



Mohave County Fire Officer's Association

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Host: Fort Mojave Mesa Fire District

Location: Fire Station #92 – 1920 Camp Mohave Rd. Fort Mohave AZ

Date: February 22nd, 2024

Time: 12:00 pm

Attendance: AMR/RMI, Lake Havasu City, Priority Ambulance, Bullhead City, Golden Valley, Careflight, Oatman, Fort Mojave Mesa, Kingman, Desert Hills, Northern Arizona, Hualapai Forestry, Hualapai Fire, BLM, Mohave Valley, and Colorado City

Minutes

- I. Call to order: Meeting called to order by Vice President Justin Flummer
- II. Pledge of Allegiance: Conducted
- III. Introductions: Matt Behl – Priority Ambulance
- IV. Lunch: Conducted
- V. Presentations: No Scheduled
- VI. Approval of January 2024 meeting minutes: Motion to approve by Ted Martin, seconded by John Clark, motion passed
- VII. Approval of January 2024 treasurer's report: Motion to approve by Ted Martin, seconded by John Clark, motion passed
- VIII. Group Reports
 - A. AZ Forestry/Fire Marshal Division: Laing reported CFRA Rates will be increasing and the new ops plan has been sent out. If you have questions, please ask him.
 - B. Mohave County Wildland Fire Committee: Gifford reported that the ops plan is out and informed the group that a new change is engines will now have to show a break, the trade off is the increased revenue on the engines. He added, the statewide mobilization plan for medical response is changing and it will go through the duty officers and resource groups. Once the final revisions are made the MCFOA will need to decide how the resource rotation will go.
 - C. Fire Resource Group: T. Martin reported to make sure your availability is accurate on the website.
 - D. BLM: McGee reported they are planning a controlled burn near Hualapai Mountain in the near future. They could be requesting tenders to assist. BLM will have full staff April 8th and the shared helicopter with Phoenix in late April.
 - E. Emergency Management: Dorner reported they recently added one person to their division. He will hopefully bring her to the upcoming meetings. They have been scheduling Emergency Management meetings with the cities. He added, expect training

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announcements to be coming out. They are planning: Ops Section EOC Training, Incident Command – All Hazards, & Ops Chief this year. He concluded, this is vital training and asked everyone to please get their agencies involved.

- F. Legislative: Moore reported that items are moving through, and 76 Bills could impact fire departments. Ones to keep an eye out for are: 2274 PTSD, 2290 CON IFT, 2418 Oversight Boards, 2637 SLIF Drones, and also wildfire funding and other PTSD bills.
 - G. AZ Fire Chiefs: Yeager reported the state mutual aide revisions are being done. He echoed Dorner's report by adding the DEMA classes will allow individuals to open task books and add a needed element to the area.
 - H. AFDA: T. Martin reported AFDA is staying up on the legislative happenings. He added, the winter conference had good feedback and they are working with AFCA on the summer conference.
 - I. WAFMA: No Report
 - J. WACEMS: Taylor reported the CON holders meeting is March 5th and the new DHS checklist revisions will be coming out of it. He will make sure they are sent out to everyone.
- VI. Training/Education (classes scheduled throughout the State)
- 1. Officer Development Academy 1.0 – March 12-15, Bullhead, AZ
 - 2. F0612 - Command and Control of Wildland Urban Interface Fire Operations for the Structural Chief Officer – April 4 & 5, Kingman, AZ
 - 3. F0760 - New Fire Chief: Challenging Issues – April 17 & 18, Bullhead, AZ
 - 4. Wildland Preparedness Drill – March 27, Kingman, AZ
- VII. Old Business
- 1. County HazMat Response: No Update
 - 2. MCFOA hosted Training/Seminar Discussion: Stanec reported he reached out to Salka and Lasky, our 2020 speakers who we cancelled due to Covid. They are not taking speaking engagements again until 2025. He asked for discussion and guidance from the group.
- VIII. New Business
- 1. VFIS Renewal: \$1,746.00: Stanec reported it is time to renew our VFIS Insurance Policy. Last year we paid \$1,733 and it is increasing to \$1,746 this year. Ted Martin motioned to approve renewing the insurance policy, seconded by Yeager. All in favor, motion passed.
- IX. Round Table: Respective reports given by all members.
- X. Executive Session: Requested and conducted
- XI. Next meeting/location: March 28th, 2024 (Scheduled for **Desert Hills, Golden Shores, Yucca, or Oatman**) Oatman agreed to host next meeting.
- XII. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned by President Dave Cunningham at 13:25

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