

## BLACK BUTTE RANCH R.F.P.D.

# BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING **April 27, 2023**

## Optional Teleconference Information:

## Join the meeting from your computer, tablet, or smartphone:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86827342471?pwd=cVpmdWUrWC85WkxSSGlvcnlodFR6UT09 Meeting ID: 868 2734 2471 | Passcode: 185340 | Phone: +1 253 215 8782 US

Larry Stuker called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

#### **Board of Directors:**

- ✓ Don Bowler
  - Rodger Gabrielson
- ✓ Dave Gibson
- ✓ Tom Sawyer
- ✓ Larry Stuker

#### Administration:

- ✓ Chief Dan Tucker
- ✓ Deputy Chief Jason Ellison
- ✓ Jamie Vohs

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**Motion:** Tom Sawyer moved to approve the March 23, 2023 meeting minutes as presented, seconded by Don Bowler, unanimously passed.

#### **REPORTS**

## **Treasurer Report**

**Motion:** Don Bowler moved to approve the March 2023 financial reports as presented, seconded by Dave Gibson, unanimously passed.

Inquiries on the Treasurer Report:

- Deschutes 911 \$2327.13 service agreement
- J&R Fire annual sprinkler test of the overhead fire sprinklers

## Chief's Report

### Fire and Ambulance Report – Chief Tucker

March 2023, the department responded to the following:

- 25 total calls
- 5 fire
- 11 medical

- 3 ground transports
- 0 air transports
- 2 move-up
- 7 public assists
- 11 mutual aids
- 5 duty officer responses
- 0 move-up calls
- 48 PC's
- Year-to-date calls 78 (8 more than YTD 2022 and 5 more than YTD 2021)

## Inquiries on F&A Report:

- Average number of calls for the month of March
- There were five fires only one was a working incident (grease fire)
- There were no major accidents
- 8 PCS two were filled and two were called off
- A couple of the RV's are finishing up on being able to run BLS transports

#### **Chief Tucker discussed:**

Strategic Plan & Goals – On Hold (Training and Budget in Process)

## Firewise Report

D/C Ellison reported the department did not get awarded funds for the apparatus grant. He is still waiting to hear on the grant request for the road repairs to the road to Cold Springs. The staffing grant that could be applied for gave priority to districts who receive under \$2.0 mil in tax revenue, which disqualifies BBR RFPD.

The Forest Management Committee recently did their ranch walk-through.

A lot of communication about lot certification. Those homeowners who receive a letter have 120 days to respond before action is taken.

There will be a presentation given at the annual homeowners meeting specifically on communication about renters and seasonal people.

Inquiry if there is anything the board needs to do to act on Firewise. The Firewise committee should continue to reinforce the burning regulations.

Discussion on whether or not homeowners should be burning pine needles. Burning pine needles helps keep costs down. There are not too many homeowners who burn their pine needles. June 1<sup>st</sup> the Ranch will start picking up homeowner needle piles (piles on roadside) for free.

#### **President's Report**

No report.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

## **Budget Outlook – (Discussion)**

The budget is good and the Budget Committee Meeting will take place on May 2, 2023.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

No new business.

## **GOOD OF THE ORDER**

Zoll Defibrillator/Monitor Grant (\$954.60 + \$33.80 = Total Cost - \$988.40) (Value \$97,182)

Chief Vacation May 31sst through June 17th & June 22nd through June 25th

Aerial Operator Class will take place this weekend

## **NEXT MEETING DATE**

1<sup>st</sup> Budget Committee Meeting – Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 ~ 9:00 a.m. 2<sup>nd</sup> Budget Committee Meeting (if needed) – Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023 ~ 9:00 a.m. Board Meeting, Budget Hearing & Possible Adoption – Thursday, May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023 ~ 9:00 a.m.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Board meeting adjourned at 09:35 a.m.

OFFICIAL MEETING MINUTES		
Approved by	Larry Stuker	
	Don Bowler	Date: May 25, 2023