

**Oconee County Fire Rescue
Station Chiefs Meeting
Station 8 – 7:00 PM
August 8, 2022**

CHIEFS PRESENT:

Fire Chief, Bruce Thaxton
Station #1 Chief, Mike Link
Station #2 Chief, Greg Peck
Station #4 Chief, Chris Higginbotham

Station #5 Chief, Jason Mauldin
Station #6 Chief, Britt Alger
Station #7 Chief, Nelson Wilbanks
Station #8 Chief, Keith Kelley

OPEN MEETING called to order at 7:00 p.m.

BOC Chairman John Daniell was also in attendance.

Motion to approve the July 11, 2022 minutes was approved.

I. Truck / Station Maintenance:

1. Looked over outstanding work orders for Fire Rescue. Bruce distributed a Fleet memo to the Chiefs on protocol for taking OCFR trucks in and out of service.

II. Training:

1. Chiefs reviewed the training schedule for August. August training consists of the following: Stop the Bleed Class, PPE & SCBA Training, Portable Water Supply Drill, Electric Vehicles Parts 1-3, Ropes & Knot Classes, Preplan Bogart Community Center, Pump Practicals Drill, Preplan Colham Ferry School, PPE Cleaning & Inspection Class, Hoisting Tools & Equipment Review, Confined Space Entry Awareness Class, Gas Monitor Class, Critical Thinking Incident Class, Firefighter Down Class, Electric Vehicle Familiarization Class, Forcible Entry Class, Elevator Class, and Spinal Immobilization Medical Class.
2. Chiefs reviewed the Potential Firefighter and Medical Responder roster. The following are ready for Interviews and / or Assessment Labs: (1) Medical Responder, (2) Support Drivers, & (3) Firefighters.
3. Chiefs reviewed the monthly training hours for July 2022.
4. Bruce reviewed training reports. Chiefs were encouraged to review Truck & Station Maintenance training reports. The monthly training topic should be included on the reports.
5. Bruce distributed the 2022 Fall Medical Responder course schedule to the Chiefs.
6. Bruce distributed the September 2022 schedule for fire prevention in elementary schools to the Chiefs.

III. Miscellaneous:

1. Chiefs reviewed volunteers that are lack training hours.

Meeting adjourned by consensus of the Chiefs. Time = 7:40 pm.

Minutes taken & typed by Bruce Thaxton.