Avalon Fire/Rescue District Commissioner Meeting Minutes

Date: 15 August 2022

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, Mark Talbott, Joe Monsorno, and Wes Woodham. Chief Sid Wiggins, ex-officio was also present.

Attendance Names: Doug Thornton, Don Galbraith and TC Thrower.

Minutes: Mark Talbott moved and Joe Monsorno seconded to approve the minutes of the 1 August 2022 regular board of commissioners meeting. The motion passed 4-0.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's Report of 14 August 2022 is attached, reviewed and accepted.

Chief's Report: July 2022

Structure Fires	Man Power Statistics
Vehicle Fires 1	Man Hours - Call 205
Grass/Woods/Trash Fires 2	Other - Train./Mtgs/Maint. 94
Power Lines Down/Trans. Fire 0	Classes 0
MVA	Standby/Fill Ins 23/408
False Alarms 5	<u>Day Crew (10)</u> 2404
Gas Leak/Gas Spill	Total Hours MTD 3134
Medical 49	
Water Emergency 0	Avg. Personnel per call 5 per call
Misc.	22 Daytime Calls (8:00 - 16:00)
Mutual Aids 13	63 Nighttime Calls (16:00 - 8:00)
Total for Month 85	

Old Business: The electronic marquee sign and new kitchen cabinets for the north firehouse were discussed.

Avalon F/R essential volunteers will receive recognition payments up to \$1000 based on calls attended.

The performance audit is due September 2023 and an auditor is needed.

New Business: The LOST funded pickup trucks are almost complete and will be submitted to the County soon.

Desires for future LOST fund projects include an additional building at the north station with bathrooms, showers and an area for a commercial washer and dryer as well as a pole barn.

Public awareness and involvement by way of electronic marquee, CPR classes and/or car seat installations were discussed.

A successful boat training was conducted recently.

FMIT has discontinued reimbursement for hose testing.

A potential new commissioner may attend an upcoming meeting.

Correspondence and Communication: N/A.

Financial: Bills V-1 through V-19 approved for payment.

Adjournment: Chairman Johnson adjourned the meeting. The next regular meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. 5 September 2022. The preliminary budget hearing will be held at 7:30 p.m. 5 September 2022.

Rodney M. Johnson, Chairman

Wes Woodham, Secretary