

Cabarrus County Fireman's Association
Minutes of
July 10th, 2008 Meeting
At Cabarrus Rescue

President Montague called the meeting to order

Roll call by Secretary Allen Burnette as follows:

Number Attending the Association Meeting	
Committed	Attending
	5
Allen	
Cab EMS	4
Cab Rescue	6
Cold Water	4
Concord	1
East Gold Hill	2
Emerg. Mgmt.	2
Enochville	2
Flowers Store	0
Forester	0
Georgeville	2
Harrisburg	2
Jackson Park	2
Kannapolis	2
Midland	8
Mt Mitchell	2
Mt Pleasant	2
Northeast	5
Odell	2
Richfield	4
Rimer	2
Sheriffs Dept	0
United Cabarrus	1
Guest	5
Total	65

Minutes read and approved,

President Montague reported that some departments still have not received their orange RIT tarps.

President Montague asks all departments to support the National Volunteer Fire Safety Council.

President Montague spoke on the challenge made by Ed Phillips for each department to have members on the different committees and how good participation could improve the association.

Communications Committee: Tim Hurlocker reported the Communications Committee was recommending having Cabarrus Rescue to respond routine on all working fires.

Memorial Committee: Bobby Smith reported that they have permission from the county to put the memorial with the law enforcement memorial on county property, with some limitations on size and looks. Also he is working with some vendors on same.

Recruitment Committee: Ed Phillips reported that they had not met due to lack of participation, but hoped to have a meeting soon.

Safety House Committee: Ed Phillips reported that Allen Fire Department could no longer store the fire safety house when not in use and ask for another department to host same.

Training Committee: President Montague reported that the training committee needed a new chairman and this was a very important position.

Web Site Committee: President Montague reported that the Association had spent \$1300.00 on the web site and still could not get support from some fire departments to provide information and pictures.

Steve Langer reported that two new subdivisions in Cabarrus County would have residential sprinklers in the new homes to be built and the Land Search Team would have training on July 16th 2008 on the new GPS equipment. Also need members from each department on the Land Search Team.

President Montague reported that the new 800 radios were in and being programmed.

Alan Thompson reported that there were six slots available on the State Medical Assistance Team and there would be training next week for same.

President Montague spoke on the upcoming command training which was being held at the Stanly County Agriculture Center.

Concord Fire Marshal Mark Brown reported that there would be a Life Safety Education class to be held at Concord Fire Department and anyone was welcome to attend.

The next Cabarrus County Fireman's Association Board of Directors meeting will be held on September 11th at Cold Water Fire Department and the next Cabarrus County Fireman's Association Meeting to be held at Cold Water Fire Department on October 9th 2008 with all members to wear Class A uniforms if possible.

Motion and second to adjourn.

Respectfully Submitted,
Allen Burnette