



Location: Firehouse



Date: 3/17/2026



Time: 1:00 PM

MEETING MINUTES

Attendees: Commissioner Jim Frazier, Commissioner David BeDell, Fire Chief Gene Hought, Commissioner Kathy Howard, Secretary Vikki BeDell, Eric Becker

I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 1:00 PM on March 17, 2026. Jim Frazier presiding.

II. ROLL CALL

Roll call was conducted. See attendees above.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING

1. Amended meeting minutes for November 2026 reviewed. Motion to approve by Commissioner Frazier, seconded by Commissioner Howard. Motion passed.
2. Meeting minutes for February 2026 reviewed. Motion to approve by Commissioner Frazier, seconded by Commissioner Howard. Motion passed.

IV. NEW BUSINESS

1. A request from Atlanta Power for assistance purchasing a diesel generator from Federal surplus was received. The Fire District cannot directly purchase it then sell the generator to the Power District. The Fire District is processing a request through Idaho Department of Lands (IDL) to have them acquire a generator which the Fire District will loan to Atlanta Power for 1 year. Then Atlanta Power can buy the generator from the Fire District. The Fire Chief has submitted an application to IDL. Commissioner Frazier is composing an agreement to be approved by both Atlanta Fire and Atlanta Power.

Motion to proceed with this process. Motion by Commissioner BeDell seconded by Commissioner Howard. Commissioner Frazier abstained. Motion passed.

V. FINANCIALS

1. There were 2 deposits that were questioned. The deposit of \$1067.61 was from Elmore County, the \$97 deposit was a donation from a Jeep Club through the Beaver Lodge. These changes will be updated on the financials.
2. The Chief and Commissioner BeDell discussed where to charge the maintenance fees in the budget. These items will be assessed on a case by case basis.

Motion to approve financials by Commissioner BeDell, seconded by Commissioner Frazier. Motion passed

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VI. CHIEF'S REPORT

A. Tender 2

1. R&R bill \$2,314.27 which includes ABS breaks, replaced wheel seals, changed oil and filters and DOT inspection.
2. Most of the baffles have been placed in the tank.
3. Still need the passenger side basket. Paul Amundsen has the materials.
4. The truck may be placed active by Monday
5. The Chief would like to replace at least one of the spare tires with a new tire. Currently they are all the old tires.

B. Calendar is up to date on the website.

C. The Chief is looking for a trailer to hold the spare tires. One may be purchased from Federal Surplus or get a grant from IDL. The trailer will need to be altered to be towed behind the Tender.

D. Training week of April 6. Fire fighter 2, Fire fighter 1, and refresher.

E. Chief's certification requirements: a 2 mile walk carrying a Pulaski, a fire shelter, radio and water bottle within 45 minutes.

F. Need 4 shelters for the Brush truck.

G. Training last week. New members Kurt and Alanna Steinke, radio call numbers 2928 & 2929.

H. This summer training we will need to communicate to the community about possible road closures and who will be admitted in the event of a fire.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn by Commissioner Frazier, seconded by Commissioner Howard. Motion passed.

Adjourn at 2:16 pm.

Minutes taken by: Vikki BeDell, secretary
