

Harris County Council of Fire Chiefs  
February 7, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Chairman McClung.

Department Representation:

Skip Wyatt	Ellerslie
Bill Houle	Harris County Training Officers
Doug Stinnette	Shiloh
Jack McClung	Pine Mountain Valley
Alex Lawski	Waverly Hall
Jimmy Carver	Pine Mountain
Mitt Smith	West Point
Ben Hood	Hamilton
Byron Hawkins	Northwest Harris

Guests:

Bucky Searcy	Harris County EMS
Jeremy Hill	Harris County EMS
Mike Dean	Georgia Forestry Commission
Greg Bryant	Ellerslie
Becky Langston	Harris County Commissioner

The minutes of the January 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting were approved as written.

The Treasurers Report remained at \$18,456.30.

Jack introduced Mike Dean, Ranger, Georgia Forestry Commission who then explained that he is replacing Alfred as the person in charge of our area.

Bucky Searcy, EMS was next on the agenda and presented the Volunteer Fire Department Automatic Aid Program for Harris County EMS which they are updating. He asked that we review the document and get back to him with any comments or concerns.

The Training Officers Meeting Report was presented by Bill Houle who also handed out the Harris County Fire Training Survey which he asked each to fill out and get back to him ASAP.

The Training Center Report was also given by Bill Houle in which he stated that signs still need to be put up. Also the approved receptacle has yet to be wired in and there are two leaks in the Cascade System.

Repeater/Radio Communication: Nothing to report.

Wheels O Fire II: Scheduled for September 28, 2019.

Fire Service Plan: Nothing to report.

Old Business: There was none.

New Business: A motion was made for Ellerslie to purchase five sets of gear for less than \$10,000.00 out of their Equipment Fund. With a second the motion passed unanimously.

Round Robin:

Waverly Hall	Good pressurized container class at Antioch.
Pine Mountain	Annual Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner on the 23 <sup>rd</sup> .
Northwest Harris	Quiet.
West Point	Poor showing at the CHAMPS Meeting.
Ellerslie	Need a Mutual Aid Agreement with Talbot County.
Hamilton	Battery on the Brush Truck is dying.
Shiloh	Quiet.
Pine Mountain Valley	New Apron has been poured.

Becky Langston reported that Harris County now has a formal agreement with Diverse Power on the new radio system.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:41 PM.

Byron Hawkins