

MABAS Division 19

Regular Meeting Minutes

September 5th, 2017 – Orland Station 3

East Joliet*Frankfort*Homer*Lemont *Lockport*Manhattan*Mokena*New Lenox*Orland* Palos*Palos Heights*Peotone

Attendance:

East Joliet- DC Kelly Homer- BC McCormack, Div. Chief Bricker Lemont- Chief Rimbo Lockport- DC Hertzmann, DC Blaskey Manhattan- Chief Forsythe, DC Malone Mokena-Chief Stephens, AC Cirelli, AC Campbell New Lenox- Chief Riegel, DC Turner, Bill Cistron Orland- Chief Schofield, BC Bonnar, BC Cinquepalmi Palos- Chief Graeben, DC McDonald Palos Heights- Chief Saharge Peotone- Chief Schrieber, DC Boyle Lincoln-Way Dispatch- Director Veerman WESCOM- Director Rauter

Absent- Frankfort, Orland Central, WC EMA, WC 9-1-1.

Call to Order:

At 09:05 am by President Stephens

Special Presentation:

David Paluch from AT&T Firstnet gave a presentation on the Firsnet program. For more information visit www.firstnet.illinois.gov

Approval of Minutes- July 2017:

Motion by New Lenox to accept, second by Manhattan. Motion carried.

Treasurers Report:

AC Cirelli passed out the month's bills and budget to date. Motion to accept Treasurer's report as presented by Palos, second by Lockport. Motion carried.

Correspondence:

None

MABAS Executive Board:

No Report

MABAS Operations Committee:

No Report

Box Alarm/Communications:

MABAS 19 North/South committee met with Orland Central and L.C.C. They are going to be providing training to the T.C.'s with a 3 day long training program. They will also be meeting with MABAAS 27 to try and standardize the dispatching of Box Alarms.

Provisional outbound Strike/Task force box cards were handed out

Please start reviewing your Box cards for 2018

Training Committee:

Lt. Piper reported:

Second Light-N-Fight will be on September 22nd, 24th, and October 6th. It will be held at Frankfort and will be on rural water ops.

B/C training on November 10th at Orland. It will be classroom/simulator training.

Orland will be holding multiple grant funded classes. Please check Orland's website for more information.

IPRF is now offering a 25% discount on Target Solutions

Will County EMA:

Director Damron sent out a survey on RTF's

Will County 911:

Statewide advisory committee met on the 28th. Still trying to figure out a funding formula. Need to reach a service level agreement that would go from the ETSB to the PSAP to the end users.

Working on a budget for November 1st

Will County Fire Chiefs:

Meeting the 25th at Frankfort, 0900 hours

CART:

Validation is approaching and will be on trench operations

The written exam is currently on Target Solutions

September 7th is the last Cell Tower training

Orange team is conducting a deployment drill on October 6th

Incident Management Team-IMT:

No report

Cause-Origin:

Arson conference will be held the 24th – 27th

Deployment Committee:

Still transitioning

SW Haz Mat:

Drill moved to the 27th in Alsip

Hazmat IC class being held in Alsip on the 23rd and 24th

Picking up new Squad this month

New Lenox will now be housing one of the trailers

Underwater Search/Recovery:

Working more with MABAS 21 and 22 to set up drills

Frankfort is requesting B/C Curtain to respond as a Dive Chief

Apparatus-Maintenance Committee:

Next meeting September 22nd at Lockport Station 6. 0900 hours

Policy Committee:

No Report

Old Business:

Director Rauter gave a thorough explanation of WESCOM's new Starcom system. He was able to address all the concerns that were brought about at the August meeting.

New Business:

Nominating committee was established by Chief Stephens. It consists of Chiefs Shreiber, Saharge, and Rimbo.

UTV will be housed in Peotone

Miscellaneous:

Congratulations on your retirement B/C Bonnar!! Thank you for your 39 years of dedicated service.

Start putting together budget items for specialty teams. Deadline is October 31st.

Please turn in bills for maintenance on MABAS owned equipment

Thanks Bill Cistron for the Doughnuts

Motion to Adjourn by Orland, Second by Palos @ 1035 hrs.

Next Meeting- October 3rd, 2017 09:00 at Palos Fire Protection District (8815 W. 123rd Street).

Submitted By.

Battalion Chief Sean McCormack- Homer

Secretary -MABAS DIV 19