



Kenton County Fire Chief's Association

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Chairman: Chief Paul LaFontaine

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Meeting Minutes – Held on 09/17/2020. The meeting was held at the Edgewood Fire Department.

Chairman Paul LaFontaine called the regular meeting to order at 12:00 hours and led the group with a pledge of allegiance to the United States flag.

Roll Call: Ryland Heights was absent.

Guests: Dawn Bloemer(Gateway), 859 Board Up, 1 800 Board Up, Cara Brooks(Duke Energy), Bill Birkle.

Minutes: Motion by A. Fuller and second by J. Stager to accept the August 2020 minutes as submitted. Motion passed.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

AIR TRUCK: T. Dickman reported. The Air truck is back up and running.

FIRE INVESTIGATION: No report.

BUDGET: No report.

BYLAWS: No report. Chairman La Fontaine advised the committee members that they will need to meet to adopt something on virtual meetings.

HSEMA: If you have not already submitted your paperwork for credit for the exercise training please do so. Ryland Heights has expressed interest in the tanker if the KC decides to declare it surplus property. There will be a meeting held on the future of the TRT and HAZ-MAT teams. Date to be announced. The latest version of the ERG's were handed out to all fire departments. There will be a train the trainer class on October 20, 2020 and will count for methodology hours. If you are having problems with your EMS Surge app you may have to reset the passwords. A big Thank You to Nick Russell for his assistance with the ongoing Radio project.

MUTUAL AID: No report.

RADIO: J. Wendt reported. Dispatch voice volume is getting better. Old Radio equipment. Do what you want with them. A discussion was held on the possibility of 2 scan lists. One like we have currently and one with the priority on talkgroup 16. Make a punchlist for your radio's and the necessary adjustments or repairs needed.

A motion and second by J. Wendt and C. Dietz to table Alert tone re-programming. Motion passed.

TRAINING: There will be Live Burns conducted on October 5,6,7, 2020 at the Drillfield for those who signed up in the new container prop.
The OLS speakers are set for OLS 2021.

EMS: HB 4 is moving forward.

TREASURER: R. Messingschlager submitted the report. Motion by C. Dietz and seconded by J. Stager to approve report as submitted. Motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS: A. Fuller is still evaluating the condition of the KC safety house

NEW BUSINESS: None

GOOD and WELFARE: B. Birkle stated that 10 recruits started and finished the most recent recruit class. M. Steward advised that Van Collins is resigning from the Ludlow Fire Dept. after many years of faithful service.
There was a small discussion on the State training program which meet our needs yet.

Motion to adjourn the meeting by A. Fuller and second by J. Stager. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 1258 hours.

Next meeting will be hosted by the Ludlow Fire Dept. on October 15, 2020. I will be held at 808 Elm Street at the Community Center.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert T. Dreyer

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