



Mohave County Fire Officer's Association

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Location: Mohave Valley Fire District – 1451 Willow Dr. Mohave Valley, AZ

Date: October 27, 2022

Time: 12:00 pm

Attendance: Mohave Valley, Golden Valley, Fort Mojave Mesa, Desert Hills, Lake Havasu, Bullhead, Colorado City, AMR, Oatman, Hualapai, Kingman, Red Cross, Careflight, MCC, and DFFM

Minutes

- I. Call to order: Meeting called to order by President Jack Yeager 12:06
- II. Pledge of Allegiance: Conducted
- III. Introductions: Room introductions
- IV. Lunch: Served
- V. Presentations: Red Cross (Karen Pimentel & Laurie Bursiek) & MCC (Brian Knarr)
- VI. Approval of September 2022 meeting minutes: Motioned to approve D. Martin, seconded S. Bunn, motion passed
- VII. Approval of September 2022 treasurer's report: Motioned to approve D. Martin, seconded J. Stello, motion passed
- VIII. Group Reports
 - A. AZ Forestry/Fire Marshal Division: Laing reported fire season has slowed, but still potential for activity. He added they are looking to add training S-131 in the future and S-230/231 scheduled for February.
 - B. County Fire Resource Group: Yeager reminded the group to update working group website
 - C. BLM: No report
 - D. Emergency Management: No report
 - E. Legislative: No report
 - F. AZ Fire Chiefs: Yeager reported the pilot Chief Executive Officer training completed. A report from AZ Chiefs will be coming out and will be shared with the group. Flanagan added, future development program has been created, it will help plan for AZ Chief and AFDA functions.
 - G. AFDA: Stanec reported registration for the conference is open, Yeager added new board members must attend.
 - H. WAFMA: Martin reported the group met in Mohave Valley
 - I. WACEMS: Waalkens reported provider grants are due in four days.
- VI. Training/Education (classes scheduled throughout the State)

President Jack Yeager, Kingman Fire Department Vice President Dave Cunningham, Golden Valley Fire District
Secretary/ Treasurer Bryant Stanec, Desert Hills Fire District



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1. Instructor I, November 3,4,7,8,10, 11 & 14 – Mohave Valley, AZ
2. CISM Training November 8-10, 2022 – Kingman, AZ
3. AFDA Conference – January 11-13, 2023 – Laughlin, NV
4. Leadership Academy – TBD
5. S-230/231 Wildland – Feb 6-10, 2023 – Kingman, AZ
6. NFA Shaping the Future (F0602) – March 22-23, 2023 - Bullhead City, AZ

VII. Old Business

1. County HazMat Response: Flanagan reported they were awarded the HMEP ADEQ Grant for the area. This will bring HazMat refreshers, additional training, and allow members to attend training in Baltimore. This is a 3-year grant.
2. Prop 310: Neil reported, polling still looks favorable, but we will wait and see how the elections turn out. A number of speaking events have taken place throughout Mohave County.

VIII. New Business

1. Discussion and possible action to approve; new associate members (Mohave Community College & Laughlin/Bullhead Airport): Yeager opened the item up for discussion, motioned to approve by S. Bunn, seconded by K. Barlow, motion passed
2. Discussion and possible action to approve; retirement plaque for Byron Steward: Yeager opened the item up for discussion, motioned to approve with a \$200 spending limit by D. Martin, seconded by S. Bunn, motion passed. Yeager mentioned he will order the plaque from a local vendor.
3. Discussion to review of Mohave County Mutual Aid Agreement: Yeager began the discussion with he reviewed the current agreement and recommends just updating the signature page. Stello added he agrees, no verbiage needs changed. It was the group consensus to leave as is, but update with department head signatures. Motioned by D. Martin, seconded by J. Stello, motioned passed. An updated signature form will be available next meeting.

IX. Round Table: Respective round tables conducted

X. Executive Session (if requested): No need

XI. Next meeting/location: November 17, 2022 (Scheduled for **Lake Mohave Ranchos, Hualapai Nation, Colorado City, or Beaver Dam/Littlefield**) **Next meeting will be at Hualapai Nation, location TBD.**

XII. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 13:30