



La Paz Unified Fire-Medical District  
PO Box 1889 Quartzsite, AZ 85346  
70 E Tyson Street  
Serving: Quartzsite, La Paz Valley, Rainbow Acres, Vicksburg, Hope, Brenda, Harcuvar, Salome and  
Wenden -EST 2025



**Board Meeting Agenda  
Thursday, April 16, 2026**

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is given to members of the La Paz Unified Fire & Medical District Governing Board, and to the public that the Governing Board of the District will meet on Thursday, April 16, 2026, at 6 p.m. at LUFMD Station 33 located at 70 E Tyson St. Quartzsite, AZ 85346. Members of the Governing Board or the Public may attend in person or via teleconference. The Governing Board may vote to go into executive session on any agenda item, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) for legal advice with the district's attorney. The public will have physical access to the conference room at 5:45 p.m.

To join the meeting via teleconference: Dial 1-978-990-5115; access code 8789696. For Technical support dial 1-928-916-2864.

**AGENDA**

1. Call Meeting to Order.
2. Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Roll Call.
4. Consent Agenda:
  - A. Discussion/Possible Action re: Approval of Financials and Treasurer's Reports for the month of March 2026.
  - B. Discussion/Possible Action re: Approval of March 2026 Meeting Minutes, and the corrected minutes of 1-22-2026, item #14 Resolution number 2026-22-01-3:
5. Assistant Chief's Report: Discussion Only
6. Call to the Public: Those wishing to address the Fire District Board need not request permission in advance. The Fire District Board is not permitted to discuss or take action on any item raised in the call to the public due to restrictions under Open Meeting Law. However, individual Board

Members may respond to criticism directed toward them. Otherwise, the Board may direct that staff review the matter or that the matter be placed on a future agenda.

7. Possible vote to go into Executive Session for the following items.
  - A. Personnel matters, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A)(1) regarding the Fire Chief's Employment and the Fire Chief's Employment Contract.
  - B. Legal advice, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A)(3) regarding the Fire Chief's Employment and for instructions to legal counsel pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(4) regarding the Fire Chief's Employment Contract.
  - C. Legal advice, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) and for instructions to legal counsel pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(4) regarding a lease agreement with Saint Florian Fire and EMS Training.
8. Discussion/Possible Action re: Fire Chief's Employment and Fire Chief's Employment Contract.
9. Discussion/Possible Action re: Lease Agreement with Saint Florian Fire and EMS Training.
10. Discussion/Possible Action re: Cooperative Agreement with AZ DFFM, State Wildland.
11. Adjourn Meeting.

**Persons with a disability may request reasonable accommodation by contacting the La Paz Unified Fire & Medical District at 928-916-2864 (formerly the Quartzsite Fire District office) or at 928-859-3261 (formerly the McMullen Valley Fire District office). Requests should be made as early as possible to arrange accommodation.**

**LA PAZ UNIFIED FIRE & MEDICAL DISTRICT**  
**CERTIFICATION OF POSTING NOTICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the attached notice was duly posted at the Quartzsite US Post Office, the Coyote Fresh Store, the Quartzsite Town Hall Bulletin Board, the Salome Shopping Center, The Brenda Country Store and the U.S. Post Offices in Salome and Wenden.

Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April 2026. By: Kevin Hess

The Next Meeting will be held at LUFMD Station 33, May 21st 2026 at 6:00pm located at 70 E Tyson St. Quartzsite, AZ 85346