

Wood River Rural Fire and Rescue Department

December 15th, 2025

Time: 2000-UTC

Attendees:

Nate M – Fire Chief	Jenie M. – Fire Prevention	Josh F. – Fire Treasurer/ Captain/ Trustee
Nick L. – Rescue Captain	Matt M. - member	
Layce M – Amb. Treasurer/ LT	Nick E. – 2 nd Assistant Chief	Adam W. – Trustee
John H. - Captain	Amy B. - Trustee	Lindsey N. – Secretary/Trustee
Jesse F.- member	Matt M. – member	Todd K. – 1 st Assistant Chief/ President
Judy K. – Rescue LT	Josh G. – Trustee	Peyton C. – probationary member

Excused: none

Note: The Fire Chief abstains from voting on all motions unless required for a tie breaker.

#	Topic - Presenter	Notes
1	Open meeting and Approval of Dec 2025 Meeting Minutes	Opening for Pledge of Allegiance Motion to accept prior Meeting Minutes 1 st - Nick E, 2 nd – Amy Motion carries
2	Fire Treasure Report Josh Follmer	Overview current financials and expenses Account Balances Checking account \$ 6832.12 Savings \$56,942.49+ Pickle \$13,303.81 Bills Fled Fire – Dingus Fire Laser Work City of WR ORCK Creations Up to a \$100 reimbursement for each member who ordered T-shirts/clothing from store that closes today. 1st Layce, 2- Matt M. to pay bills Motion carries
3	Ambulance Treasure report- Layce Mayhew	Overview current financials and expenses Checking \$4279.76 Savings \$7664.92 CD Account \$11092; matures end of month – will reinvest for another 6-month CD Received \$440 from rose sanctuary and \$500 donation from Snodgrass

		<p>Overview eNARIS payments owed for documentation</p> <p>Nick L. – documentation and supplies</p> <p>Brian U. - documentation</p> <p>Jenny - documentation</p> <p>Josh G. - documentation</p> <p>Josh F. – documentation and food</p> <p>Lindsey – food</p> <p>Motion to pay bills</p> <p>1st – Matt M 2nd – Todd K</p> <p>Motion carries</p>
4	President Report Todd K.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tallgrass grant is planned and submitted - Fire blankets for EV is going out of favor as its trapping gases. There are some alternatives that are pricey, may consider approaching mutual aide about that - Aurora co-op grant deadline coming up - WR Centennial foundation grant deadline Feb 20th; strongly encouraged to apply
5	Fire Chief Report – Nate Mayhew	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Check over gear to ensure has gloves, hood, good boots - Todd, Erkhart, Mayhew choosing people who will get next new gear - Need grants for new radios - Banking – interested in comparing to other banks? Suggested to roll part of Firefighter funds to CD and leaving rest in account. <p>Training – Adam W. and Nate M. are pulling names out of the hat on topics. Non-officers will teach, officers can support</p>
6	2 nd Assistant Fire Chief Report / Mutual Aid –Todd K.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Met last week, asked GI if they would auto-dispatch a team - Talk about setting up a medical response team; - Doniphan holding a FF1 class meeting 2/4th Mondays at 7-9pm - Upcoming Wednesday is the wildland task force meeting, any can attend - Need dates of NEMS training, can get it on FEMA website, see attached photo for levels needed for each position - March 19th 10am-2pm doing the March Madness - Feb 26th at 1pm, at EC Tornado Table top drills - Update asked for radio communications; Tower equipment has been installed and tested in Alda and WR general city hall, Carroll.
7	Rescue Captain – Nick Lammers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - When putting something in the box for reports, please let someone know - Friday Feb 20th, a code drill at the school at 1030am - April 6th ; helicopter training - Likely EMS course at High School next years

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Analytics for department – need an estimate on hours from each member spent on - - Training - - Time on Calls - - Time in Meetings - - Any other hours on clean-up/station needs - Lexipol license just renewed, please use the site <p>\$800 brought in from medical bills</p>
8	Fire training – Nick E.	<p>FEB – SCBA/ Search (Nate/ Adam) March – Wildland training (Todd, Nick E./ Jesse) April – Helio/ EMS (Nick L., Amy, Peyton) May – Fire School June – Scene Size (Nate, Josh G.) July – Water rescue (Jenie, Urby, Jesse) August – VEH (Nate/ Josh) Sept – EVOG (Nick, Josh G., Riley) Oct – Pump Ops (Todd, Josh F., Shuda) Nov – Tours of local area (Adam, Layce, Amy) Dec – Scavenger Hunt (Adam, Nick E., Riley)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Now that its cold and everyone is inside, do online Firefighter 1 - Ensure you are bringing the radio when you respond to calls - Concern about hearing quality on Channel 5; Platte Valley to be called by Nick L. <p>Josh F. presented Feb 6-8th Les Luger Search and Rescue class. \$300 and get reimbursed afterwards</p>
9	Fire Prevention – Jenie Maloney	Winds are strong, make certain we keep track of the burns permit.
10	Committee Report	<p>Adam working on funding and raffle contributions. Pool pass is secured for raffle; Casey’s, HyVee giftcards.</p> <p>Letter is drafted; requesting a save the date card for individuals as well. Facebook posting (event) will be created soon.</p> <p>Feed date is March 1st, from 8am-1pm</p>
11	Old Business	<p>DeWalt adapters to be ordered by Matt M.</p> <p>Reminder: CERT Class, if we get 12 individuals, can hold this</p>
12	New Business	Garage door opener issues. Requested that a Wi-Fi/cellular openers to be installed. Todd K. to contact Casey to get quote.

		<p>Must go to Council for payments over \$1000.</p> <p>Samsara – City and Rural board covers cost 50/50. Reason went with program is it has real time reporting, including dead batteries. Considering if can lower cost or replace system with something comparable. Current cost is \$3300.</p>
13	Elections	<p>Vote for all single nomination positions 1st Jenie, 2nd Matt M.</p> <p>Trustees – need 3 Elected: Josh G., Josh F., and Adam</p>
14	Meeting adjourns	<p>Motion to Adjourn at 2056 1st – Jenie M., 2nd – Layce Motion Carries</p>