

# LEWIS COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO #14 BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS REGULAR MEETING



May 9, 2013

## **CALL TO ORDER**

The regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Red Rogers at 7:02pm at the Main Station located at 9978 U.S. Hiway 12, Randle, WA. 98377

#### **FLAG SALUTE**

Fire Chief Jeff Jaques opened the meeting with the flag salute

#### **PRESENT**

Present: Commissioner Dale Woody, Fire Chief Jeff Jaques, Commissioner John Pollman, Commissioner Red Rogers, and Recording Secretary Penny Owens

#### ADDITIONS/DELETIONS

New Business - Volunteer pay for the Mud Mountain Fire

## **Agenda Approval**

On a motion made by Commissioner Red Rogers and seconded by Commissioner Dale Woody:

"The May 2013 Agenda was approved as circulated."

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

# **Vouchers Approval**

On a motion made by Commissioner John Pollman and seconded by Commissioner Dale Woody:

"The May 2013 Expenditures per payment Vouchers 05001 through 05023 for a total of \$5,558.77 were approved as circulated."

Commissioners' comments: inclusive of \$50 insurance refund

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### Payroll Approval

On a motion made by Commissioner John Pollman and seconded by Commissioner Dale Woody:

"The May 2013 Payroll in the amount of \$7,051.00 was approved as circulated."

Commissioners' comments: inclusive of seasonal employees

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

## **Minutes Approval**

On a motion made by Commissioner Red Rogers and seconded by Commissioner Dale Woody:

"The Minutes for the Regular Meeting dated April 11, 2013 were approved as circulated."

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### SECRETARY'S REPORT

## Financial report: See Attached

- Activity Report April 2013
- EMS Reconcile Report April 2013
- MVC Reconcile Report April2013

## Correspondence: See attached list

- Lewis County Fire Commissioner Association RSVP May 20 in Salkum
- State Auditor Office Enhancing background checks
  - o Commissioner noted their concern of this proposed fingerprint control

## CHIEF'S REPORT: See attached

- Water Tender Credit
  - o Submitted incident and data from Kiona Creek State Shed Fire

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

## **EMS Levy**

Postponed until the June Board Meeting

# Fire Chief Jeff Jaques vacation limit/cap

Postponed until the June Board Meeting

## **Operation Guidelines**

- Board of Fire Commissioner Qualifications, Duties, & Responsibilities
- Fire Chief Job Description
- District Secretary Job Description

On a motion made by Commissioner Dale Woody and seconded by Commissioner John Pollman:

"Approve the policies for Board of Fire Commissioner Qualifications, Duties, & Responsibilities, Fire Chief Job Description, and District Secretary Job Description as written."

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

**Volunteer Pay for the Dog Mountain Fire:** See attached list of volunteer participation along with estimated charges and fees

- Fire Chief Jeff Jaques gave a brief description of the fire situation, volunteers time and participation, and the District's equipment used
- DNR took over the fire scene on the evening of May 4
- DNR used the District's hall, back parking lot, and grounds for "Base Camp" at no charge from the District
- Fire Chief Jeff Jaques proposed the District pays the Volunteers \$20.00 an hour the time spent on the Dog Mountain Fire

On a motion made by Commissioner Red Rogers and seconded by Commissioner John Pollman:

"The District will pay each Volunteer \$20.00 an hour for the time spent working on the Dog Mountain Fire."

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

## **COMMISSIONER'S COMMENTS**

# Commissioner Dale Woody will be attending the Seminar in Chelan from May 31 – June 2

- Health care reform and the impact on the fire-based EMS
- He will report to the Board at the June Commissioner Board Meeting

## Falls Road Property – Clean up – stumps removal, level property

- Discussion of type of equipment needed
- Discussion of local volunteers from the community who might be interested

# Commissioner Position #2 – expires on December 31, 2013

- A limited time to file with the County Week of May 13 will determine end date
- Can file on line or in person

## Cispus area – value of property fire tax money received annually

- The County was suppose to call with that info
- District Secretary Penny Owens will call the County

#### **ADJOURNED**

With no further business, Commissioner Red Rogers adjourned the meeting at 7:58p.m.

R. John Pollman, Gorgni Signed Board Meeting dals secretary

Approved

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Dale Woody, Commissioner – Position #2