## **CERT Minutes** 1/18/2023

Prior to the meeting, A "Stop the Bleed" presentation was given to residents by Steve and Sharon Litschauer and others from Manatee County Emergency Management.

## **CERT Meeting**

Attendance: Dan and Mary Lou Smith, Marie Young, Tom Briggle, Steve Watkins, John and Carol White, Charlie Rizzo, John Riberio, Sharon Denson, Laura Freese

Laura began the meeting (11:05 am) with the pledge to the flag.

Treasurer's report: We have \$3,039.11 in our account as of today

Members authorized the purchase of 6 12" electric frying pans (\$34.99 each) and 12 silicone pancake turners (\$5.99) each for our breakfast. Mary Lou will purchase the items and we will have them for the Feb. breakfast.

There was a discussion about residents coming early to the breakfast. Some suggestions were floated, such as not being at the cooking stations prior to 9:00, not taking tickets before 9:00, inviting early residents to sit down and have a cup of coffee while waiting. We will discuss further at the breakfast meeting prior to the breakfast. (The breakfast meetings are the Wednesday prior to the breakfast at the beach at 10:00 am.)

## **Business for next meeting:**

Disposal of surplus equipment.

Meeting adjourned at 11:20 AM

Mary Lou Smith

Secretary