

## November Business Meeting Minutes

**Date:11/6/2017 - Start Time: 1900**

**Minutes taken by Dwayne McDuffie**

### Additional Members Present:

Michelle Brown, Sydney Brown, Deborah Busby, Lawrence Cleveringa II, Lawrence Cleveringa Sr. Diane Coburn, Mark Coburn, Dustin Coogle, Brenda Dunlap, David Dunlap, Lois Holley, William Holley, Luke Kelly, Glenda Owens, List Thrower, Thomas Thrower, Bobby Tidwell, Gary Wolfe, Gary Yeagley, Matthew Kane

### ***Meeting opened with Pledge of Allegiance and prayer***

Accept October's Business meeting minutes

Motion: David Dunlap

Seconded: Mark Coburn

Accept October's treasurer report

Motion: Thomas Thrower

Second: Mark Coburn

**Per Brenda-** All candy for Christmas has come in and new Santa suit has been ordered. Picture people are going around the district, so far about \$4,000 has been raised. Chicken Coup dinner, dressing and brown gravy will be donated, will cook ham and turkey for \$215.00. Motion to buy out of volunteer account by Thomas Thrower and second by Lisa Thrower, motion carried. Decorate the fire truck for Christmas parade December 2, be at station 1 at 2PM, leave no later than 5PM.

**Per Glenda-** 62 calls for October, 3 no response for October, 34 no responses for the year, 663 for the year as of November. Most calls are assist calls due to the storm. Starting 13 November at 6PM, refresher for EMR. Mondays (for sure), Tuesday (if we need them), Saturday (make up days). Hydrants, everyone in district are painted as of this month. ER, narratives are looking better. O2 bottle #21 was damaged, sent to Hiller to be fixed due to damage. Truck checks, you need to ensure that you are doing these checks correctly. It's not just the day crews' responsibility, it is everybody's responsibility that is part of this department, the same goes for cleaning both departments.

**Per Gary-** Starting tomorrow, will start my time in stop smoking. Fuel tanks were painted. Fire training on the 30<sup>th</sup> October. Day crew this week, LT Owens will be on shift. No day crew on Friday.

**Per Thomas-** Volunteer weekend 17-19 October. There are 10 new air bottles 4500 psi for spares.

**Per David-** The purchase for the new SCBA bottles was sooner than later was due to the time was bumped up on the 5-year spending plan. The purchase for a cascade refilling station is now in motion. Chiefs meeting in October, Santa Rosa county looking at putting together a swift water rescue team. New radio systems Motorola developed a page that works on the 800 system. Samples will be sent to

the county to be tested on the new system. At some point, the pagers being used will now won't work in the future. The old radio system VHF is no longer in system, it has been taken down. When out on storms, when dealing with power lines don't ask for an ETA on Gulf Power UNLESS it is an emergency situation. Starting Duty Warden status 24-30 October. New service truck has been ordered, should be in service by the end of the year. Pertaining to St. Pierre, just had a new baby and is now in medic school, recommend extending his probation by another 6 months due to his school. Motion to extend Ryan St. Pierre for another 6 months by Gary Yeagley and second by Thomas Thrower, motion carried.

**Meeting adjourned: 1951**