

Clark-Cowlitz Fire Rescue Board of Fire Commissioners Meeting Minutes 911 N 65th Avenue, Ridgefield

February 11, 2021

Via Video Conference:

Commissioners Stan Chunn, Bob Johnson, Ken Ayers, Larry Bartel, David Town. DVC Mike Jackson, Ben Peeler and Dan Yager. Recording Secretary Kathy Streissguth.

Present: Chief John Nohr.

Meeting called to order by Commissioner Chunn at 4:00 p.m.

CALL FOR LATE AGENDA ADDITIONS

None.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Commissioner Bartel to approve the consent agenda as presented. Second Commissioner Town. Commissioner Bartel asked about the lock installation invoices. Chief Nohr and DVC Yager advised that new digital push button locks have been installed at all stations. Will reduce future locksmith fees as we are now able to change the codes ourselves. Advised that key card systems are prohibitively expensive, but we continue to research costs and funding opportunities. No further discussion. Call for the vote.

Aye: Johnson, Town, Bartel, Ayers, Chunn.

Nay: None.

Motion passed unanimously.

COMMUNICATIONS

None.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

None.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Clark County Fire Risk Management Group – Bartel

No meeting. No report.

Fairgrounds Fire Facility Board - Johnson

No meeting. No report.

Finance Committee - Town

No meeting. No report.

WFCA Region VIII Update - Bartel

No report.

Commissioner Updates

None.

STAFF REPORTS

Admin Services

DVC Yager summarized the summarized the January Administrative Services report. Chief Nohr added that the new engine will be assigned to Woodland St29. Expected to be in service in 3-4 weeks. The Rosenbauer engine purchased by the Cowlitz tribe through a FEMA grant has started down the assembly line.

Community Risk Reduction/CARES

DVC Jackson detailed CRR and CARES program activities for the month of January.

Operations

DVC Peeler reviewed the January Operations report. Shared that our region has been approved to move to Phase II, which will increase training opportunities for our personnel. High rise operations training will be occurring in the ilani Resort garage facility. BC Berg is prepping for the new hire orientation program. Fire Defense Board is taking at look at the possible expansion of fire service (IMT) participation in the delivery of vaccinations state-wide.

CHIEF'S REPORT

Chief Nohr summarized the January Chief's report. Advised that the lateral hire start dates may be adjusted due to the ability to complete the pre-hire paperwork due to the limitations of service availability with the tight timeline. Recapped major month to date incidents. Discussed the annual employee recognition event. Does not appear restrictions will be lifted enough for in order to hold the event this year. Will be looking at alternatives to ensure the employees are recognized. There will be a news release on the new employees closer to the date of hire.

LATE EDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

None.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

None.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

None.

No further discussion. Virtual meeting adjourned at 4:42 p.m.

Attest, John Nohr

Hire Chief/District Secretary



CLARK-COWLITZ FIRE RESCUE CONSENT AGENDA February 11, 2021

- 1. Minutes
 - January 28
- 2. Pre-paid Invoices
 - \$271,342.99 (CCFR January Payroll Benefits & DRS)
 - i. Check Nos. 6857 6868
- 3. Current Invoices
 - \$ 144.00 (CCFR Capital Fund 6224)
 - i. Check No. 20722
 - \$ 1,459,486.20 (CCFR General Fund 6228)
 - i. Check Nos. 20724 20772
 - ii. ACH Transaction 202 203
 - \$ 1,651.87 (FFFB Fund 6254)
 - i. Check No. 20723
- 4. Payroll
 - January 1 31 paid January 29
 - i. \$580,462.39 Gross
 - ii. \$ 381,936.31 ACH net
 - iii. \$ 1,602.64 Payroll Warrant net
 - iv. \$ 0.00 Payroll VOIDED
 - v. \$ 76,003.43 941 Tax Deposit paid January 29
- 5. January Use Tax
 - \$ 230.81 (CCFR) paid February 5
- 6. Voided/Destroyed Claims Warrants
 - None

Commissioner Stanley Chunn – Chair	Commissioner James R Johnson – Vice Chair
Commissioner Larry Bartel	Commissioner Ken Ayers