



MAPLETON VOLUNTEER FIRE MEETING MINUTES

Mapleton Volunteer Fire Department

651 2nd Street, P.O. Box 100

Mapleton, ND 58059

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July 13th, 2020

7:00 p.m. CST

In Attendance: Anthony Cross, Brittany Bangert, Griffen Carlson, Kayla Cross, LeeRoy Bangert, Jr., Marqelle Albrecht, Noah Idso, Stacey Bangert, Tyler Jorde

Absent: A.J. Weyer, Annabelle Hardwick, Josh Bjerken, Lance Bragstad, Rachel Lewis

Meeting Called to Order: 7:41 PM.

Motion to approve June's meeting minutes was made by LeeRoy Bangert, Jr. Brittany Bangert seconded the motion. Motion unanimously carried.

Motion to approve June's department expenditures was made by LeeRoy Bangert, Jr.. Brittany Bangert seconded the motion. Motion unanimously carried. Copy of expenses has been attached.

OFFICER'S REPORT

1. Chief
 - a. Grants
 - i. Cass County Serve Grant
 1. Mapleton Volunteer Fire was chosen to receive funds to be put towards purchase of a second hose tester.
 - b. SOG Annual Review
 - i. Suggested changes were compiled by Kayla Cross and emailed to all members for review. No further revisions were proposed and members were asked to sign signature sheet with Marqelle Albrecht before 8/11/20 identifying having read and understood SOGs.
2. Assistant Chief
 - a. Training
 - i. Next training scheduled for Monday, July 27th, at 7:00 PM. To review hose deployment and handling. Training for tonight will review hose loading.

- ii. FFI/ FFII at West Fargo FD
 - 1. Tyler Jorde states that there has been talk of resuming in-person classes. Date to-be-determined.
 - b. Truck Checks
 - i. Team assignments were reviewed.
- 3. Captain A
 - a. Preplans
 - i. No update to report on Icewind Brewing.
- 4. Captain B
 - a. Facility/ Equipment Maintenance
 - i. Fire Department sign materials are here. Painting plywood will take place Monday, July 20th, at 6PM for whoever is available to help. Installing the tracks will take place Tuesday, July 21st, at 6PM and anyone available is asked to come.
 - ii. The turn signals on the Tender have been repaired.
 - iii. The ventilation fan on Pumper 1 is not currently in-service and has been replaced with the fan on Pumper 2. Anthony Cross will contact the company directly to determine next steps for repair or replacement.
 - iv. LeeRoy Bangert, Jr., will coordinate an oil change for the Grass Rig.
 - v. Anthony Cross will research and purchase a battery pack for the Grass Rig.
 - vi. LeeRoy Bangert, Jr., will research and purchase an AC unit for the meeting room.
- 5. Captain C from Kayla Cross
 - a. Department Sign
 - i. Sign will be updated with upcoming Party in the Park details.
 - b. Social Media/ Website
 - i. Members asked to share posts about upcoming Golf Tournament.
 - c. 2020 Golf Tournament
 - i. The date is set for August 26th.
 - ii. LeeRoy Bangert, Jr., will check with Josh Bjerken about the possibility of him designing a bulletin board sign looking for volunteer help.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Onboarding/off-boarding process of fire department members
 - a. Sanford doesn't have the necessary equipment to complete the SCBA Fit Test but will communicate as soon as they do.
2. Fitness Program
 - a. Kayla Cross has proposed participation in an upcoming Insane Inflatable 5K scheduled for Saturday, October 24th. A Facebook poll will be posted to determine potential dates/ times and members asked to respond.
3. Bunker Gear
 - a. Brittany Bangert will send updated inventory list to Kayla Cross and Anthony Cross.
4. Casselton Summerfest Parade
 - a. Mapleton Fire has 3 apparatuses registered.
 - b. LeeRoy Bangert, Jr., will purchase candy.
 - c. Kayla Cross will provide the department with any event updates.
5. Night to Unite
 - a. Tuesday, August 4th
 - b. Brittany Bangert will research rub-on tattoos
 - c. Stacey Bangert will send calendar invites.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Membership
 - a. No updates to report.
2. Mapleton Mud Run
 - a. Saturday, August 8th
 - b. Hagge's has asked Mapleton Fire for participation as fire suppression.
 - c. LeeRoy Bangert, Jr., will determine interest and communicate with Hagge's.
3. Apparatus Cable Cutters
 - a. LeeRoy Bangert, Jr., will purchase 3 cable cutters for each of the 3 apparatuses.

Motion for meeting to adjourn by LeeRoy Bangert, Jr.. Brittany Bangert seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 8:53 PM.

End of Minutes

Minutes taken by Marqelle Albrecht, approved by Kayla Cross.