Avalon Fire/Rescue District Commissioner Meeting Minutes

Date: 18 May 2020

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, Don Galbraith, Paul Hazucha, Mark Talbott, and Wes Woodham. Chief Sid Wiggins, ex-officio was also present.

Attendance Names: Doug Thornton, Tom Peterson and Stephanie Peterson.

Minutes: Paul Hazucha moved and Mark Talbott seconded to approve the minutes of the 4 May 2020 regular board of commissioners meeting. The motion passed 5-0.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's Report of 17 May 2020 is attached, reviewed and accepted.

Chief's Report: N/A.

Old Business: Don will be reviewing the 2019-20 FY budget and modifying as necessary to help pay salaries. This modification should be complete by the next commissioner's meeting.

Chief Sid has been asked to review the plans for the new courthouse and give his input.

New Business: Don will be conducting TRIM training late June or early July.

Avalon firefighters did an outstanding job during the recent 5 Mile Swamp Fire. Every service vehicle and available personnel were utilized during this catastrophic event. Only minor damage was incurred. People, homes and possessions were saved due to their heroic efforts.

In an effort to reduce overtime pay two volunteers have been authorized for night shift. The telephone meeting service, Conference Now, is ending.

Correspondence and Communication: FMIT informed of an available matching safety grant to help fund COVID-19 related expenses.

Financial: To be reported next meeting due to COVID-19.

Adjournment: Chairman Johnson adjourned the meeting. The next regular meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. 1 June 2020.

Rodney M. Johnson, Chairman

Wes Woodham, Secretary