



Kenton County Fire Chief's Association

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Chairman: Chief Paul LaFontaine

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Meeting Minutes 09/21/17. Crescent Springs Fire Dept.

Chairman Paul LaFontaine called the regular meeting to order at 11:47 a.m. and led the group with a pledge of allegiance to the United States flag.

Roll Call: All present except Ft. Mitchell, Ryland Heights and Bromley.

Guests: T. Camp, Dr. Le, UC Air Care, D. Leonard, A. Hawks.

Minutes: Motion by J. Stager and second by M. Steward to approve the August 2017 minutes as submitted. Passed with all ayes.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

AIR TRUCK: C. Amon gave the monthly report.

Runs for lighting only is becoming a burden to Edgewood FD. We need a solution. Discussion followed. C. Amon to get with S. Hensley regarding lighting runs for Police departments.

FIRE INVESTIGATION: Training was held. One callout to Kenton.

HSEMA: Kirk Reinhart will be retiring Oct. 1, 2017. Todd Schulkers will replace him as Deputy Director. A discussion was held regarding Kirk's impact on the emergency services in Northern Ky. Congratulations and Thank You to Kirk for all you have done.

MUTUAL AID: No report.

RADIO: "Star Wars" sound on Dispatch channel is being tweaked.

Please respond to Emergency Reporting email.

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

No news on the AFG grant for subscriber equipment.

The new radio system is moving along and KCECC personnel will visit the Motorola factory to inspect our equipment prior to shipping.

The RFP for subscriber equipment will be sent out soon.

A motion was made by D. Mathew and seconded by C. Amon to reapply for AFG grant if we received a letter of declination.

TRAINING: Thank you to Kirk Reinhart for your help with the KC recruit class and training committee through the years.

KC recruit class to start in February.

The OLS class will be held November 9 and 10, 2017 at St. Barbara's church. 3 slots for each Department.

St. Elizabeth EMS weekend is November 13 and 14, 2017. 5 free slots for each Dept.

New and donated hose racks are at Drillfield.

Instructor 1 and Instructor 2 classes coming soon.

Twenhofel school building will be available for training. Contact Nick Russell at IFD for details.

Decon trailer must be plugged into non GFI outlet in the building.

The plywood walls in the new bulding will be stained or painted by the Covington Fire Dept.

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

EMS: No meeting was held.

TREASURER: The report was given by Chairman LaFontaine. Motion by J. Stager and second by S. Schewe to approve report as submitted. Approved

SAVE PROGRAM: No report.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

GOOD and WELFARE: UC Aircare , Amy Anderson will be the new field rep. The Walton Aircare base will be open soon. Put Aircare on standby if you think you will need them. This gets the process started.

1800Boardup has a CNG training class available. Contact Tom Camp.

Jamie Sparks thanks to Kirk Reinhart for all he has done.

Dan Mathew thanked everyone for the offer of assistance for funeral detail.

859BoardUp needs a new employee for Northern Ky. Contact Leah if anyone is interested.

Chairman La Fontaine presented Kirk Reinhart with a gift from the Association and a hearty congratulations on his retirement.

Next meeting is scheduled for October 19, 2017 at Ryland Heights Fire Dept..

Motion to adjourn the meeting by K. Reinhart and second by S. Schewe. All Ayes. Meeting adjourned at 1248 hours.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert T. Dreyer

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