

# LANDS END FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

## Board Meeting

April 26, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Chairman Jeff Prinster with Walter Rickett, Chuck Nelson and Kemitt White in attendance. Eric Brown was not present with an excused absence.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

### MEETING MINUTES:

Minutes were read by Linda Weber and approved as read.

### OLD BUSINESS:

None

### NEW BUSINESS:

#### CHIEF'S REPORT – By Chief Lurvey

Sam Craven and Georgianna Hinkson's last day will be May 8<sup>th</sup>. They are moving to Washington State for better employment opportunities.

Sam Craven gave a brief statement on their enjoyment at working for the department and their sadness at leaving. Commented that it is a very good department to volunteer for.

Jeff Prinster thanked Sam and Georgianna for their dedication and attention to duty and told them they would be missed.

Brian Lurvey continued with this report. In summary, no vehicle issues, the CMU bike race will be May 1<sup>st</sup> and they will use the parking lot for staging. May 14<sup>th</sup> there will be a private graduation party held at the station. Working on obtaining the equipment from the \$100,000 grant from the Fire Fighter Safety & Disease Grant program. No updated information on any other grants. Still talking with the County about the building on Hwy 50, are borrowing a hose tester from Palisade Fire. The department has had two critical calls over the past month. The team and volunteers worked very hard on these calls and the board needs to know the great work they do.

#### EMS REPORT - Javier Padilla

Georgianna Hinkson is on protocols but we will be losing her shortly. On track to have Jared Midgley and Justin Blaskowski on protocols soon. Mesa County has asked us to participate in public CPR training at our station. Our station will provide the instructor and Mesa County will provide all the advertising for the event. No date set at this time.

#### EXPLORER POST REPORT – Jared Midgley

A big fundraiser is planned for August 16<sup>th</sup> this year. Will have local bands, close main street from 6<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> Street. The theme will center around safety including fire safety. Have invited all local law enforcement and fire departments. Basically a safety fair with music at the Avalon.

