Avalon Fire/Rescue District Commissioner Meeting Minutes

Date: 16 January 2023

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, Joe Monsorno, and Wes Woodham. Chief Sid Wiggins, ex-officio was also present. Mark Talbott was not present.

Attendance Names: Doug Thornton, Tom Peterson, Matt Brown, and Rhonda Alexander.

Minutes: Rodney Johnson moved and Joe Monsorno seconded to approve the minutes of the 2 January 2023 regular board of commissioners meeting. The motion passed 3-0.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's Report of 15 January 2023 is attached, reviewed and accepted.

Chief's Report: December 2022

Structure Fires	1	Man Power Statistics	
Vehicle Fires	0	Man Hours - Call	159
Grass/Woods/Trash Fires	0	Other - Train./Mtgs/Maint,	28
Power Lines Down/Trans. Fire 0		Classes	0
MVA	18	Standby/Fill Ins	53/500
False Alarms	7	Day Crew (9)	2123
Gas Leak/Gas Spill	1	Total Hours MTD	2863
Medical	45		
Water Emergency ,	0	Avg. Personnel per call	5 per call
Misc.	13	42 Daytime Calls (8:00 - 16:00)	
Mutual Aids	9	52 Nighttime Calls (16:00 - 8:00)	
Total for Month	94		

Old Business: The electronic marquee is being shopped and reconfigured for better pricing.

New Business: Jim Angle, representing the BJM Group, led a presentation regarding the district's upcoming performance review. A project kickoff will soon be scheduled to discuss the needed information and documentation.

The need to hire firefighters was discussed. The SAFER grant and/or the expected tax revenue increase could be used to help fund the new hires.

Rod moved and Joe seconded to appoint Wes Woodham to serve as commissioner. The motion passed 3-0.

Recent deaths and illness in the local firefighter community were discussed.

Rescue 12 will get four new rear tires.

The Red Cross will be offering aid to the community 18 February 9:00 to noon at Avalon's north firehouse.

Correspondence and Communication: N/A.

Financial: Bills H-1 through H-16 approved for payment.

Adjournment: Chairman Johnson adjourned the meeting. The next regular meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. 6 February 2023.

Rodney M. Johnson, Chairman

Wes Woodham, Secretary