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GRAYS HARBOR FIRE DISTRICT 5 BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS REGULAR MONTHLY BUSINESS MEETING

January 14, 2020

The Grays Harbor Fire District 5 Board of Commissioners met at the Elma Fire Station located at 112 N 2nd Street, Elma, WA, for the Regular monthly business meeting at 7:00 p.m. on January 2020.

1. Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Commissioner Crisp.

2. Pledge of Allegiance:

Commissioner Crisp called for and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Roll Call:

In attendance were Commissioner Crisp, Commissioner Patton, Commissioner Hauge, Chief Fulbright.

4. Approval of the Agenda:

Commissioner Patton made a motion to accept the agenda, Commissioner Hauge second the agenda. All voted in favor, motion passed.

5. Approval of Minutes:

a. December 18, 2019 Regular Meeting:

Commissioner Patton made a motion to accept the minutes from the December 18, 2019 Regular meeting. Commissioner Crisp seconded the motion. All voted in favor, motion passed.

6. Swearing in Ceremony for Commissioner Dave Hauge.

7. Financial:

- a. Approval of Expenses:
 - (1) 2nd Batch of December 2019, for \$20,047.42

(2) 1st Batch of January 2020 for \$41,866.22

Motion was made by Commissioner Patton to approve the expenses for the 2nd batch of December for \$20,047.42 and the 1st Batch for January 2020 meeting, for \$41.866.22 Commissioner Crisp seconded the motion. All voted in favor, motion passed.

b. Review of December Payroll:

No concerns on the final December payroll.

c. Approval of January Payroll:

Commissioner Patton made a motion to accept January payroll of \$98,538.71 Commissioner Crisp seconded the motion. All voted in favor, motion passed

d. November County Budget Reports:

Monthly reports were sent out to Commissioners earlier in the month. No discussion was needed.

8. <u>Communications</u>:

a. WA State Fire Commission Saturday Seminar on April 4, 2020 at Suquamish Seminar. This Seminar is Newly Elected/Appointed or Experience Commissioners, Chiefs and Secretaries. The Seminar meets the Statutory Open Public Meetings training requirements which is required every 4 years for elected officials. Chief Fulbright, Commissioner Patton, Commissioner Hauge and Jody Coon will be attending.

9. Chief and Committee Reports:

a. Fire Chief's Monthly Report:

See attached copy of Chief's report. Chief briefly went through report and answered questions.

10. Old Business:

a. Elma Station Remodel:

PPE Storage racks have been received, next will be to repair vertical post, sheet rock, paint and then install racks.

b. Rosenbauer Tender:

We have ordered hose and appliances for the tender and staff is loading the equipment as it arrives.

c. Navistar Ambulance:

Attorney Thomas Burke is drafting a timeline of breakdowns and drafting a rejection letter. We continue to send him each invoice on repairs and notice of break downs.

d. AFG Grant 2018 update (\$391,000)

Still in process.

11. New Business:

a. BIAS Software:

We are continuing to work with BIAS to upload all information on Bars codes, Venders and employee payroll. Once the uploading of information is complete, we plan is to run 3 to practice reports making sure that is matches with the county before we go live in payroll.

b. Zoll/Spillman Interface:

Still waiting to hear back from Andy at GH911 on the compatibility of Zoll/Spillman software.

c. Resolution:

Resolution 20-1 Commissioner 2020 Scheduled Meeting

Commissioner Hauge made a motion to approve Resolution 20-1. Commissioner Patton seconded the motion. All voted in favor, motion passed.

Resolution 20-2 Authorizing Commissioners to serve as Volunteer Firefighter. Commissioner Hauge made a motion to approve Resolution 20-2. Commissioner Crisp seconded the motion. All voted in favor, motion passed.

12. Swearing in Ceremony for new recruits:

a. No Employees to Swear in.

13. Hearing of the Public/Members Present:

No comments

14. Commissioner Comment:

- a. Commissioner Crisp: Thanks everyone from the top down for the work they have been doing.
- b. Commissioner Patton: Thanked everyone for doing what they do, the work is appreciated.
- c. Commissioner Hauge: No comment.

15. Executive Session:

Meeting went into executive session at 8:00 pm hours to discuss draft employee agreement for District Secretary position.

Meeting went back into regular session at 9:20 pm. Draft agreement was provided to all Commissioners, who advised that they would do some research and communicate information through Chief Fulbright and come back to next meeting.

16. Meeting of Local Board of Volunteer Firefighters Council:

Approval for the Board Chairman to sign BVFF voucher for Slim Mattox Retirement.

17. Adjournment:

Commissioner Hauge made a motion to adjourn at 9:20 p.m. Commissioner Crisp seconded the motion. All voted in favor, motion passed, meeting adjourned.

Approved this 14th day of January 2020.

Jim Crisp, Chairman

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Eric Patton, Commissioner

Dave Hauge, Commissioner

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Jody, Coon Secretary