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January 17, 2019

Our 1st quarterly meeting of 2019 was held at Lone Hickory VFD with the Chief's Council meeting at 6:30 and the Association meeting at 7:00. The members of the LHVFD served dinner to all in attendance.

President, Dale Couch called the meeting to order and Chaplain, Mark Shoaf led the invocation.

Roll Call

Present– 9,11,12,13,14,15,16,19,21,24, EMS, Sheriff, American Red Cross, Surry CC and Forestry Service.
Not Present – 18, State Highway Patrol and NCDOT.

Minutes from our last meeting was presented by Secretary, Dale Potts. Paul Bourne made a motion to accept the minutes as presented with 2 corrections. Tommy Jester second the motion with all present in favor.

Treasurer, Neil Trivette presented the financial report.

[REDACTED]

No payments paid out this quarter.

Station 11 and 24 have not paid the last assessment for the brotherhood.

Wells Fargo Expense Account

[REDACTED]

Station 14, 18 and 19 have not paid the year 2017-18 yearly assessment.

Commissioner – No Report

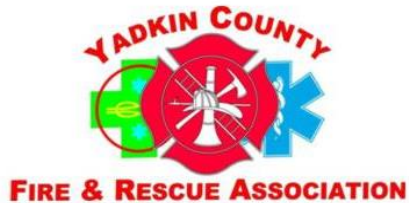
Fire Marshall – Ricky Leonard

Buck Shoals substation has been certified. Knox Boxes are in and will be disturbed soon.

EMS – Keith Vestal

Damage Report from recent disasters met the states requirement of at least [REDACTED] for department reimbursement. Only two departments turned in reports to Emergency Management for reimbursement.

Sheriff – Communications -Ricky Oliver



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Communications Director – Christi Colbert

There was a lot of discussion about 10-8, 10-24 10-8/10-24. She is requesting consistency. The only individuals that can implement a Storm Plan are the Fire Marshall, Sheriff, Communications Director or EMS Director. Whoever implements the plan are the only ones that can end the plan.

Forestry Service – County Ranger John Kessler

50/50 grant deadline is January 18, 2019 and you can register on line at NCFS.gov. The Forestry Service will be conducting a Dry Burn off Horse Shoe Road is anyone would to attend.

NC State Highway Patrol – No Report

NCDOT – No Report

Surry Community College – Ian Harrell

Ian passed out the training schedule for 2019. The NC State Fire Marshall Office will be conducting an Arson Class at eh Yadkin Campus one a year.

FEMA grant – The Association can't apply for this grant.

Regional Grant can be applied for by the county if all 11 departments within the county commit fully. This would be for money for the training center at the Yadkin Campus of SCC. Ian has talked to the chair of the Training Building Committee – Barry McClain.

Charlie Hampton is the contact person for Yadkin County concerning training with in the county.

Structural Burns, see Charlie.

Another Fire Officer Class will be set up in the next 3-4 months.

Had over 100 individuals attend the Water Haul Class. The water haul grade will happen March or April.

American Red Cross – Amanda Agear

If the small team for Yadkin County is not available, a person from another county will respond when called upon. ARC needs volunteers for Yadkin.

Fallen Firefighter Committee – No report

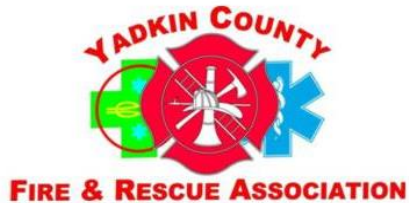
Fit Test Machine – Machine is at Forbush this month and the schedule is on association web site

Association website has been updated.

Air One needs drivers. Set up training classes through SCC. Mechanical issue with the compressor has been repaired.

Rehab Supplies – Melinda Vestal

No supplies needed at this time.



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County Contract – Steering Committee is working through the contract and with the County to look at standardizing fire protection across Yadkin County and the delivery of service.

GIS Mapping for department districts, see Steven Ratcliffe if changes are needed.

Chief's Council

Knox Boxes where discussed.

Bravo and Charlie calls will stop April 01, 2019. Will still use Bravo on wreck calls.

March 09, 2019 will be the Association Banquet. Donald Hawks presented some pricing for the County Banquet Hall. Non-Profits get a 25% discount. Room "A" will hold 50 people and room "B" will hold 130. You can set up on Friday before 5 or 1hr before the event on Saturday. The cost is [REDACTED] with a [REDACTED] deposit. Barry Williard made a motion to rent the banquet hall this year and coming years for the banquet. Larry Matthews second the motion with all present in favor.

Jody Vestal made a motion to reduce the annual fee for Air One to [REDACTED] for each department. Barry Williard second the motion with all present in favor. This will be for the 2019-2020 bill. Dale Potts will send out bills to each department.

The foam bank at West Yadkin needs to be replenished because the current foam is out of date. It was decided to purchase 10 pails of AR-AFFF Class B Foam at the cost of [REDACTED] per bucket.

The idea of building a Fire Safety House for all departments to use was discussed. Donald Hawks is going to check with FHS and SHS to see if they would be interested in taking on the project to build a Fire Safety House for the association.

Renee Mullis made a motion to adjourn at 20:50, Larry Matthews second the motion. All in favor.

Next meeting will be held April 18, 2019 at Yadkin County Rescue Squad.

Recorded – Dale Potts, Secretary