

ECRFPA Meeting Minutes

January 7, 2019 at Questa Village Council Chambers

1. Call to Order at 1808 hrs by Craig Sime.
Attending: Craig Sime, Juan Carlos Gonzales, Mark Ortega, John Ortega, Scott Gibson, Bob Coss.
2. Agenda approved. Motion Bob Coss/Second Juan Gonzales to approve Agenda passed.
3. Minutes approved. Motion Bob Coss/Second Juan Gonzales approve Minutes of December 3, 2018 Meeting passed.
4. Guests:
 - a. Jessica Frastaci with Artesia Fire Equipment.
5. Reports:
 - a. Moreno Valley - Provided assistance to NM State Police for traffic control regarding lots of vehicle accidents resulting from snowy/icy road conditions on Palo Flechado Pass.
 - b. Eagle Nest - No fires. Provided assistance to NM Sate Police for traffic control for Cimarron Canyon road closures resulting from snowy/icy road conditions. Also provided some EMS assistance.
 - c. Questa - Three dumpster fires and some EMS assists.
 - d. Cerro - Some EMS assists.
 - e. Angel Fire - 47 calls for December. The Ice Rescue Class scheduled for Feb 9 & 10 is full. Students will receive paperwork via email.
 - f. Red River - Typical busy winter month.
 - g. Sierra Bonita - 2 calls for mutual aid.
6. Old Business:
 - a. MOB Guide Revisions - reminder - everyone needs to get revisions to Red River ASAP.
7. New Business: None
8. Training:
 - a. Ice Rescue Training in Angel Fire on February 9 & 10, 2019. Contact is Chief Murtagh at AFFD.
 - b. Haz-Mat A & O Course will take place over 2 weekends (4 days) starting March 8 at Questa. Registration is being done via the State website.
 - c. Taos County is hosting P.I.O. class March 5, 6 & 7, 2019 in Taos -- it is all classroom instruction and will cover Joint Information Center Operations.
9. Announcements:
 - a. Wildland Academy S130-190 - Need to discuss & confirm dates. Ron Burnham suggests:
April 1, 2019 Monday evening classroom
April 5, 2019 Friday all day classroom
April 6-7, 2019 Saturday-Sunday - Field Evolutions (location TBD)
Chris Cote to be I.C.
10. Action Items:
 - a. John Murtagh will email Ice Rescue Course to students
 - b. Everyone needs to finalize Wildland Academy.
11. Meeting Review: All good. Several departments not represented due to a large structure fire outside of Taos.
12. Next Meeting: February 4, 2019 at 1800 hours at Moreno Valley Fire Dept., Val Verde Station.
13. Adjournment: 1830 hrs.

Respectfully Submitted,

Scott Gibson, Chief
Eagle Nest Volunteer Fire Department.