

WFD DEPT. MEETING (revised)

Feb. 22, 2021

1. Meeting called to order at 7:37 pm
2. Signup sheet passed around
3. Minutes approved as written
4. Public Comments – Keep cars and trucks clean after using. Gun Club will be needing a tender and an engine on May 15th during the landing and takeoff of the Blackhawk Helicopter for the Wounded Warriors Event
5. Old Business –
 - a. EMS Scheduling – Get in your required shifts. Full shifts are preferred. Need help days and weekends.
 - b. Billing Issues – Lift assist calls will be no charge for the first time. Second time or more they will be charged
 - c. Training Log – Written excuses are needed for missed fire and ems trainings. Training needs to be made up before next training.
 - d. DCEMS – Nothing to report
 - e. JCEMS – Fort is working on getting Trauma 3 Certification. Then will be joining the Fire Chiefs Association. Watertown is still working on getting a cardiac team
 - f. Supporters had nothing to report.
 - g. Mandatory 5th Monday coming up in March.
 - h. COVID 19 Vaccine is now available to all members
 - i. Drivers – MPO's get your drive time in on new engine. MPO and Fire training nights will be used to get it done
 - j. There was no other old business
6. New Business –
 - a. Critiqued call for the Marshall fire. Marshall was dissatisfied with our performance. You need to keep up skills...not just on training nights
 - b. EMS training next month – Quarterlies and Wards updates
 - c. Fire training next month – Ice rescue and ladder
 - d. MPO training next month – Engine 8 and Ladder 3
 - e. Policy and Procedure Changes – Staying overnight at the station will be only when on shift. Full-timers only when their week to work
 - f. Response to calls – Getting lax. Need to respond if available and needed
 - g. Clean trucks and ambulances after calls – Weather is getting warmer. Clean them. Reminder that spot free is not working
 - h. Hose testing will be May 1st at 7:00 am. Be on time.
 - i. Pancake Breakfast will be done in the fall due to uncertainty of COVID
 - j. Upcoming schooling is posted
 - k. Thank you from Jon Bodefeld family
 - l. Resignations from Vern for EMS and Sam Senti

- m. Other New Business – Brent wants to do K9 search and rescue training with us. Posted on the board. Reba Blauwsch passed away. Should we send flowers when they have the memorial? Chili Fund Raiser for Elsie is this weekend. Anybody wishing to go or have something brought back or just make a donation should contact Chad.
 - n. Truck Starters – Wes, Saul, Megan, Justin, Ben, Craig
7. Meeting adjourned at 8:12pm