

Oldham County Fire Instructors Association

Meeting Minutes

21 February 2024

LFRD Station 2

Departments Represented and Current Elected Positions

Ballardsville	Foust	<i>Vice President - Coggeshall</i>
LaGrange	Thompson	<i>President & Treasurer –Thompson,</i>
OCEMS	Morrison	
Pewee Valley	Not Present	
South Oldham	Blakely	
Westport	Stark	
Chief's Representative	Chief Fante	

CURRENT ELECTED OFFICERS EXPIRE JUNE OF 2025

Other Persons Present & Organization Represented: Magistrate Hawkins.

Call to order: at 08:05 by Thompson

Minutes: 1st by Coggeshall, 2nd by Foust, unanimous approval.

Financial Report: 1st by Morrison, 2nd by Coggeshall. Account balance of \$47,168.63. Mannequins and power tools have been purchased.

OCFIA Recruit Class: Schedule is up on the website. Need to confirm with the state on the scheduled classes. Foust will get with Gosnell. Start date is Feb. 29th at LFRD #2.

OCFIA Calendar of Classes: All dates are set. NFA/ISO class has been pushed back, Will schedule it in the wintertime. Motion to spend up to \$1500.00 to rent equipment for extrication class. Project open eyes is scheduled for 03/15/24, should start setting up around 9am.

Long Range Planning: Nothing at this time.

Old Business: Barrett Smith will stiffen up the walls in the training building. The windows have been framed in with removable panels to prevent anyone falling through.

New Business: G. Wiggins (PVFD) should be attending the OCFIA meetings from now on. Burn building has been reset. Discussion on Connex container. In the research phase. Need to go and take a look at Shelbyville's training container, as well as Harrodsburg's for ideas. Self-leveling concrete in the burn box will need to be replaced.

Recruitment & Retention: April 27th the Sauerbeck drive in is hosting a touch a truck event. Times are 10am-1pm. Arrive for set up around 9:15. Banners with new design will be made by then and will have one there, also place new banners around the county and at the Little League parks.

Department Reports:

Ballardsville: Vinup has resigned from Ballardsville. New M30T drone is in service.

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Motion to Adjourn: 08:46 1st by Coggeshall, 2nd by Morrison, unanimous approval.