# **Rescue Fire Protection District**

# **BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING**



# Regular Meeting Minutes

May 8, 2024, 6:00 P.M. 5221 Deer Valley Road, Rescue, CA 95672 (P.O. Box 201) (530) 677-1868

# 1. CALL TO ORDER

18:00

# 2. ROLL CALL/ESTABLISH QUORUM

Directors in attendance:

Matt Koht
Penny Humphreys
Scott Thorne
George Madaryan

Director Humphreys arrived at 18:08

## 3. FLAG SALUTE

Conducted

# 4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Director Pino made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Director Madaryan, and motion unanimously carried.

## 5. PUBLIC COMMENTS and PUBLIC FORUM

None

# 6. CHIEF'S REPORT

- 63 calls for service few less than last month
- Mountain Enterprise
  - o Captain Ramsey went to look at used trucks at mountain.
  - o Director Madaryan reported that they still want to work with us
  - o Type 6 from mountain
- Looking at options for vehicles
  - o 2 trucks, one Chiefs vehicle and one prevention vehicle

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- Adam Harnage instructed Fire control 3 at Georgetown for our Trainees
  - o Harnage reported to Chief that our trainees impressed him.
- Trainee Program is running well; the engine is staffed with 3-4 personnel per shift
  - Structure fire in Cameron and trainees were put to work
- County wide water tender drill
  - Rescue FPD performed well
- Aja gave birth her baby boy, 04/28/24. 9.5lbs
- Testing for Firefighter/Engineer
  - o 6 candidates they all showed up
  - o 2 outstanding candidates will continue
- EDH Training center hosting two more classes for the board members
  - Conflicts of Interest in Board Ethics June 21th
  - Social Media and AI October 15th
- Signal Service will be repairing the RSLS fire alarm system
- Chief attended the Annual cooperator meeting
  - Extend weather precipitation, but not enough
  - Vegetation is dried out already
- Records request from a Fire that happened in January of 2020

# 7. CORRESPONDENCE and COMMUNICATIONS

No Report

#### 8. CONSENT CALANDAR

- 8.1. Approve Minutes from the April 10, 2024, Board Meeting
- 8.2. Approve Warrant for April 2024
- 8.3. Approve Budget Reports for April 2024

Director Humphreys made a motion to approve the Consent Calendar, seconded by Director Pino, and motion unanimously carried.

#### 9. BOARD COMMITTEES

- 9.1. Personal Committee
- 9.2. Budget Committee
- 9.3. Building and Grounds
- 9.4. JPA Committee
- 9.5. LAFCO: Report
- 9.6. El Dorado Regional Fire Authority Committee: Report
- 9.1 Nothing new, Director Madaryan will talk further with Director Koht
- 9.2 Chief will have meeting with the staff regarding budget
- 9.3 Building and grounds no report
- 9.4 JPA
  - Negotiation
  - o Hiring an OPS Chief
  - o 10 boxes, 2 part time
  - o Assistant to small districts
- 9.5 LAFCO meeting coming up
- 9.6 EDRFA
  - o EDRFA patches were given out to the board members

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#### 10. RVFA REPORT

- Spaghetti feed was successful
- Acquired a stage from Rescue School, stored at Station 81
  - o Two carts; 10 panels, and 2 steps
- RVFA Appreciation dinner: June 22<sup>nd</sup> pot luck

#### 11. OLD BUSINESS

- 11.1. Development impact fee study
- 11.2. First Responder user fee study
- 11.3. Community facilities district formation
- 11.4. Cameron Park Fire update
- 11.1 Hired lawyer, slight delay
  - Nexis study
  - Already in contract with DTA
- 11.2 in the same group as 11.1
- 11.3 CFD
  - o Chief Ransdell is talking with Chief Johnson about strategies

#### 12. FISCAL ITEMS

No report

## 13. NEW BUSINESS

- 13.1. General Election Resolution for 2024
- 13.2. Proposed sales tax from EDFCA
- 13.1 Director Pino motion to approve Resolution #2024-01, second by Director Thorne. Humphreys-Aye, Thorne-Aye, Pino-Aye, Madaryan-Aye, Koht-Absent. Motion carried 4-0.
- 13.2 County Fire is looking at a \$.5 sales tax raise

#### 14. GOOD TO THE ORDER

# 15. NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING / AGENDA ITEMS

June 12, 2024

# **16. ADJOURNMENT**

Director Pino made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 18:47, seconded by Director Humphreys, and motion unanimously carried.

Prepared By:

Austin Woo, Board Clerk

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Approved By:

Matt Koht, Board President Rescue Fire Protection District