

Edisto Beach Volunteer Fire Department Meeting Minutes

Agenda Items Old Business	Discussion	Recommendations/Actions	Responsible Party & Deadline
Feb Meeting Minutes		Minutes approved as posted, no corrections	closed
Expenditure/financial report		Second and approved expenditure report as presented.	closed
Member information: Thank you note received from Jeannine Rhodes for get well wishes/card. Thank you to membership from ?? for card for illness of spouse.			closed
Committee reports:			
Fish fry.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Fish Fry Fund Raiser: One month from today. *On schedule. Trailer is reserved. *Orders gas from Youmans. *Will need pressure spray for cooker. *Need help in afternoon for Fish Fry.- Especially afternoon. Plan 3 shifts *Tommy to obtain “the Book” form Bobby. This has the recipe and ordering information record of past years *Fish to be ordered *Sat May 9 AT 0900. Pull out trailer and clean up and inventory. 	<p>Chief will arrange this. Chief will arrange this.</p> <p>Please let Tommy know when and what activity you wish to commit to staff</p> <p>Completed</p> <p>Bobby to place order Tommy/Chief to ask Cameron to send notice to all volunteers for this event.</p>	Open- all items Tommy- Responsible

	Probably 2 hrs. Any help appreciated. Shirts are ordered. Need more volunteer shirts. There are 3 shifts,8-1, 1-3, 3-7.	Let Iris know if you need an additional shirt who will volunteer.	
Training: Mock drill.	To be held in June. Date TBD.		Chief
Solicitation Fund Raiser	2233 donation requests have been sent. This is a month ahead of past schedule. Iris, Betty and Mary, Chief & Cameron assisted.		Iris, Betty and Mary, Chief
Chief's reports:	<p>*Revision of hand book- this is badly needed</p> <p>* By-Laws review</p> <p>*Maintenance/repair</p> <p>** Fish Fry coming along well.</p> <p>-Plan sub committees, and plan to move assignments around a bit.</p> <p>*Need pre event help as well as event help.</p> <p>*There will be produce to sell also.</p> <p>By ???</p> <p>* Safety/Sun glasses- sample here.</p> <p>*Helmets- must be worn at all times when in traffic or at a scene.</p> <p>.</p> <p>* ISO inspection.</p>	<p>Pending</p> <p>Needs to be done</p> <p>Repair Scene Lights on Station 2 Engine</p> <p>Yeah Tommy!!!</p> <p>Tommy is in charge of this event. He will be contacting members, feel free to contact him.</p> <p>Set to be ordered for each member. There will be safety glass clear and tinted (two lenses.)</p> <p>Helmets provide head injury protection and also has visor for sun protection.</p> <p>Colleton County Station has bay for Edisto beach. The new Engine is stationed in this location. This will give 2 engines on the scene.</p>	<p>Open</p> <p>Open</p> <p>Closed</p> <p>Closed</p> <p>Closed</p> <p>Closed</p> <p>Closed</p>

	<p>*New Station</p> <p>*Communication</p>	<p>All gear on the new engine and ready to use.</p> <p>ISO- thank you to staff and volunteers who assisted with this effort. 4-9 to 3x3X. This is a HUGE improvement. Billy, Kathy and Linda all helped build these records. This will have a huge impact on home owners fire insurance. Huge on island- nearly 1/3 reduction. This is a big deal for off the beach area. Call insurance and appraise them of change of ISO rating!!</p> <p>Need 5K allotted for design. 3 bays. City is rezoning for the purpose of the new station. Building design includes 2 training areas, sleeping areas all 4 corners., office, kitchen food prep area, a fire pole! and captain and chief office, meeting room. The new station on 174 has won many awards on design. Plan vendor is being interviewed...Pending. Chief will also talk to other stations around that have been recently built.</p> <p>This to go to council the next meeting. Chief is hopeful this will move along quickly. Chief is also looking into alternative funding.</p> <p>Communications- We have 20 radios. Will use when on scene.</p>	<p>Closed</p> <p>Open</p>
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	Visiting the Station	<p>Check in to person assigned as scene coordinator. Pick up radio immediately when put on scene. We must become part of the station and spend time here. Become an “Owner”. Now 8 chairs in main room. Lots of room for us to participate.</p> <p>We were in the paper. The paper/media miss print facts. Chief was misquoted. There is a difference between who is qualified to man the boat and who can assist on the boat.</p> <p>Volunteers and encouraged to visit the station and engage with other volunteers and paid staff. Chief: “This is YOUR Station!” He shared that Tommy brought his Grandson to visit. He is hoping to groom upcoming fire fighters. Tommy expressed appreciation for the contributions the Chief and fire fighters made to this experience for his grandson. “How to be a young fire fighter.” Was provided to the young man.</p>	
Agenda Items: New Business	*Ice Machine & maint contract-\$2500 paid for the machine. Will need maint pgm. The ice is a smaller size than past. Should meet our needs better.	Will need maint pgm. Chief and Daniel are looking into the options for service and maint plan.	Closed
	Action items	<p>Approval of funds for the purposes of:</p> <p>Repair Scene Lights on Station 2 Engine</p> <p>Design and plan for new fire station (\$5,000.00 allocation-Max)</p>	Closed

	Announcement	Next meeting: cooks Are: Diane, Cameron, Robin.	
	Distribution of "resource bags and fitting of jackets/helmets		