

ST.JOHN'S COUNTY CIVIC ROUNDTABLE
MINUTES OF MEETING

February 9, 2015

The meeting was called to order by President Lofgren at 9:00 am.
The minutes of the January 12, 2015 meeting were accepted.

The treasurer reported a balance of \$1443.94 with a total of two paid members. She passed out membership renewal forms to all who were present.

Bill McCormick introduced Pat Hamilton from the South Anastasia Civic Association. Pat is also Vice President of the Friends of Matanzas. Pat spoke on estuaries and their relation to the Oceans. He discussed the efforts to obtain a National Marine Sanctuary off the coast of Northeast Florida. This sanctuary would be totally in federal waters. He sought the support of the Civic Roundtable for this sanctuary.

President Lofgren introduced the guest speaker, Michael Wanchick, County Administrator who spoke on the county budget. Mike discussed the problems the county will be facing in the future with increased needs and limited resources. He felt it is important to let the residents know what their choices are regarding services and resources in order to make decisions reflecting the needs of the county. He announced a meeting on Thursday, February 12, 2015 at 6:30 pm to discuss this issue. The meeting will be at the County Administration Building.

Other business:

A motion was made and passed to donate \$100.00 to the ARC of St. Johns County to partially fund a mobility chair for one of the ARC clients.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Ed Olsen

Secretary