

**Halifax Amateur Radio Club  
General Meeting Minutes  
19 OCT 2016**

**Meeting convened:** 20:17

**Present:** DTR, QD, ZAC, JMA, JEH, VA3IIF, HGR, ZC, Simon (self study student), WO, AJP, CAW, PQ, VA1ARN, Amanda, LDL, RUS, CEN, BMF, GFA, JG, CC, JHF, CU, ALW, LRL, VE6TMR.

Jeff – VE1ZAC for entertainment speaking on logging programs.

**Silent Keys:** VE1AAJ, Bentley Donald Fullerton

**Treasurers Report:** Delivered by Jim VE1JG

Motion for approval by JG, Seconded by Howard DHD  
Motion carried.

1<sup>st</sup> reading of budget by Jim JG.

Motion to accept budget as presented (first reading)

Seconded by Scott QD

Motion carried.

Brian presented the news that the club has been given until June to find a place to move to. The city plans to break ground for the new building in September of 2017. The city has told us we no longer fit their criteria to be allowed back into in the new building.

**Maritime Museum of Atlantic:** The museum has changed their hours so we have to adjust our operating times at the station.

**Basic Course:** we have 21 students in the class plus a few self study students as well. It's progressing well.

Scott QD told those assembled about the NS Lighthouse Preservation society and their request for the Halifax Club to assist them in their efforts. There is interest in the idea.

Brian also mentioned the upcoming 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Halifax Explosion, as well as the anniversary of Vimy Ridge. There will be special call signs available for these events.

Brian has received a list from Dave VE1AJP about the requirements for the radio kits for HATS, and it looks like the city grant

**SAR/EMO:** Dave AJP recounted about the human remains found recently and their involvement.

Big mock search this weekend.

**Membership:** Howard DHD relayed that we have just hit 152 members total.

**From the floor:** Sable Island on the air, propagation reports,

50/50: Graham VE1GFA Superstore GC

Door prize: George VE1CAW \$20

**Meeting adjourned:** 2107

Respectfully submitted

Jeremy Fowler  
VE1JHF  
Acting Secretary

