InterCity Amateur Radio Club Monthly Meeting – April 5, 2019

President Duane, K8MDA, called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

<u>Health and Wellness</u> – Dick Fletcher, N8CJS, read Henry Koenigs' obituary.

<u>Minutes</u> – Duane, K8MDA, noted some corrections to call signs. Dave, N8DPW, moved to accept minutes with corrections. John K8NJ, seconded motion. Approved

<u>Financial report</u> – Danny, W8DLB, moved to accept. Seconded by Matt, K8IDF. Approved.

Membership – Currently at 46 members.

Education -

PIO -

<u>Tech Committee</u> – The club has an antenna at VASU that we didn't know about. Duane, K8MDA, will pick-up. Dave, N8DPW, met with Jamie at VASU and discussed repair of club's equipment. Motion made by Scott, N8SY, to purchase new 150 watt power amplifier instead of repairing what we have. Seconded by Tom, KB8UXS. Approved.

ARES – Danny, W8DLB, SkyWarn is changing to counties instead of districts. SkyWarn DMR net has been added. SKyWarn classes will be held in the fall. Spring/summer SkyWarn classes will be taught as webinars on April 16, 17, and 18 or you can watch them on YouTube. Spotter cards will no longer be issued.

ARES – NVIS day will be the South Park cabin.

There is a plan to test antennas on Mt. Jeez. Date to be determined.

A plaque is being made for the ARES trailer to honor Henry, WD8Q

Ham of the Year Banquet will be held May 9, at Diner 39. Time 6:00 pm. Make your reservations through the website.

<u>ARRL</u> – Scott, N8SY gave an explanation of using the ARES website.

Old Business -

New Business -

Duane, K8MDA, reminded us that elections for President, Vice President Board Member and Secretary will be held at the June Meeting and asked for a volunteer for the nomination committee. Jenny Taylor volunteered.

Danny, W8DLB, made a motion to adjourn the meeting, second by Jerry, KC8HDP. Meeting adjourned at 8:26 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Yonally, KB8YPW, Secretary, InterCity Amateur Radio Club