

SIR Branch 93  
Aviators Restaurant/Airport Lower Conference Room  
Monday, March 16, 2026, at 10:25AM

BEC Members Present:

Big Sir (BS) Connor Chin, Little Sir (LS) Glenn Bielefelt, Mike Husak (Past Big Sir and Director), Alan Baker (Membership and Travel), Jack Reefer (Member Relations and Sunshine), Craig Chalmers (Director, Nominator, and Sub-Secretary), and Dave Pevny (Secretary); Bob Luttrell (Treasurer) and Don Nevis (Director and Dining Out) were absent.

1. The meeting was called to order by Big Sir Connor Chin at 10:25AM and was held at Aviators Restaurant/Airport Lower Conference Room.
2. The minutes of the prior BEC meeting that was held on February 16, 2026, were approved via email. (Thanks to Sub-Secretary Craig, Big Sir Connor, and others for accomplishing the completion of the minutes in my absence.)
3. The SIR93 March monthly luncheon today will again be held again in the Lower Conference Room due to ongoing maintenance issues with Aviator's kitchen. Chic is again bringing in food for today's luncheon. It was also announced that Don N. has arranged a 4<sup>th</sup> Monday lunch next week, March 23, 11:30AM, at Stinger's on La Riviera Drive near Sac State.
4. Connor indicated that Form 28 has been submitted to State. Overall, our finances are in good shape with about \$3,800 cash, which equates to about \$57 per member. According to State SIR, branches should have a cash reserve of about \$25 per member, so we are in good shape.
5. Jack R. showed a proposed newspaper ad (a marketing proposal) to the BEC. A motion was made by Mike H., seconded by Glenn B., to run one ad in each of three neighborhood newspapers (Land Park News, Pocket News, and Elk Grove Citizen) for two months (April and May) for the cost of \$800. The proposal was unanimously approved by the BEC.
6. BS Connor indicated that State SIR would like local branches to have "marketing" in their budget, to be pro-active in trying to recruit new members. This proposed newspaper ad is a start for us.
7. BS Connor indicated that he is still collecting the Conflict-of-Interest forms, and once he has them all, he will give to the Branch Secretary for safekeeping. For the photo release forms, we will have a sign-up sheet at our meetings where consent of attendees can be indicated.
8. There was some discussion of the number of Honorary Life Members that our Branch is allowed, based upon our size. Alan will verify, but the belief is that we are not allowed another one after Jack's award.
9. Membership Chair Alan circulated an application for membership by Tim Cline. The BEC approved his application. It was also noted that Mike Bowling's reinstatement was previously approved by the BEC.
10. Craig C. announced that a hike is planned on Monday, March 30<sup>th</sup>, at the Audubon Bobelaine Sanctuary, about 30 miles north of Sacramento near Hwy 99.
11. The BEC meeting was adjourned at 11:00 AM.

Respectively submitted, Dave Pevny – Branch 93 Secretary