



AFIO NEW MEXICO CHAPTER

December 2024 Newsletter

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THIS MONTH'S MEETING -- WED. 11 December 2024

Sunnyside Up Café
6909 Menaul Blvd (East of Louisiana)

1100: Sign-In/Order Lunch 1130: Call to Order 1300: Adjourn

SPEAKER:

Robert (Bob) Hull, Principal Engineer,
Los Alamos Technical Associates, Inc.

TOPIC:

A presentation on Military Activities in an Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) and Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ).

He will explain what military activities are allowed in a country's EEZ, and the legal status of an ADIZ. In 1950, the US was the first to establish ADIZs: the Contiguous US ADIZ (with Canada), the Alaskan ADIZ, the Guam ADIZ, and the Hawaii ADIZ. The US established the Japanese ADIZ in 1951 transferring it to Japan in 1969. The US also established the South Korean ADIZ in 1951. Bob will also provide some examples of recent transgressions by foreign countries into the North American zones.

Last meeting report:

We had 8 members and 2 guest in attendance at our Nov. 13 meeting.

Meeting started at 1139 with Steve L. leading the Pledge and Jeff B. giving the Invocation.

At 1307 a Motion to Adjourn by Richard S. seconded by Jeff B. and passed unanimously.

Treasure Report by Richard S.:

\$1,105.24 Oct. Beginning Balance. One donation last month at \$25, No Expenses. Ending balance \$1,130.24.

Presentation:

Robert (Bob) Hull, gave an overview of DNA terms before showing a video on *Forensic DNA Investigation- The Past, Present, and the Future of DNA, Annual Radcliffe Science Symposium*

Upcoming Meetings:

Jan. 8th – TBD, Robert collecting for 2025 Chapter dues at \$25.00

Feb. 12th – TBD, Robert collecting for 2025 Chapter dues at \$25.00

Mar. 12th – TBD, Form a nomination committee for all Chapter Officers.

Apr. 9th – TBD, Get the slate of candidates from the committee.

May 14th – TBD, Members Vote for Officer candidates.