

Fire Chiefs' & Fire Fighters' Association of York County, Inc.

330 Emig Road
York, PA 17406



Monthly Meeting
3rd Monday

Monthly Meeting Minutes

February 17, 2020

CALL TO ORDER (President Chad Deardorff)

President Chad Deardorff called the monthly meeting of the York County Fire Chiefs and Firefighters Association to order at 19:00. The call to order was followed by a pledge to the flag and a moment of silence. 29 people were in attendance.

President Deardorff thanked Jerry Poland and VFIS for providing dinner.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

President Deardorff asked if there were any corrections to last month's minutes. With no corrections, the minutes were approved as issued.

REPORTS

Treasurer (Bob Bowman):

Treasurer Bob Bowman presented the following report: Beginning balance \$16,610.39 with an ending balance of \$89,668.68 noting that the high balance is due to CDs being deposited before being transferred. President Deardorff asked for a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report. Roger Flohr made a motion to approve, Tony Myers seconded the motion and the motion was approved.

Board of Governors (Chad Deardorff – BOG@ycfs.us):

Brad Dunham reported that the Board met this evening prior to this meeting and discussed future projects and financial planning.

Fire School Administrator (John Livingston – john@ycfs.us):

Gave the January Fire School Training Report.

Reported that a Public Information Officer class has been added to the calendar.

OTHER AGENCY REPORTS

911 Center/YCDES (Scott Keener):

Alliance Station 77 CAD map changes are being made.

EMS mergers are being addressed.

Kellie is reaching out to companies to update unit designations.

Reported that the MSA G1 air packs with Bluetooth capabilities do have the capability for PTT interface with XL series portables.

The new 9-1-1 Director started last week.

PA State Police (Tpr Sean Simmers – sesimmers@pa.gov):

Not present.

ATR (John Sanford - yc.atr@comcast.net):

Not present.

Adam Friend reported the ATR team had 3 calls for the month; 6 calls for the year.

OEM (Dan Santoemma):

No report.

Haz-Mat (Ray Kinsey):

Not present

Dan Santoemma reported the Haz-Mat team had 3 calls for the month; 8 calls for the year.

Fire Police (Bud Yoe):

Rosters are due at the end of the month.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Radio/Communications (Joe Madzellan – radio@ycfs.us):

The committee met last month. IXP is changing the format of the meeting and problem tracking.

Fire School Committee (Bob Sells – solver418@gmail.com):

Requested that fire departments send students to entry level classes with properly fitting gloves to properly learn their skills.

Rescue Inspection (Tony Clouser/Tony Myers – rescue@ycfs.us):

The 2020 Rescue spec update was presented and major changes were reviewed.

There are 13 rescues to inspect in 2020 (Sta 505, 8, 19, 23, 26, 31, 33, 36, 39, 52, 56, 64, 65.). Please don't wait until the end of the year to schedule your inspection.

The committee has been re-aligned and the importance of inspections was reiterated to the members.

SOG Committee (Jim Pritchard – sog@ycfs.us)

Not present.

Public Safety Policy Board (Chad Deardorff):

The inaugural meeting from the restructuring was held.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The rescue spec update was presented for approval. Jerry Hanson made a motion to approve the changes. Richard Halpin seconded the motion and the motion was approved.

NEW BUSINESS:

None.

REMARKS FOR THE GOOD OF THE ASSOCIATION:

The next meeting will be March 16, 2020 at 19:00 at the Fire School.

ADJOURNMENT

President Deardorff adjourned the meeting at 19:20.

Respectfully Recorded,

Robert Sells

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Board Secretary