

**DISTRICT 13 ASSOCIATION  
MINUTES  
JUNE 29, 2017**

**Members Present:** Dave Kingsbury, Judy and Phil Whitley, Deb Hansen, Chris Galiszewski, Colby Thompson, Mari Bottoms, Kevin Silvernail, Rocky Desimini.

Meeting was called to order at 7:45 p.m by President Dave Kingsbury at North Powder Fire Station.

Minutes from the May 25<sup>th</sup> meeting were read. Mari made the motion to accept the minutes, Phil seconded. Approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** Chris reported that Dist. 13 had \$14,346.76 at this time. Sumpter not sure they can pay dues this year because of finances being short. They know if they don't they will pay non-member price for classes. David Blair has signed off of all the bank paperwork. Chris had signature page from the bank for the officers to sign. As soon as the account is done he will rent a P.O. Box for Dist. 13 so we don't have to keep changing addresses with each new treasurer. Chris also has the credit card. Will get that changed. He will have one and Deb will have one. Chris has posters printed out for the 2017 Fire School. He will take them around in his travels to other departments. He has linked the TIMS class to our website. Departments will go straight to ODOT's link to sign up for the class. That can be interchanged with a wildland protection class. Sprinkler placement, and wrapping houses, to protect them from fire. The other class will be Driver's class. Classroom teaching the first day and driving the second day. Casey and Corrina are in charge of the meat, and Chancy on getting the gun trap clubhouse. Chris was telling us about a class he took that was sponsored by Search and Rescue. Had lil back packs to hand out with the SAR logo and other items. Might look at something like that for our fire school.

**DPSST:** Rocky sent monthly report to Deb who sent them out to the departments. The state does not have anyone specifically to take over Rocky's position. The state still has a hiring freeze. A lot of Rocky's responsibility will go to David Jensen. The District won't receive the props for a while. Part of the car fire prop in August and another half in September. Rocky's in put on the MTU is it is up and it is down.

**DLO:** Island City is coming up due and Baker City. Six month notice for La Grande Fire.

**Proposed Trainings:** Chris knows someone who has a single engine airplane, wings are off, no engine so no fuels. Maybe some training for departments.

**Comments from members:** Rock informed us that Federal facilities wont' accept Oregon Driver's License because we now have and undetermined gender on the ODL. Will need passports.

**Recent Incidents:** Rollover at Taylor Green with patient pinned under the vehicle. Was extremely difficult to find the accident. On Star was way off on its GPS.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

Next meeting will be in Imbler on July 27<sup>th</sup>.

Respectfully submitted,

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Debra Hansen, Sec.

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Dave Kingsbury, Pres.