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YUMA COUNTY FIRE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

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Dusty Fields - President
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Daniel Padilla - Treasurer
Greg Lopez - Secretary

Thursday, Oct 22, 2020 – 1130 A. M.
Hosted by ZOOM

Minutes

CALL TO ORDER: Called to Order: at 1135 by Dusty Fields

- I. **ROLL CALL SIGN IN SHEET:** Dusty Fields, Greg Lopez, Marc Holyfield, Paul DeAnda, Steve Legros, Tim Soule, Louie Carlos, Joe Waterford, Kayla Franklin, Mark Rivera, Gerry Ball, Steve Irr, Tony Badilla, and William Unterseh
- II. **INTRODUCTION OF GUEST:** None
- III. **APPROVAL OF LAST MEETING MINUTES:** Motion to approve minutes by Paul DeAnda, second by Louie Carlos. Unanimous in favor.
- IV. **TREASURER'S REPORT:**
 - Daniel Padilla was not present, Steve Legros spoke on his behalf. No change in the account. Balance of \$2,607.74 with no transactions to report. Confirmed a refund by GoDaddy.com for website account credit.
 - A motion to accept the treasurer report was made by Louie Carlos and second by Steve Irr. Unanimous in favor to accept.
- V. **CORRESPONDENCE:**
 - None
- VI. **COMMITTEE REPORT**

Training / Safety –

 - Training committee did not meet
 - Paul DeAnda passed that the Mobile Live Training Unit is being moved from Somerton to Wellton. Any departments looking to use the trainer will need to contact Wellton Fire to coordinate.
 - Steve Legros passed the NFA class will take place this coming week. A reminder to all students that a \$25.00 payment is required the first day of class.
- VII. **EMS Committee –**
 - EMS committee did not meet

Legislative –.

 - Steve Irr- Nothing to pass.

Mutual Aid –

 - Dusty Fields passed regional MA training will be pushed out shortly. Anticipate a formal schedule to be sent out in the coming weeks.

VIII. BUSINESS

a. Unfinished BUSINESS

- None

b. New BUSINESS-

- Dusty Fields addressed the association to discuss the intent for CoY to offer Fire Ground Survival Training in the future. Would like to get an idea of who would be interested in the training. Louis Carlos commented that it would be great training due to the amount of Mutual Aid Agreements between agencies in Yuma County. City of Yuma will be addressing this training in the future once they complete their department requirements. POC for this will be CoY- William Unterseh and Steve Legros.
- Steve Legros provided basic info on the class and what it offered.
- Tim Soule also spoke on this topic and commented that AWC is looking at building the props required for this training and offer classed thru AWC.

IX. ACTION ITEMS –

- None

X. GOOD OF THE ORDER –

- Tim Soule: Only one person from Rural Metro currently out on deployment. From AWC, Looking for interest if AWC provided professional development classes such as Instructor I, Officer I or any other class that would benefit the community. Please contact Tim directly for info.
- Joe Waterford: Thanks for all the patience from the community with dealing with the current medic class. YRMC has opened back up and will start clinical time next week.
- Steve Legros: There is one available seat in the NFA class for next week. Had a last minute cancellation and will take the first one interested in attending.
- Greg Lopez: New website up and running with updates happening daily. Please visit www.YCFOA.org.
- Tony Badilla: above Ground Tech Class is a go! More info will be pushed out shortly.
- Louie Carlos: Will be heading up a training meeting to discuss the possibility of hosting a ropes class here in Yuma County. There will be a ZOOM meeting on Wednesday 28 Oct @ 1000 to discuss. Invite will go out to training committee members.

XI. ADJOURNMENT:

- A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Louie Carlos and second by Paul DeAnda at 1203. The next regular meeting is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, Nov 19, 2020 @ 1130. More information will be passes based on COVID standings as the meeting gets closure.