter #57

- Scott Council
- Commandery of Knights Templar of New Jersey
- Trinity Commander #17

York Rite College

- Garden State College

Northern NJ Council #10 Knight Masons

- Member as of 2003

NJ DeMolay Advisor 2003–2005

- Staff - 2003

Order of the Eastern Star of New Jersey

- Nutley Chapter #121

5th District Master’s & Warden’s Association

- Vice President - 2002
- President - 2003 & 2004

5th District Past Master’s & Warden’s Association

- Past President, Past Secretary & Past Vice President

North Jersey Past Masters Association

South Jersey Past Masters Association

Ancient Egyptian Order of Sciots, New Jersey Pyramid

- Toparch 2007
- Supreme Standard Bearer 2006 to Present
- National Scot of the Year 2007 & 2008
- Deputy Pharaoh 2009 to Present

Union High Twelve Club
Society of St. John
New Jersey Police Square Club

AMD COXE Council #479

- Secretary/Treasurer, Founding Member
- Sovereign Master 2012

ARC of New Jersey

- Walk Chairman - 2003, 2004, 2005

Grand Lodge Committees

- CHIP Program (Child ID Program) - 2005 to Present
- Education & Renewal Committee - 2004 & 2005
- Strategic Planning - 2007
- Masonic Awareness - 2009 to Present

Statement: As Masons, we share the philosophy that there is more pleasure in doing for others than having others do for us. This is why I am running for another opportunity to continue serving on our Masonic Charity Foundation and asking you to re-elect me.

I will also be able to continue my work with our new Masonic Hospice Advisory Committee. My personal and professional strengths will let me continue to further our advancement and progress during these crucial and challenging times.

For the last 22 years my vocation has been with the Hudson County Department of Family Services where I have worked extensively with Medicaid and Medicare issues. I am currently serving as Personnel Officer. Additionally, I am certified in Labor Relations by Rutgers University School of Management and Labor Relations.

Prior to this, I was an administrator for the US Department of Commerce. I was also registered with the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA) as an Investment Advisor from 2000 to 2011. I currently hold all major insurance licenses in the State of New Jersey.

As your re-elected Board member, I will continue to apply all of my managerial, administrative, labor law and financial experience towards solving the many problems our Foundation faces. I will make a difference on our Masonic Charity Foundation.

NOMINEES FOR MASONIC CHARITY FOUNDATION (Vote 3 of 4)

R.W. Richard F. Schmidt



Personal: Age 67. Born in Teaneck, NJ. Married to Barbara 38 years. Resident of Basking Ridge 27 years. One married son, Bill, a member of Congdon Overlook Lodge.

Education: Bachelor in Finance, Summa Cum Laude, from

Pace University in 1974. MBA-Finance from Fairleigh Dickinson University in 1981. Continuing education in various financial and investment disciplines.

Professional: Area Executive Vice President and member of the investment committee of Gallagher Fiduciary Advisors (previously Independent Fiduciary Services, Executive VP and CFO, member of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee) providing investment consulting and fiduciary decision making to institutional (\$50 million to \$3 billion) pension, welfare, 401(k), and other tax-exempt investment funds. Previously, Assistant Treasurer of BASF Corporation responsible for short and long term financing, corporate and pension investing, cash management, and capital and strategic budgeting.

Military: US Army Security Agency Specialist 6 Russian voice intercept/interpreter; Top Secret clearance. Honorably discharged in 1968.

Masonic History:

- Elected Masonic Charity Foundation Trustee (2009-2012); Chairman of Employee Benefits Committee 2011-2012; member of Audit and Finance & Investment Committees; Trustee of Retirement Plan Trust

- William F. Burk Lodge #230, Bogota 1974. Served as Worshipful Master 1986 and officer and trustee since. Managed lodge scholarship fund since 1985.

- District Deputy Grand Master of the Third Masonic District 1990-1993.

- Dual member of Congdon Overlook Lodge #163, Bernardsville, Worshipful Master 2010 with previous service as Trustee, Treasurer, and other chairs

- Member of L.O.R.E. #1786

- Accomplished ritualist, lecturer, and ritual instructor since 1984.

- Volunteer advisor to Grand Lodge Trustees since 2008 for the investment of the General and Permanent Funds.

- Served on various Grand Lodge Committees including Finance, Temple and Lodge Finance, Renewal, Education, and Strategic Planning.

Masonic Affiliations:

- Senior DeMolay and Advisor, DeMolay Legion of Honor
- DeMolay Alumni Association
- Valley of Northern New Jersey AASR
- Salaam Temple, AAONMS
- North Jersey Past Masters Association
- South Jersey Past Masters Association

Statement: Three years ago, at a critical time in the history of our Masonic Home, I asked for your support because I felt that the Masonic Charity Foundation needed to operate more like a business with charitable goals than a charity with a few business concerns. The trustees you elected in that year and since have brought that mindset to the Board, and as a result we are now much closer to financial stability and a best practices model of governance.

The goal of maintaining the Home as a financially stable, efficient and effective health care organization is achievable, but not yet fully achieved. With today's economic stresses and market and governmental changes affecting the industry, the need for experienced and effective Board oversight and organizational management is becoming greater, not less. If we want our Home and our Charity Foundation to survive and excel in meeting its mandates to serve the fraternity and the community, we need to maintain a diverse, talented, and focused Board.

I am seeking to serve a second term as Masonic Charity Foundation Trustee because the financial talent and experience I bring to the Board continues to be absolutely essential to this objective. My professional talents and experience complement the talents of the 14 other Board members. A Trustee with expertise similar to mine is a necessary part of the management mosaic of the MCF.

We oversee as fiduciaries a \$30 million operating budget, a \$65 million endowment portfolio, and \$20 million in employee benefit assets – all responsibilities I have worked with over a 40+ year professional and executive career. My experience can continue to help the MCF control risks, manage costs, smooth cash flows, and optimize investment returns. These opportunities are meaningful: a one percent improvement in net, after cost investment returns would improve the MCF's financial picture by \$850,000 a year.

My contributions together with the rest of the Board's work have accomplished much and yet we still have much to accomplish. You elected me in 2009. I ask for your votes in 2012 to allow me to continue to be a part of accomplishing it.

THE OLD MASONIC LODGE BUILDING

The minutes of Trenton Lodge No. 5, F. & A. M., record the fact that in March, 1793, Brother Mark Thompson, a member of Harmony Lodge No. 8, F. & A. M., of Newton, Sussex County, New Jersey, had lately presented to the lodge a lot of ground on Barrack Street (now Willow Street) in Trenton.

A plan for a Masonic lodge building was presented with an estimated cost of three hundred and seventy-six pounds, fifteen shillings and ten pence.

On Monday, August 26, 1793, the corner stone of the new building was laid in ample form under the direction of the R.W. Grand Master, Brother John Beatty, a member of Trenton Lodge No. 5, F. & A. M.

Upon the completion of the building and until 1867, the communications of Trenton Lodge No. 5, F. & A. M., were held therein, as well as most of the communications of Grand Lodge until 1855.

In 1867 Trenton Lodge No. 5, F. & A. M., moved to more commodious quarters and the old stone structure passed into alien hands.

Eventually the property was acquired by the City of Trenton, under proceedings instituted by the City in connection with the straightening and widening of Willow Street.

The Masonic Historical Association of Trenton, New Jersey, composed of approximately seventy-five Masons of Trenton, was formed. This Association purchased the building from the City of Trenton, had it removed to its present site and restored.

Grand Lodge met in emergent communication on Tuesday, April 20, 1915, Most Worshipful Charles P. Russ, Grand Master, presiding, for the purpose of laying the corner stone.

At the Annual Communication on the following day, April 21, 1915, The Masonic Historical Association of Trenton, New Jersey, presented a deed to Grand Lodge for The Old Masonic Lodge Building and the property upon which it is located, with the understanding that the Grand Lodge would assume the maintenance of the same as a Masonic repository and museum for the use and benefit of the Masonic fraternity.

The gift was made without condition of any kind, but with the expressed hope that no relics of a later date than the year 1800 be placed therein.

Of particular interest is the lodge room on the second floor - especially the niche at the station of the Worshipful Master; the sunburst, the stars and moon on the ceiling, placed there in the long ago; the original Master and Wardens chairs; the original settee and many of the original side chairs.

To the left is the stately War Memorial Building dedicated "To the Soldiers and Sailors and Other Patriotic Citizens of Trenton and Mercer County as a Memorial of Their Faithful Services in Time of National Need." Just beyond is the Douglass House, in which Washington held a council of war on January 2, 1777, when it was decided to make the flank movement to Princeton.

To the right, with the golden dome of the Capital silhouetted against the sky, is the famous Old Barracks, built by the Colonists in 1758, for the purpose of quartering British and Provincial troops to resist the threatening invasion by the French and Indians and occupied during the Revolution at different times by both British and Continental troops.

The Masons of New Jersey are justly proud of The Old Masonic Lodge Building and pay tribute to those whose foresight and generosity have made possible its restoration and perpetuation.

THE NEW JERSEY FREEMASON

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MASONS IN ACTION

President of France Recognizes Mason



Summer 2011

R.W. Brother Howard C. (Hod) Housel, Col USA Ret, PM of Musconetcong Lodge No. 42, Past Grand Chaplain, and a member of National Sojourners Northern New Jersey Chapter No. 42, received in July announcement from the Consulat Général de France À New York, Philippe Lalliot, of his appointment as Chevalier of the Legion of Honor by the President of France, Mr. Nicolas Sarkozy. The President's letter stated, "This prestigious distinction underlines the deep appreciation and gratitude of the French people for your contribution to the liberation of our country during World War II. We will never forget the commitment of American heroes like you to whom France owes so much." New Jersey Freemasons are extremely proud of this well-deserved recognition of Brother Hod's over 38-year service in the United States Army.

Grand Master's Fundraiser Golf Outing - 2012

Monday, June 11, 2012

Registration — 12:00 noon

Social Get Together — 5:45 p.m.

Shotgun Start — 1:00 p.m.

Dinner, Prizes + Awards — 6:30 p.m.

Outing will be held at Sea Oaks Country Club (Conveniently located 2 miles off Exit 58 GSP - Rt. 539 - Go to www.seaoaksgolf.com for detailed directions)

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Kindly Complete This Form & Mail It With Your Check Payable To:
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Masonic Charity Foundation of New Jersey
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Burlington, N.J. 08016
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ALL DONATIONS & INFORMATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY MAY 25, 2012

Any Questions? Please contact R.W. Joseph T. Mezzina @ 609-335-1984
E-mail: seaoaksjtm@comcast.net

MASONS IN ACTION

Master Mason Celebrates 50th Anniversary

Fall 2011

R.W. Bro. Paul Schneider was honored at Olive Branch Lodge No. 16, Freehold on his 50th anniversary as a Master Mason and his distinguished service. Mr. Schneider was presented with a gold token and certificate by R.W. Richard W. Holst (left), District Deputy Grand Master of the 17th Masonic District.



Annual Holiday Turkey Donation

November 2011

Trenton Cyrus Lodge #5 made its annual holiday turkey donation to the Trenton Area Soup Kitchen (TASK) for Thanksgiving. In cooperation with Chris Dellstab of Pennington Market, they were able to donate 8 very large turkeys and 19 cans of cranberry sauce to help those in need for the holiday. Brother Lee Spencer chaired the event, and the crew at TASK was most



appreciative for the Lodge's donation, stating goods are always welcome and can be delivered to 72 Escher Street, Trenton, New Jersey.



ALL LODGE SECRETARIES ASSISTANT SECRETARIES...& PAST SECRETARIES

The Masonic Secretaries Association of New Jersey
cordially invites you to become a member.

Meetings are held three times a year (January - May - September).

The next meeting of the Association will be held at GROW HALL,
Masonic Home Campus, Burlington on

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 2012 at 9:30 am.

Join your fellow Brethren and share in discussing issues and concerns of Lodge Secretaries.

Annual
dues \$10.

For further information contact: Wayne Thomas, 29 Jackson Avenue, Northfield, NJ 08225 • Phone: 609.641.5722

MASONS IN ACTION

Wreaths Across America

date designated by the United States Congress.

The Grand Master also witnessed the presentation of thirteen Remembrance Wreaths to New Jersey Gold Star Families who were at the ceremony.

In attendance along with the Grand Master were the Major General, Commanding General of Fort Dix and Fort Devens, Mass.; Mrs. Vivian Morrison, President of The Garden Club of New Jersey; Mrs. Ann LePage, wife of the Governor of Maine; Mr. Raymond Zawacki, Deputy Director of the State Department of Veterans Affairs; Senator-elect Thompson; numerous State and Local Commanders of Veteran groups and more than 200 other residents of New Jersey.

Worshipful Brother Paul Otto played "Amazing Grace" and the Holmdel High School Concert Chorus sang "God Bless America". The High School Politics Club student presented the Remembrance Wreaths to the Gold Star Families.

On Saturday December 10, 2011 Brothers from Durand Lodge No. 179 and Olive Branch No. placed 315 wreaths on local Veterans graves in the Point Pleasant, Manasquan and the Freehold area. All these wreaths were obtained through participation in the Wreaths Across America program.

These wreaths were to REMEMBER our veterans, to HONOR their sacrifices, and to TEACH our younger generations about the high cost of our freedoms.

The Wreaths Across America tradition began 20 years ago with 5,000 wreaths being donated and placed on the headstones of our nation's heroes in the older sections at Arlington. Seven years ago the WAA program became a non-profit organization and in 2010 over 200,000 wreaths were placed on headstones in the United States as well as several cemeteries in foreign countries.

Recognition of the service and sacrifice of our veterans and their families is especially poignant during the holiday season. When was the last time a veteran and most likely a Brother Mason, from World War I had a flower placed at their headstone? The Brothers of Durand Lodge hope that this will never happen again and encourage Brothers from other New Jersey Lodges to start the Wreaths Across America program in their community.



December, 2011

On December 7, 2011, the 70th Anniversary of Pearl Harbor, Grand Master William L. Morris, Jr. joined more than 35 Masons at two locations in New Jersey to participate in wreath laying ceremonies and to remember and honor veterans who have served their country and in some cases paid the ultimate price - of losing their life.

The first of these two ceremonies was held at Liberty State Park where seven Ceremonial Wreaths were placed at the Liberation Monument. Each wreath represented a branch of the Armed Services and MIA/POW's. The Grand Master was joined by more than 75 people who were in attendance.

The second ceremony was held at the Vietnam War Memorial in Holmdel. At this ceremony placed the ceremonial wreath representing the United States Army. Brother Milton Ziment of Asbury Jordan Lodge No.142 offered the opening prayer.



The Wreaths Across America program sponsored the program and included the two New Jersey stops of the convoy which traveled from Maine to the National Cemetery at Arlington Virginia. This year more than 220,000 wreaths will be placed on graves at Arlington on December 10th, the second Saturday of December, a



MASONS IN ACTION

Toys for Kids with Cancer at Ronald McDonald House

December 15, 2011

Although cancer is a terrible disease in the young and old, it is just devastating to see babies and young children suffer with cancer. Together with a few brothers who agreed to jump on board with this charity and help with this project. On December 15th, 2011 Brother Rich DiVittorio, Brother Fellowcraft Lee Ivanisky and I went to the Ronald McDonald House in Philadelphia with a Ford Excursion filled with books and toys for the kids.

We met with Doug Metcalf, the house operator, who gave us a tour of the magnificent house. It was very touching to see pictures of some of the kids that were there, and those who are still there. Hopefully, we can make this effort bigger every year, with the brothers' Help!

There are three additional brothers that need to be thanked. They are: DB Bill Merrick, Brother Marty DePano and Brother Eric Mitcheltree. Without their help, this endeavor would not have been so successful. Thank you, Brothers, from the bottom of my heart!



Pictured, left to right, are Bro. DiVittorio, Doug Metcalf, Bro. Rush and Bro. FC Ivanisky.

Patriots Week and Blood Drive

December 27-31, 2011

Mercer Lodge No. 50, hosted their Annual Patriots Week festivities and Blood Drive with brethren from Gothic Fraternal Lodge No. 270, Trenton Cyrus Lodge No. 5, and Horizon Daylight Lodge No. 299, along with Capitol Chapter order of DeMolay Boys and Trenton Assembly No. 9 Rainbow Girls volunteered along with their Advisors, to make this event a tremendous success. The Event Coordinators are RW Walter Krichling, GC, and Bro. Joseph F. Seliga.

The event was held from Tuesday, December 27th through Saturday, December 31st, 2011. The visitors were treated to informative tours of the Historic Trenton Masonic Temple, informative lectures on the Battle of Trenton, and a history of Masons during the Civil War, with the re-enactors being treated to a hot lunch prepared & served by Worshipful Master, David Catana and the brethren of Gothic Lodge No. 270, Saturday, December 31st, 2011.

Mercer Lodge No. 50 hosted a dedicated blood drive on Saturday, December 31st, 2011, to benefit John Pakosinski, son of Joseph Pakosinski, Worshipful Master of Wyckoff Lodge, and the grandson of John Margroff,

PDDGM of the 2nd District, who is in need of numerous pints of blood for future surgeries he will undergo, and was assisted by Worshipful Master Gary C. Schuck, II, RW Earl H. Reeder, DDGM & RW Jack K. Smith, DRI 15th District, Bro. Larry Craver, WB Erwin Teichmann, of the 15th District Masonic Blood bank

The Community Blood Council of Ewing, NJ set up their bloodmobile for donors. All the donors received a Certificate of Appreciation for their unselfish gift of life. There was also a photo opportunity, in which attendees could have their picture taken with the re-enactors.

The many brethren of the 15th Masonic District aided by the DeMolay boys and Rainbow girls, have been unselfishly supporting this worthwhile charity event since the inception by Mercer Lodge No. 50 several years ago.

It is in this spirit of unselfishly giving of time, energy and assistance that make events like this a huge success. Below, RW Earl H. Reeder, DDGM of the 15th District surrounded by many Brothers, PMs, RWs, Capital Chapter DeMolay Boys, Trenton Assembly No. 9 Rainbow Girls and their advisors, that worked the event to make it a huge success.



MASONS IN ACTION

The Feast of St John's



December 10, 2011

The Feast of St John's was held at Fellowship Hall in Burlington. The actors of the Scottish Rite performed the re-enactment of the Grand Lodge of New Jersey Founding Fathers conducting the very first Lodge Meeting in the State.

The Lewis Jewel

January 12, 2012

MW Grand Master William L. Morris was presented with a Lewis Jewel at Alpine Tilden Tenakill Lodge No. 77, Tenaflly NJ on January 12, 2012. A past master of ATT initiated the legislation last year at Grand Lodge that made the jewel official regalia within the Grand jurisdiction of New Jersey. A Lewis Jewel signifies Masons whose son, father or grandfather, are or were Masons in good standing. The M.W. Grand Master Morris' jewel has four bars: for his two grandfathers, Andrew Smith and Frank A. Morris, his father William L. Morris, Sr., and of course the Grand Master himself.

It is the tradition of ATT Lodge to present an eligible GM with the Lewis Jewel. Freemasonry is based on family values and tradition, and it is not uncommon for families to carry Masonic membership through several

generations. When the son or father of a Mason proudly wears the Lewis Jewel, it ought to impress upon all of us this same moral, and it personifies the final words of our Charge – "From generation to generation".



Pictured, left to right: RW Clive S. Pearce, WM David I. Steiner, MWGM William L. Morris, Jr.

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In the event of the election of
RIGHT WORSHIPFUL GLENN R. TRAUTMANN
as Grand Master of Masons for the State of New Jersey at the
225th Annual Communication of this Grand Lodge on April 5, 2012, the Brethren,
their ladies and friends are cordially and fraternally invited to attend the following:

GRAND MASTER'S INSTALLATION

Thursday, April 5, 2012 @ 2:00 PM

Bally's Atlantic City – Convention Room
1900 Pacific Avenue, Atlantic City, NJ

GRAND MASTER'S RECEPTION

Saturday, April 21, 2012 @ 7:30 PM

Masonic Fellowship Center, 1114 Oxmead Road, Burlington, N.J.

4:00 PM Church Service, Masonic Home Chapel

5:00 PM Social Hour 6:00 PM Dinner

\$50.00 per Person

Admission to the banquet is by advance reservation only. No tickets will be sold at the door.
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GRAND MASTER’S CALENDAR

O.V. - Official Visit P.V. - Personal Visit G.M.O. - Grand Master Only

APRIL, 2012

- 5 Grand Master’s Installation
- 11 Acacia Lodge No. 20 - P.V.
- 16 Meeting with Past Grand Masters
- 18 Masonic Charity Foundation Board Meeting/
Deputy School
- 21 Grand Master’s reception Fellowship Center,
Burlington
- 25 GLI 22nd District
- 30 District Meeting 3rd District

MAY, 2012

- 1 GLI 5th District
- 3-5 Amaranth Convention
- 6-8 Grand Lodge of New York
- 8 Acacia Lumberton Board Meeting
- 8 GLI 23rd District
- 10-13 Tall Cedars of Lebanon – Wildwood Crest
- 10 Knight Masons
- 12 AASR Reunion - Bordentown
- 15-17 Eastern Star Convention
- 16 Masonic Charity Foundation Board Meeting/
Deputy School
- 17 GLI 12th District
- 23 Reception 1st District
- 24 District Meeting 21st District
- 26 Memorial Day Parade Morris Plains
- 30 Sons of Liberty Lodge Table Lodge
- 31 GLI 4th District

JUNE, 2012

- 2-3 Masonic Wheelchair Track and Field
- 3 Justice Lodge Scholarship Dinner
- 4 5th District Scholarship Dinner
- 5 Reception 24th District
- 6 10th District Scholarship Dinner
- 7 GLI 17th District
- 7 District Meeting 11th District
- 8-10 DeMolay Convention - Wildwood
- 11 Grand Master’s Golf Outing –
Sea Oaks Country Club
- 12 Reception 17th District
- 13 District Meeting 12th District
- 14 GLI 18th District
- 16 Officers’ Training Seminar (Masters,
Wardens, Deacons) – Burlington
- 18 GLI 2nd District
- 19 Reception 18th District
- 20 Masonic Charity Foundation Board Meeting/
Deputy School
- 21 District Meeting 5th District
- 24-7/1 Grand Master’s Cruise to Bermuda

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Robert R. Tweedie, Jr.	Brearley	2	11/11/11	Eugene F. Vinyard	Penns Grove - Excelsior	54	11/13/11
John E. Watts	Cincinnati	3	11/18/11	Lowell D. Buck	USS New Jersey	62	11/11/11
Stanley I. Gold	Trenton Cyrus	5	11/30/11	Charles S. Kennard	USS New Jersey	62	12/23/11
David A. Hopkins	Trenton Cyrus	5	11/30/11	Ellwood E. Seelman	Star	65	11/18/11
Frederick R. Wyckoff	Trenton Cyrus	5	1/11/12	Robert L. Thomas	Star	65	12/1/11
Gary J. Davis	Host	6	12/10/11	Richard T. Meyers	Lessing - Passaic	67	1/22/12
Carl W. Monn	Host	6	12/25/11	Henry Y. Hill	Vineland	69	11/8/11
John A. Battershall	Essex	7	12/27/11	Donald S. O’Reilly	Adoniram	80	12/23/11
Royal K Hella	Essex	7	12/6/11	Samuel A. Reed	Glassboro	85	11/20/11
Duane S. Kennedy	Essex	7	12/16/11	Norman L. White	Glassboro	85	11/12/11
Allan J. Lyon	Essex	7	1/7/12	James H. Doney, Jr.	Genesis	88	11/1/11
Louis S. DeLitizia, Jr.	Harmony	8	10/25/11	Thomas C. Richards, Jr.	Genesis	88	12/25/11
William H. Pooley	Harmony	8	11/25/11	Harry M. Joughin	Ocean	89	12/3/11
Allan B. Gilligan	Navesink	9	10/22/11	Philip T. Sproul	Madison	93	12/20/11
Robert B. Bennington	Livingston	11	12/24/11	Robert W. Seaman	Collingswood - Cloud	101	11/8/11
Emanuel Forlenza	Livingston	11	10/22/11	Clyde F. White	Palestine	111	1/17/12
Bernard J. Pickett	Amwell	12	12/21/11	James C. Johnson	Merchantville	119	12/15/11
John E. Van Fleet	Amwell	12	12/8/11	William J. Schmidt, Sr.	Merchantville	119	11/7/11
William R. Smull	Warren	13	11/1/11	Albert A. Seyther	Mozart	121	1/23/12
Richard L. Washer	Mount Holly	14	12/10/11	Harry Olsen	Mount Zion	135	11/1/11
Wilmer O. Hall	Haddonfield - Cherry Hill	15	10/21/11	Jess W. Jones	Euclid	136	11/8/11
Everett S. McLaren	Olive Branch	16	10/25/11	James H. Jeffery	Orpheus	137	10/20/11
Hans E. Conrad	Acacia	20	12/13/11	Robert H. Grant	Woodstown	138	11/14/11
Arthur J. Evans	Acacia	20	11/3/11	Joseph W. Frazier	M.B. Taylor	141	11/7/11
John A. Pallis	Acacia	20	11/8/11	Homer H. Pratt	M.B. Taylor	141	10/24/11
Ira D. Dorian	Azure Masada	22	12/31/11	John J. Roy	Mariners	150	12/17/11
Russell H. Lyles	Azure Masada	22	12/24/11	Robert I. Elms	Musconetcong	151	12/19/11
David D. Dulack	LaFayette	27	12/13/11	Joseph Kloss, Jr.	Musconetcong	151	10/28/11
Thomas Kress	LaFayette	27	12/4/11	David A. Romaine	Musconetcong	151	11/24/11
William H. Macfie	LaFayette	27	10/20/11	Charles D. Treloar	Musconetcong	151	12/6/11
Henry W. Pfeifer	LaFayette	27	10/27/11	Harold E. Tiedeman	Boiling Spring	152	12/2/11
Walter T. Fosbrook	Mount Moriah	28	10/23/11	Grant R. Horton	Mountain View	154	11/11/11
Lawrence B. Koch	Mount Moriah	28	11/29/11	Jacob Mierop, Jr.	Mountain View	154	11/21/11
Francis E. Cook	Burlington	32	11/19/11	F. Lee Buchanan, III	Paulsboro - Swedesboro	157	10/25/11
John B. Watts	Burlington	32	1/23/12	Dale L. Parks	Kittatinny	164	11/16/11
Gerald C. Uhde	Loyalty	33	10/28/11	Hans H. Fichtler	Silentia	168	11/19/11
Charles J. Gardner	Blue Stone - Mystic Tie - Malta Doric	35	11/2/11	Roger W. Hecht	Silentia	168	1/16/12
Anthony F. Kalogera	Blue Stone - Mystic Tie - Malta Doric	35	1/28/12	Robert H. Kelm	Temple	173	11/21/11
Joseph F. Oddo	Blue Stone - Mystic Tie - Malta Doric	35	11/1/11	Michael DiStefano	Medford	178	11/23/11
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Frederick E. Gillen	Princeton	38	12/30/11	Walter G. Raps	Whitehead	184	12/10/11
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Arthur W. Boyer	Raritan Valley	46	12/23/11	Eric L. Milne	Hiram T. Dewey	226	12/21/11
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Marvis H. Morrison	Raritan Valley	46	12/10/11	Warren R. Johnson	Laurel	237	12/10/11
William R. Reinhardt	Raritan Valley	46	11/9/11	Raymond F. Cribley	William L. Daniels	269	11/6/11
Byron L. Reppert	Raritan Valley	46	11/18/11	George H. Stevens	Gothic - Fraternal	270	12/4/11
Harry A. Mulder	Mercer	50	12/12/11	Robert J. Derco	Garfield	276	12/18/11
Britton W. Palmer, Jr.	Mercer	50	12/20/11	Lawrence W. Mervine	Maple Shade - Moorestown	281	1/4/12
W. Boyd Harbourt	Phillipsburg	52	11/18/11	James W. Jeffrey	Sextant	286	11/13/11
Norman Cline	Penns Grove - Excelsior	54	10/24/11	Leslie M. Green	Wyckoff	287	11/30/11
				Richard Marshall	Wyckoff	287	12/30/11
				Wayne R. Rupert	Sunrise	288	10/22/11
				Douglas A. Newlin	Milltown	294	12/6/11

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