



YUMA COUNTY FIRE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

P. O. Box 331
Yuma, AZ. 85366

- President

Javier Hernandez – Treasurer

Lopez – Vice President

Kayla Franklin - Secretary

**Thursday, December 15, 2022 – 1130 A. M. – at La Bodega Kitchen,
1950 Cesar Chavez Blvd, San Luis, AZ 85349**

**San Luis FD Host
Yuma, AZ**

Agenda

- I. CALL TO ORDER: Call to order at 11:46 am**
- II. ROLL CALL SIGN IN SHEET: James Stewart, Russell Hartley, Joe Waterford, Favio Rivera, Greg Lopez, Enrique Lopez, Javier Hernandez, Clemente Ballesteros, Kayla Franklin. On Zoom: William Unterseh, Hector Gaxiola**
- III. INTRODUCTION OF GUEST: no guests**
- IV. APPROVAL OF LAST MEETING MINUTES: Clemente Ballesteros motioned to accept - Enrique Lopez seconded, all approved**
- V. TREASURER'S REPORT: no change - Kayla Franklin motioned to accept, Enrique Lopez seconded, all approved**
- VI. CORRESPONDENCE: Per Chief Fields the AFCA Board members will be attending the March 23rd YCFOA meeting at Chretins, YFD will be the host agency. Joe Waterford wants AWC to host in April. Kayla will get with Greg Lopez to make a new schedule.**
- VII. COMMITTEE REPORT**
 - Training / Safety – no meeting was held. Contact needs to be made with Chief Root once he is back with Professional Services to see if he wants to chair the training committee
 - EMS Committee – no meeting was held, YFD will have changes to the EMS Battalion Chief position coming up for the new part of the year. Romeo started a protocols committee, Javier Hernandez to forward out the email to the group. The Exceptional Health meeting has been postponed until December 20th.
 - Legislative – Kayla to send out fireworks ordinance update that matches state law now to the membership
 - Mutual Aid - no update

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VIII. BUSINESS

- Unfinished BUSINESS - none
- New BUSINESS – none

IX. ACTION ITEMS – Vote officers -

- **Nominations: A survey monkey email will be going out soon for all members in good standing to vote. Please vote when you get this email.**
 - **VP: Hector Gaxiola, Paul Evancho**
 - **Secretary: Kayla Franklin is willing to take nomination for next year**
 - **Treasurer: Javier Hernandez is willing to take nomination for next year**

X. GOOD OF THE ORDER –

- **Javier Hernandez - tomorrow is the light parade for Somerton, and the tamale festival is Saturday.**
- **Russ Hartley - Title 42 is ending on the 21st of December, Yuma County declared a state of emergency. Yuma County looking for a facility to process people. They are anticipating a lot more people coming through.**
- **Joe Waterford - All the EMT students passed - they will now take their national registry, 10-20 already had their FF, so trained applicants should be coming online for the community. Two EMT academies will be run because there were 40 applicants. There are 15 applicants for the fire academy so that is a go. Joe will be meeting with fire chiefs in January to talk about the clearing house program for all of Arizona. Joe will reach out to the chiefs individually.**

XI. ADJOURNMENT: Next meeting will be held January 26th at 11:30.

Host: MCAS Structural FD.

- Motion to adjourn by Javier Hernandez, Enrique Lopez seconded, adjourned at 12:30.