



Kenton County Fire Chief's Association

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Meeting Minutes 06/15/2017 – Independence Fire Dept.

Chairman Paul LaFontaine called the regular meeting to order at 11:52 a.m. and led the group with a pledge of allegiance to the United States flag.

Roll Call: All present except Park Hills.

Guests: R. Meek, T. Camp, C. Biery, T. Thompson, Dr. Le, P. See.

Nathan Fields from KYDOT reported on Brent Spence bridge project. www.brentspence2017.org

Chief Listerman and BC Borneman reported on the upcoming disaster drill to be held on September 7, 2017. There will be planning meetings on July 28 and August 18.

Minutes: Motion by J. Stager and second by S. Breeze to approve the May 2017 minutes as submitted. Passed with all ayes.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

TREASURER: The report was given by Treasurer R. Messingschlager. Motion by J. Wendt and second by S. Schewe to approve report as submitted. Approved.

We will have the same budget as last year.

SB66 money will be coming soon.

AIR TRUCK: T. Dickman gave the monthly report.

BUDGET: No Report.

MUTUAL AID: A meeting was held. Progress reported.

BY LAWS: No report.

HSEM: Thanks to the CVG airport for sending their foam trailer to the Piner incident involving a leaking tanker.

2 pallets of sta-dri were purchased and sent out to communities along I-75.

RADIO: Report on AFG grant for new radio system. No response yet.

The crew is working on a Coroner notification SOG.

Erlanger/County dispatch merger negotiations are under way and moving fast.

EMS: September 12 at 10 am at Erlanger will be the next County EMS meeting.

Josh Ishmael that EMS week was a success. The annual training class will be held on 11/13 and 11/14 with 48 different lectures.

A discussion was held on a better time of year to do the EMS conference.

A discussion on the new psychiatric center in Erlanger was held.

TANKER: Report by Chuck Grizzell. No runs for the month.

TRAINING: The Fire Engineering curriculum will be used for the upcoming recruit class.

A discussion was held regarding background checks, mandatory classes and mentors was held.

The next recruit class will start on August 14, 2017. There will be a coordinator hired for the upcoming class.

Nominations will be accepted for the Wietholter Award to be given at OLS.

The OLS class will be held November 9 and 10, 2017 at St. Barbara's church.

IFSAC fees have jumped from 15 to 25 dollars a test.

There will be an Instructor 1 class held in October and Instructor 2 in January.

The drill tower was painted.

Twenhofel school is an acquired structure for training. IFD will notify everyone when it is available to train in.

A motion was made by S. Schewe and second by J. Wendt to purchase a hose rack for the drillfield at a cost of \$1700.00. Approved.

FIRE INVESTIGATION: Progress. A report was given on pending cases by K. Reinhart.

SAVE PROGRAM: No report.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: The spare county engine needs transmission and cooler work. More to come.

GOOD and WELFARE: A report was given on the Hebron FF injured on duty.

Jim Shoemaker's wife has passed away.

Keller reported on Skyline fundraiser for Bromley.

Next meeting is scheduled for June 20, 2017 at Taylor Mill Pride Park.

Motion to adjourn the meeting by Schewe and second by Keller. All Ayes. Meeting adjourned at 1305 hours.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert T. Dreyer

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