The Rye Fire Protection District

MINUTES OF THE RYE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING Workshop Meeting October 14, 2015

Present Directors – Mr. John Schaiberger, Mr. Wade Wills, Mr. Mike Davis

Absent Directors - Mr. Garry Melchi

Others - Chief Steve Bennett, Captain Jim Beach

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 P.M. by Mr. Wills who chaired the meeting. Meeting was held at the Pueblo County Assessor Office in Pueblo for a question and answer session regards to Mil Levy Assessments.

Approval of Agenda

The agenda was presented.

Workshop Session

Mil Levy Questions and Answers

Mr. Frank Beltran, Pueblo County Assessor and Rick Jones, Chief Deputy for the Pueblo County Assessor joined the meeting to present information and answer questions.

Each year, each County Assessor's Office (Pueblo, Huerfano, and Custer) issues a Certification of Valuation to Rye Fire Protection District. This form lists last year's assessed valuation; this year's assessed valuation along with additions and deletions to taxable real property. From this actual value on all taxable property, Rye Fire Protection District is able to set budget based upon the current mil levy. This form is also sent to DOLA.

It was noted that all properties, or portions of properties, that are designated as where individuals reside are taxed at 7.96%. This includes single-family, multi-family, duplex, nursing homes, etc. All other are taxed at 29.0%.

The question regarding delinquent tax disbursements to RFPD is a treasurer's question.

Mr. Schaiberger noted he was waiting for an interpretation whether our proposed mil levy will be in the May 2016 Election or later on.

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Mr. Schaiberger received tax collected amounts and tax disbursed amounts from 2005 to 2012. These were utilized in planning discussions for the proposed mil levy.

Next workshop meeting will be held on Monday, October 19, 2015 at 5:30 PM to continue finalizing the mil levy amount that will be placed on the ballot.

Adjourn

Motion to adjourn was made at 3:41 P.M.

Motion: Mr. Schaiberger

Second: Mr. Davis

Further Discussion: None.

Aye: Mr. Schaiberger, Mr. Wills, Mr. Davis

Nay: None

Dated this 14th day of October 2015.

Submitted by Jim Beach, Captain