

LANDS END FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Board Meeting

October 25, 2016

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

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

MEETING MINUTES:

As everyone had a chance to read both minutes from the Special Board Meeting in September and the regular meeting minutes, MOTION by Chuck Nelson and seconded by Kemitt White to accept the September Special Board Meeting and regular Board Meeting minutes as prepared. Motion approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

CHIEF'S REPORT – By Brian Lurvey

See detailed report from the Chief. In summary:

Tender 111 pump has been gone through and will soon be back in working order.

Personnel: We have a total of 16 volunteers with 7 on probation. Working on a new program of streamlining the training.

Grants: One active grant waiting for approval. Applying for the VFA grant for new wildland gear and a rescue chainsaw.

Training: Just finished an IV class where Jacey Cherveney and Elysha Laslie attended. One member, Mariah Hannon, will be attending EMT class in December and one member, Jaxson Gardner, will be attending Wildland Certification at the end of November. In-house training has been focused on getting our new SCBA's into service, into the vehicles and ready for use.

Donating some of our unused equipment to other departments. SCBA masks to Fruita, SCBA's to Central Orchard Mesa, and bottles to Gateway.

September has 11 calls. In 2015 there were 7. Year to date we are at 135 compared to 121 in 2015. A 21% increase in calls but not in ambulance income.

Purchasing some new T-shirts and equipment for the new members.

Sam Craven and Georgianna Hinkson are back in the valley and may try and get back closer to our district and re-join the department.

