



Galveston County Fire Fighters Association

REGULAR MONTHLY BUSINESS MEETING

September 21, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Commissioner Key called the meeting of the Galveston County Fire Fighters Association to order at 7:25 PM at Friendswood Fire Department, Station #1

B Pollard gave the invocation. Mascot led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

Bacliff FD	2	High Island FD	1	Port Bolivar FD	1
Bayou Vista FD	1	Hitchcock FD	2	Santa Fe FD	3
Crystal Beach FD	2	Jamaica Beach FD	1	San Leon FD	2
Dickinson FD	2	Kemah FD	1	Texas City FD	1
Friendswood FD	17	LaMarque FD	1	Tiki Island	
Galveston FD		League City FD	1		

SPECIAL GUESTS

Corey Franklin – Pierce / Siddons/Martin Rep

Commissioner Ken Clark

Rep from Dooley Tackaberry

CISM's Shari forward introduced one of the GC's Mental Health Deputies.

GCOEM Garrett Foskitt

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion made by J Westinghausen and seconded by O Thompson to approve the minutes for the month of August. Motion carries.

TREASURERS REPORT

Treasurer's report was read by Secretary J Sumrall (Kattner not available).

Motion made by M Morgan and seconded by S Kozloski to approve the treasurer's report for the month of August. Motion carries.

\$4,782 is the checking balance and \$35,001 is the savings balance.

\$50,157 is the CD Savings and \$18,425 is the GC/TR Acct.

\$18,801 is in the Dues and Donations Acct.

COMMUNICATIONS

None for this month.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Training- Stan mentioned that the Fire Academy has started. The night classes and the SFFMA classes started on the 25th.

All students need to have their CE forms turned in the first day of class.

There will also be some other training classes planned for the next semester. Stay tuned for more details!

Accountability

EMS

Website

Resource Book

Dispatching

Constitution and By-laws

Mapping

Audit

Contract

EOC Garrett Foskitt mentioned that there will be a NIMS 300 and 400 class in October at League City.

All FD's needed to make sure they register to the State and to FEMA for their losses due to the storm. This is on form DD 214. The more information that gets to them the more resources and assistance will come. Also, ICS 214 form is to be filled out for your Volunteer hours. All of this must be on file for to show for an audit. Should you have any questions on this, feel free to contact Garrett at 281-301-5003 or 409-0682- 4031.

Dan mentioned that there are several departments that lost future tax revenues in their communities. Garrett said that he will be sending out a loss of revenue paperwork form to the Departments. He mentioned to be persistent with FEMA, and that he will try to have a FEMA Rep at the meeting in October at High Island.

COLLECTION OF DUES

N/A

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Departments need to get their contracts to the County with an Invoice for Fire Protection in the County areas for \$22,500.00. Also, a direct deposit form will be good to turn, so you will get your check sooner. Hard checks will be cut but not sure how long that will take. Dan will be contacting the County to see how many still need to be turned in.

NEW BUSINESS

None at this time.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Thanks to Friendswood for holding this month meeting.

Special thanks from commissioner Ken Clark for all the hard work and dedication put in with the recent storm and flooding. Should you need anything from him, feel free to contact him at 281-236-3309. He also mentioned that they just passed an 80 million dollar bond.

Dickinson VFD is looking for a Medical Bag that was borrowed during the storm.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM

The next meeting is
October 5, 2017
at
High Island Fire Department



***GALVESTON COUNTY FIRE FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION
MONTHLY MEETING NOTICE***

There will be a monthly meeting of the Galveston County Fire Fighters Association. Please place this memo on your bulletin board and inform all members of this meeting location, date and time. Please make every effort to attend these meetings.

For more information, go to:

WWW.GCFFA.COM

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