

Leon Fire District Meeting Minutes

November 30, 2021

The Leon Fire District Meeting of the Leon Fire Commissioners was called to order by Commissioner Herman at 7:05. Commissioners: Jerry Abers, Robert Ellis. Douglas Keppel, Fire Chief: Jason Lyndsley, Treasurer: Margaret Filock, and Secretary: Jackie Ellis attended. Chairman Ryan Emmick was excused.

Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes:

A motion was made by Commissioner Abers and seconded by Commissioner Keppel to approve the November minutes. Carried all ayes.

Secretary Ellis stated that only one letter of intent was sent for the Commissioner position. The Election will be held at the Leon Fire hall on December 14, 2021 from 6pm until 9pm.

Treasurer Report and Audit:

A motion to accept the Treasurer Report was made by Commissioner Ellis and seconded by Commissioner Abers. Carried all ayes.

Treasurer Filock stated it would be more beneficial to do away with the Apparatus Fund and create an Equipment Reserve Fund and an Unallocated Funds .

Pay Bills

A motion to pay bills was made by Commissioner Keppel and seconded by Commissioner Ellis. Carried all ayes.

Chief's Report: Chief Lyndsley discussed:

- Chief Lyndsley presented a new membership- Carrie Mozes
A motion was made by Commissioner Abers and seconded by Commissioner Keppel to accept Carrie Mozes into the Leon Fire Company. Carried all ayes.
- The UTV was winterized.
- A discussion was had as to purchase of blue light bars for the UTV as lighting was an issue on a snowmobile accident last winter. Prices were researched and waiting until after the first of the year was suggested.

Old Business

As was discussed at the LFD Special Meeting held on November 16th, Commissioners' Abers and Herman traveled to Corbin, Kentucky to look over a 1996 Spartan Tanker truck to purchase and replace Leon #4 (Mini Pumper) and Leon #5 (Tanker). They spoke directly with the owner which agreed to fix any lighting issues, tire issues, lettering additions, and deliver said vehicle.

After a lengthy discussion, a motion was made by Commissioner Abers and seconded by Commissioner Ellis to purchase the vehicle.

Herman-Aye

Abers-Aye

Ellis-Aye

Keppel-Opposed

New Business

A request was made by some Councilmen that a letter was to be sent to the Leon Town Board addressing the condition of the Leon roads during wintery weather. Their concern was that the roads needed to be cleared in case of emergencies and felt a better job needed to be done.

Adjourn: A motion was made by Commissioner Abers and seconded by Commissioner Keppel to adjourn at 7:55 Carried all ayes.

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