



Kenton County Fire Chief's Association

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Chairman: Chief Paul LaFontaine

Elsmere Fire Department

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Meeting Minutes – Held on 11/18/2021. The meeting was held at Independence FD.

Chairman Paul LaFontaine called the regular meeting to order at 1201 hours and led the attendants with the pledge of allegiance.

Roll Call: All departments represented except Park Hills, Ryland Heights, Ludlow and Erlanger.

Guests: 1 800 Board Up, American Red Cross, St. Elizabeth, Kenton County Emergency Communications Center.

Minutes: Motion to accept the October minutes by J. Stager and seconded by S. Breeze. Motion passed. Motion to accept the November Special Meeting minutes by S. Breeze and seconded by J. Stager. Motion passed.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

AIR TRUCK: T. Dickman reported. Runs to Elsmere twice and K.C. Drillfield.

FIRE INVESTIGATION: No report.

BUDGET: No report.

BYLAWS: No report.

HSEMA: T. Schulkers reported on the availability of booster vaccinations.

MUTUAL AID: No report.

RADIO: J. Wendt reported. If purchasing Unication pager to be used as a base station it is advised that you purchase the amplified charger.

A meeting was held with Boone and Campbell ECC's regarding standardizing operational procedures.

A common CAD for all 3 counties is a wish for the future.

Paul See requested that if you made changes to your radio lineup or how it functions to please let him know. Do not request Channel 14 for the fire-law channel as some police agencies have already re-programmed their channel lineup.

TRAINING: N. Russell reported. There were 135 participants on the first day and 125 participants on the second day of OLS.

Fire Officer 1 and 2 class will be offered in early 2022.

A 400 hour class is being looked into.

A motion was made by N. Russell and seconded by J. Stager to surplus the KCFA Safety house. Motion carried.

The paperwork for the \$42,000 grant for m the Fire Commission was received.

EMS: Chris Vogelpohl was announced as the second St. Elizabeth EMS Coordinator.

COVID numbers were decreasing and were still notifying EMS agencies of positive patients.

St. Elizabeth will host a spring 2022 class and applications are out.

TREASURER: R. Messingschlager was absent but submitted a report presented by the Chairman. Motion by S. Breeze and seconded by J. Stager to approve report as submitted. Motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: T. Dickman asked about the status of the invoices for the live burns. They are being sent out.

GOOD and WELFARE: Compliments to the Chef, Brian Strole and his crew.

A motion was made by J. Schleue and seconded by J. Stager to go into Executive session at 1230. Motion carried.

A motion was made by J. Stager and seconded by M. Bloemer to return to the regular meeting at 1305. Motion carried.

A motion was made by J. Stager and seconded by T. Dickman to strip the inside of the current SCBA trailer for future use. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn the meeting by J. Schleue and second by J. Stager. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 13:14 hours.

Next meeting will be held on January 20, 2022 at Taylor Mill Pride Park.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert T. Dreyer

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