Avalon Fire/Rescue District Commissioner Meeting Minutes

Date: 2 August 2021

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

Attendance Names: Doug Thornton, Don Galbraith, TC Thrower, and Forrestt Midkiff.

Minutes: Paul Hazucha moved and Mark Talbott seconded to approve the minutes of the 19 July 2021 regular board of commissioners meeting. The motion passed 4-0.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's Report of 1 August 2021 is attached, reviewed and accepted.

Chief's Report: July 2021

Structure Fires	2	Man Power Statistics	
Vehicle Fires	0	Man Hours - Call	176
Grass/Woods/Trash Fires	0	Other - Train./Mtgs/Maint.	179
Power Lines Down/Trans. Fire	0	Classes	. 0
MVA	11	Standby/Fill Ins	75/359
False Alarms	3	Day Crew (6)	1329
Gas Leak/Gas Spill	1	Total Hours MTD	2118
Medical	24		
Water Emergency	i	Avg. Personnel per call	5 per call
Misc.	5	25 Daytime Calls (8:00 - 16:00)	•
Mutual Aids	14	36 Nighttime Calls (16:00 - 8:00)	
Total for Month	61		

Old Business: The new a/c for the north firehouse was installed.

The TRIM process was discussed including the required advertisements.

Information was distributed regarding the flat bottom boat for eventual purchase.

The 7-year plan was discussed in regards to forecasted annual changes in inflation and the district tax base at 3% and 7%, respectively.

New Business: FEMA reimbursement from Hurricane Sally came through.

Avalon has 14 first responders that will qualify for the CARES Act funds.

COVID PPE was replenished.

Paul moved and Wes seconded to authorize the purchase of a flat bottom boat not to exceed \$30,000. The motion passed 4-0.

Forrestt introduced himself and expressed his excitement about the upcoming FF2 course.

Mark moved and Paul seconded approval of \$1000 for the purchase of fire prevention supplies focused on 6^{th} graders. The motion passed 4-0.

Correspondence and Communication: The Dept. of Revenue notified of an error in the proposed TRIM ad.

Financial: Bills S-1 through S-26 approved for payment.

Adjournment: Chairman Johnson adjourned the meeting. The next regular meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. 16 August 2021.

Rodney M. Johnson, Chairman

Wes Woodham, Secretary