



Galveston County Fire Fighters Association

REGULAR MONTHLY BUSINESS MEETING

September 1, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Commissioner Key called the meeting of the Galveston County Fire Fighters Association to order at 7:30 PM at Kemah Fire Department.

Bill pollard gave the invocation. Mascot Trent Anderson led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

Bacliff FD	3	High Island FD	1	Port Bolivar FD	1
Bayou Vista FD	3	Hitchcock FD	2	Santa Fe FD	4
Crystal Beach FD	3	Jamaica Beach FD	1	San Leon FD	2
Dickinson FD	2	Kemah FD	10	Texas City FD	1
Friendswood FD	3	LaMarque FD	1	Tiki Island	0
Galveston FD	1	League City FD	0		

SPECIAL GUESTS

Matt Kramer with I CAM strobe and flashlights gave a demonstration and answered questions.

Stefanie Greeson with the American Red Cross gave a brief presentation on home fires and disaster preparedness.

Commissioner ken Clark was present but left early.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion made by Dan Key and seconded by Orbin Thompson to approve the minutes for the month of August. Motion carries.

TREASURERS REPORT

Rusty Kattner read the Treasurer's report.

Motion made by Kyle Baden and seconded by Bill Pollard to approve the treasurer's report for the month of August. Motion carries.

\$11,796.00 is the checking balance \$37,933.00 is the savings balance.
\$ 50.025.00 is the CD account balance \$ 9,750.00 is the GC/TR acct.

COMMUNICATIONS

GC/TR District meeting will be in Cy Fair on Saturday September 10th.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Training- If you have new members, the class has just started is it's not too late to get in on the great training.

Accountability Chief Hahn is working on the accountability system along with the Health and Safety Committee.

EMS

Website

Resource Book

Dispatching

Constitution and By-laws

Mapping

Audit

Contract Dan gave a brief rundown on the contract. They were impressed that the Departments were handling business well and that the points were being met. Be sure to get your contracts signed and back to the County.

EOC

COLLECTION OF DUES

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The Appreciation Dinner for our Association will be held on Saturday, October 29th at Santa Fe Fire and Rescue Station #1. This is the first one in about 4 or 5 years now. There

will be door prizes and give a ways to attendees. All agreed that the casino night would cost too much, so that was ruled out. There will be food, refreshments, great company, music and if you want to dance you can do that too!

We are shooting for enough door prizes for everyone to walk away with something. This is where we need YOUR HELP! If each department can donate at least \$100.00 in door prizes, we can achieve our goal. Whether you take from your budgets, solicit vendors or even your local businesses, we're asking for \$100.00.

Also, we are asking for each Department to send no more than 10 members, however, if you need more spots, contact Dan or Allison and we can look to see if there are spots available from Departments that send less than 10.

NEW BUSINESS

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Remember the Gulf Coast meeting on Saturday, September 10th at Cy Fair Fire Department.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 PM

NEXT MEETING will be at HIGH ISLAND Fire Department on **OCTOBER 6th**



***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