

UNITED STATE PARACHUTE ASSOCIATION  
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING  
Dallas, Texas, July 10-12, 2009

**MINUTES OF THE GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

**1. Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order by President Jay Stokes at 7 p.m. The President inquired and it was determined by the Secretary that a quorum was not present in person or by proxy. A quorum of 10 percent of the membership is required for conducting business at the General Membership Meeting.

**2. Adjournment**

A motion was presented by Vice President, John DeSantis to adjourn, which was seconded and passed unanimously (**Motion#1**). The meeting was officially adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

**3. Open Forum**

The Executive Director's report was presented by Mr. Ed Scott.

The Board of Directors and staff present conducted an informal open discussion session with the members in attendance. Introductions were made by the gallery and the Board.

The President and Vice President presented USPA tenure certificates and performance awards to members. The President, Jay Stokes, was also presented with the Štefan Banič Parachute Foundation Gold Medal. It was presented by Slavo Mulik and Carol Schlichtemeier.

Respectfully submitted: Sherry Butcher, Secretary