



MINUTES
FIRE PREVENTION ASSOCIATION of NEVADA
Wednesday, November 14, 2012

Location: Las Vegas: College of Southern Nevada-Cheyenne Campus
North Reno: Regional Training Center
Elko: Great Basin College

Attendees: Available Upon Request

Meeting was called to order at 13:08 by FPAN President Reggie McCollins.

VISITORS

None.

ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Wayne Daily to accept the minutes from the September 19, 2012 meeting and seconded by Chris Miesenheimer. With no objections, the motion carried.

TREASURER REPORT – *Michael Svoboda*

Michael gave the report. The bank account amount is available on request to Association members.

MEMBER AGENCY

International Fire Marshals Association
National Code Services Association
International Code Council
National Fire Protection Association

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Fireworks - *Dennis Bergquist*

Dennis was absent; so no report was given.

Training - *Ed Kaminski*

Ed was absent so Reggie spoke about training. Simplex Grinnel recently taught a 4 hour UL300 class for the southern region and we are working on a class for the northern region.

On November 27/28, at Hilton Garden Inn (1340 W Warm Springs Rd, Henderson), Honeywell is teaching a class for their Fire-Lite Alarms.

On December 4/5, at the Las Vegas Fire Training Center (633 N Mojave Rd), there is a residential fire sprinkler class. This is the same class that was recently given up north and it is highly recommended. There are currently 12 available spaces.

Fulton Cochran from Southern Nevada ICC is looking for members to be on a fire council committee to assist in the development of exams. He can be contacted at fulton.cochran@cityofhenderson.com

Public Education – *Bev Bolton*

No report given

Website –

No report given.

ByLaws – *Steve Deiter*

Steve was absent so Michael Svoboda gave the report. The committee met in October to reconvene and they are currently on elections. They are still moving forward and should be finalized soon.

Sesame Street – *Steve Dieter*

Steve was absent so Michael Svoboda gave the report. They are still looking for an appropriate place. Steve is meeting with a couple locations and will be coming back to the committee for approval.

Reggie added that the Sesame Street section of the website was taken down until it can be updated. FPAN will be in full support of this great program!

ASSOCIATION CORRESPONDENCE

Paul Smith recently attended a HazMat course. Information from the course will be coming out with the Coffee Break e-mails.

OLD BUSINESS

Elections –

The deadline for voting is Friday, November 16th. We would like a volunteer, from outside the fire department, to help count and witness the votes.

Membership Dues –

Michael sent an e-mail to those that are delinquent. If those dues are not paid, they are going to be deleted from the e-mail blast and their votes will not count in the election. We value our members and their input, but dues must be paid. The 2013 dues will be coming out soon.

NEW BUSINESS

None

GOOD AND WELFARE FOR THE ASSOCIATION

Reggie thanked to members present for their attendance. It seems attendance continues to drop. We are trying to improve the Association and one such improvement is training at each meeting. If you have any suggestions, please e-mail Reggie (RMcCollins@lasvegasnevada.gov).

We are setting up our end of the year luncheon for next month. The luncheon information will be e-mailed.

ADJOURNMENT

Shannon Pike made a motion to adjourn at 13:30 and was seconded by Wayne Daily. Meeting adjourned.

Don Wilkins from SFM's office then gave a training class on "Adult Group Care Homes"

Next FPAN meeting: January 16, 2013.