

**WWIIHRS Southern National Event Meeting**  
**Branson, Missouri**  
**10 November 2007**

Attending via conference call were President Elliott James, Secretary Jonathan Stevens, and approximately ten HRS members in Branson, Missouri.

The meeting was called to order at 3:35 pm.

President Elliott James gave a state of the HRS address, summarized as follows:

Almost 1000 members

16 new unit were added in 2007

The treasury stood at \$17,050 with the single largest expense being the Edge.

For each member the insurance cost about \$7 for insurance.

A goal of the BOD has been to cut costs.

The two main problems of the year were the accident at the 2006 National and a case of a uniform theft which were both resolved.

The HRS did have insurance for the year.

The audit produced no evidence of wrong doing.

The Floor was opened to questions.

A member asked why Stephanie Batroni had been subject to more than one authenticity inspection at Rockford. The response was that there was no plan to single out Ms. Batroni at Rockford. However, the civilian reenactors and women reenactors were subject to an authenticity inspection unlike in previous years.

Tim Scherer reported that the battle had approximately 35 explosions, about 80 people were registered for the battle, and about 500 spectators were in attendance.

At 3:55 the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Secretary Jonathan Stevens