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AGENDA

6:09 Lodge Opening

6:30 Admit the tardy

6:34 Welcome Guests

6:39 Sickness & Sorrow

6:44 Tidings

6:49 Petitions Read and
Assigned to Investigating
Committee

6:54 Brother Senior Deacon
Reports on Visitations

6:56 Vote to amend Budget
to include Bank Charges
from credit-card purchases

7:00 Ritual of Initiation First
Section

8:00 Refreshment

8:45 Ritual of Initiation Sec-
ond and Third Sections

9:30 Raise Lodge to Third
Degree

9:35 Start Lodge Closing

9:45 Read & Approve min-
utes

10:15 Gavel

MESSAGE FROM THE EAST

Thirty Brothers and their gentlemen guests enjoyed another delicious meal presented by Junior Warden Michael Wishart, Bro. Pierre-Paul, Bro. Draine, and Chef W.: Bro. Kevin Murphy. The headline of the evening featured the dishwashing machine breaking down and Brothers taking extraordinary measures to store away less-than-clean table settings until we met again the following Monday at a combined Officer Meeting and impromptu dishwashing extravaganza.

Our December "Annual Communication" fulfilled the requirements of our By Laws. Audit Committee Chairman Brother Donald Rifkin, supported by Brothers Gary Anzalone and Hubert Delany subsequently submitted their Audit of the Lodge records, and I herewith have attached the Roll Call, which Brother Secretary Art Paolillo prepared for the Annual Meeting. We sadly voted to unaffiliate four Brothers for non-payment of dues; however, we hope that they will subsequently resolve their debt to the Lodge and return as Masons in good standing before long.

I continue to attach our Budget Report to each communication as promised to ensure transparency of the Lodge's expenses. The "budget" is more a record of operations in an Excel Workbook, which shows you on the first worksheet the summary net income or net loss to date. Note that one worksheet (Trestle Board) provides what should be in every communication. It is my hope that we will finish creating the traditional look of the Lodge Communication on our new Website presently.

Lastly, I have by order of M.:W.: William J. Thomas, Grand Master, attached his Edict, which affects our plans for the website, since the Edict addresses restrictions on recording Masonic information in the digital media – a reminder of our solemnly sworn promise upon initiation into Masonry.

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TRESTLEBOARD

**Awaiting a Report from
The Investigating Committee**
(none)

**Awaiting the Degree of
Entered Apprentice**

Mr. Jaime Bataneur

Sponsored by

Bro. Kenneth E. Rhodes, Jr.

Mr. Gabriel M. Calderon

Sponsored by

Bro. Gary M. Anzalone

Mr. William R. Davison

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Mr. Diego Nieto

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Bro. Orlando L. Velez, S.D.

Mr. Driton Shala

Sponsored by

Bro. Edward J. Sanders, S.W.

**Awaiting the Degree of
Fellocraft**

Bro. Hubert D. Delany, E.A.

Bro. James E. Short, E.A.

Bro. Thomas O. Wesson, E.A.

**Awaiting the Degree of
Master Mason**

Bro. Robert A. Esqueda, F.C.

Bro. Christopher R. Quimby, F.C.

THE DEGREE OF ENTERED APPRENTICE

Monday, January 4, 2016

THE FIRST SECTION OF THE FIRST DEGREE

IN THE EAST

Master: W.: Robert J. Mahony, P.M.

Chaplain: W.: Kevin M. Murphy, P.M. **Senior Deacon:** Bro. Orlando L. Velez

Marshal: Bro. Kenneth E. Rhodes, Jr.

IN THE WEST

Senior Warden: Bro. Edward J. Sanders

Senior Master of Ceremony: Bro. Warren C. Hershkowitz

Junior Master of Ceremony: Bro. James Lawrence, III

Junior Deacon: Bro. Wyeth Fetterman **Tiler:** Bro. Ricardo Hernandez

INTHE SOUTH

Junior Warden: Bro. Michael S. Wishart

Senior Steward: Bro. Edward Pierre-Paul

Junior Steward: Bro. Jason P. Draine

IN THE PREPARATION ROOM

V.: W.: John J. Heck, P.A.G.L., Acting Secretary

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

The Apron Lecture: Bro. Diego R. Redondo

The Working Tools: Bro. Gary M. Anzalone

THE SECOND SECTION OF THE FIRST DEGREE

The Lecture of Forms and Ceremonies:

Bro. Michael S. Wishart, J.W. & Bro. Wyeth Federman, J.D.

The Lecture of Reasons

Bro. Wyeth Federman, J.D. & Bro. Orlando L. Velez, S.D.

The Bible Presentation: Bro. Jason P. Draine, J.S.

The Historical Lecture: W.: Robert J. Mahony, W.M.

The Charge: W.: Adam F. Smith, Jr., P.M.

THE CANDIDATES AND CONDUCTORS

Mr. Jamie Bataneur ❖ Bro. Diego R. Redondo

Mr. Gabriel M. Calderon ❖ Bro. Gary M. Anzalone

Mr. William R. Davison ❖ Bro. Hubert C. Delany

Mr. B. Gordon LaForge ❖ V.: W.: John J. Heck, P.A.G.L.

Mr. Diego Nieto ❖ Bro. Robert L. Carducci

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