

## **ACRE Minutes Oct 19, 2011**

### **EXECUTIVE BOARD Meeting 10 am**

1. Francis Bradley recommended that Jim Nichols be appointed to Chair the new membership committee of ACRE. Frank Hester 2<sup>nd</sup>, the Board Unanimously approved
2. Discussion was held about many ACRE members being confused on when their dues were required. Some Board members suggested ACRE adopt one month of the year for all dues to be received. Frank Hester stated he did not want to change the way he was doing the dues. No further discussion on this at this time.
3. Sect. Mike Lee read the letter requesting the Administration and City Council to not change the pension for retired Disabled City Employees, or the widows of City Employees who were killed in the line of Duty. The Board unanimously approved that the letter be sent to all Council members, the Mayor, the CEO, and the Director of Human Resources.
4. Frank Hester asked that we not have a large Christmas Party this year, but just provide snacks and soft drinks. The Board approved that.

### **GENERAL MEETING 12 NOON Oct 19, 2011**

Pearl Gibson was the guest at our meeting. She answered questions on the Open Enrollment. She also had a representative from Cigna with handouts of the Providers in the Tennessee, Arkansas, and Mississippi area.

Clyde Keenan's office manager was in attendance and notarized any affidavits that needed to be. Pearl allowed Matthew Tomek the Secretary Treasure of the MFA to check over these affidavits and take them up for her. She then took them back to City Hall for our members.

The meeting was informative and helped a lot of retirees from the feedback given.