SPACE CENTER ROTARY BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING SEPTEMBER 2, 1997

1. Called:

0700

2. Location:

Nassau Bay Hilton Hotel

Members present:

Donnie Johnson, President

Ron Blilie, Secretary

Dave Baldwin, Sgt. @ Arms

Sandy Sausley
Johnny Gibson
Dick Hergert

Dick Gregg, Vice President Bill Geissler, Treasurer Claire Taylor

Suzi Howe Tamera Anderson Ava Lunsford

Visitors present:

Vic Maria

Rick Clapp

Secretary's report:

Presented by the Secretary and accepted with corrections.

6. Treasurer's report:

Presented by the Treasurer and accepted.

7. Membership report:

Resignations:

Ray Pawlikowski

Inductees:

None

New members:

None

8. Rotary International District Raffle - Dick Gregg

Dick Gregg has tickets for the raffle at \$10 each. Rotarians are asked to buy/sell 10 tickets each.

9. Wings Over Houston - Bill Geissler

Scheduled dated is September 27 & 28, 1997. We will be allowed to sell our afgans at Wings Over Houston.

 Ron Blille made the motion that the Club purchase a one time, 1/4 page ad in the Rotary International District newspaper. The motion was seconded by Dave Baldwin and approved. 11. Vic Maria presented a motion to the Board for the approval of George Abbey as an Honorary member of the Space Center Rotary Club. Ron Blille seconded the motion. The motion was passed.

Other discussions:

- Suzi Howe requested that the Club Endowment Fund statement of account and the status of Paul Harris matching account be presented to the Board on a regular basis.
- 2. Ron Blille was asked to work with the Membership committee to determine those badges that are missing from the box and send letters to the members reminding them to return and wear their badges.
- 3. At the Rotary meeting on September 29th, committee chairpersons will be asked to present a **short** briefing on their committee's goals and plans for the year. Directors should be prepared to back up any missing chairpersons.
- 4. The FINAL budget meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 9, 1997 to review and approve the 1997-98 budget.
- 5. Claire Taylor proposed the Club form a Literacy committee. An initial activity would be to support the Harris County Youth Village book drive.
- 6. The next Board meeting will be October 7, 1997 at 0700.

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald K. Blilie, Secretary