

# West Licking Joint Fire District

851 East Broad Street Pataskala, Ohio 43062

# Board of Trustees

# **MEETING MINUTES**

June 8, 2023

Mark Van Buren, President opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

# **ROLL CALL:**

Jersey – Dan Wetzel – absent Harrison – Mark Van Buren Etna – Jeff Johnson Hebron – Randy Wolf Kirkersville – James Kincaid II – absent Pataskala – Tom Lee – absent Reynoldsburg – Stacie Baker

## **OPEN DISCUSSION:**

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Mr. Wolf motioned to approve the May 11, 2023 Regular Board Meeting minutes. Mr. Johnson seconded. Vote: Johnson – yes; Baker – yes; Van Buren – yes; Wolf – yes. **Motion carried.** 

#### APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:

Mr. Johnson motioned to approve the May 2023 financial statements. Mr. Wolf seconded. Vote: Johnson – yes; Baker – yes; Van Buren – yes; Wolf – yes. **Motion carried.** 

## APPROVAL OF VOUCHERS:

Mr. Johnson motioned to approve the vouchers for May 2023. Mr. Wolf seconded. Vote: Johnson – yes; Baker – yes; Van Buren – yes; Wolf – yes. **Motion carried.** 

# **CHIEF:**

- A. Todd Magers, Chief, informed the Board, the District is wrapping up the SWOT analysis for the accreditation process.
- B. Chief Magers informed the Board, the District is scheduling interviews for part-time firefighters. The District is in the process of hiring full-time firefighters for the SAFER Grant.
- C. Chief Magers informed the Board, the District is gearing up for the upcoming fireworks.
- D. Chief Magers informed the Board, Captain Sturtz is instructing a class at the Firehouse Expo being held the beginning of September.
- E. Chief Magers informed the Board, Captain Molter is teaching a nozzle class at the Fire School in Bowling Green, Ohio.

# **ASSISTANT CHIEF OF EMS:**

A. Joseph Krouse, Assistant Chief, informed the Board, the activity report for May 2023 is contained in their packet. If there are any questions let him know.

# **ADMINISTRATOR:**

- A. Laurie Mayle, Administrator, informed the Board, the District is schedule the second round of interviews for the Fire Inspector positon.
- B. Ms. Mayle informed the Board, new Station 404 is progressing on schedule.
- C. Ms. Mayle informed the Board, the District closed on the Etna property on May 25, 2023. The easement with the golf course owners is being finalized. The District needs approval from the Board to request bids for the remodel of the structure and construction of the bays.

There being no further business, Mr. Van Buren adjourned the meeting at 7:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jona M Hulexer

Donna M. Hubner Fiscal Officer

APPROVED:

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President Board

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Note: These minutes are unofficial, subject to amendment, until approved by the Fire Board Members.