

**Avalon Fire/Rescue District**  
**Commissioner Meeting Minutes**

**Date:** 4 January 2021

**Call to Order:** The regular meeting of the Avalon Fire Protection District was called to order by Chairman Rod Johnson at 7:00 p.m. at the North Firehouse, 5408 Mulat Road, Milton, FL 32583.

**Quorum:** Commissioners present: Rodney Johnson, Paul Hazucha, Mark Talbot, and Wes Woodham. Chief Sid Wiggins, ex-officio was also present.

**Attendance Names:** Sandy Luntsford, Doug Thomson, and Don Galbraith.

**Minutes:** Paul Hazucha moved and Mark Talbot seconded to approve the minutes of the 7 December 2020 regular board of commissioners meeting. The motion passed 4-0. There was not a second meeting in December.

**Treasurer's Report:** The Treasurer's Report of 3 January 2021 is attached, reviewed and accepted.

**Chief's Report:** December 2020

Structure Fires	0	<b>Man Power Statistics</b>	
Vehicle Fires	0	Man Hours - Call	240
Grass/Woods/Trash Fires	2	Other - Train/Mtgs/Maint.	152
Power Lines Down/Trans. Fire	1	Classes	48
MVA	23	Standby/Fill Ins	102/312
False Alarms	5	<u>Day Crew (6)</u>	<u>1363 Hours (Day OT 108/Call OT 67)</u>
Gas Leak/Gas Spill	1	Total Hours MTD	2217
Medical	27		
Water Emergency	0	Avg. Personnel per call	6 per call
Misc.	1	26 Daytime Calls (8:00 - 16:00)	
<u>Mutual Aids</u>	<u>18</u>	52 Nighttime Calls (16:00 - 8:00)	
Total for Month	78		

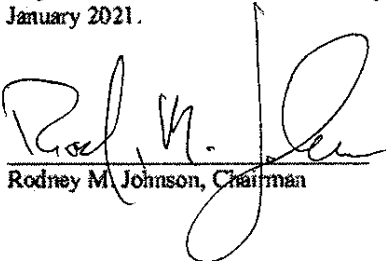
**Old Business:** The voter approved minimum wage increase was discussed.  
COVID-19 precautions, responses and upcoming vaccinations were discussed.

**New Business:** The vacant seat in the commission was discussed.  
The OPPAGA report and findings were discussed.  
The need for a 5-year plan is acknowledged.  
A satisfied, generous citizen has made an equal donation to East Milton, Bagdad and Avalon fire districts.  
A cost of living increase for district employees was discussed.  
Paul moved and Mark seconded to keep the commission in the same slate. The motion passed 4-0.

**Correspondence and Communication:** The Dept of Economic Opportunity reminds of a request to participate in the Occupational Employment Statistics program.  
Florida Dept of Financial Services informs the 2019-20 AFR records are open for reporting. Deadline is 30 June 2021.  
Florida Commission on Ethics requests updated information.  
WEX sent notice of federal tax exemption expiration.

**Financial:** Bills F-1 through F-22 approved for payment.

**Adjournment:** Chairman Johnson adjourned the meeting. The next regular meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. 18 January 2021.

  
Rodney M. Johnson, Chairman

  
Wes Woodham, Secretary