

March 13th, 2024 Sweet Station

The meeting was called to order at 705m by Harvey Church. Those present were Harvey Church, Bev Martin, Poppy Darby, Michael McCaulou, Sheb Church, Jim Heikes, Ben Goslin, Jennifer & Matt Weston and Tim Buckendahl. The minutes for February were read by the Secretary. Harvey moved we accept them as corrected and Bev seconds.

Chairman/Commissioner Harvey Church: • Due to Montour area commissioner vacancy, run another notice of vacancy with deadline to respond 04/03 for the 04/10 meeting. Post on facebook and in the newspaper.

Commissioner Bev Martin:

950 was discussed at 982 does not have overhead protection as it is larger, so discussion was had to go ahead and repair instead of donate.

Bev also presented a response from the Ola Sewer District and it was decided by Harvey & Bev to postpone a resolution until we are conforming with the bylaws.

Bev attended countywide preparedness plan CWPP and funds are available for different projects like vegetation mitigation, education for land owners re defensible space, response enhancement. We could also look at fire station improvements or community education funds for ideas discussed earlier this year. We will look at possible funding from CWPP for water drafting systems. Also discussed using a drill night to draft at Allan Hermansons and see what is possible with suction line and ditch pump.

Snake River Training Association fundraiser coming up, GCFD2 donating \$100 as a D&B gift card and also will renew dues at the same time, Bev will attend fundraiser and present this gift.

Bev reports no report from Timony yet, probably will move along when the snow melts

Tire quotes were reviewed and will be replaced through Sweet Garage.

Fire Chief Jim Heikes: 3 Medical, 2 Fire

Also discussed changes proposed for driveway standards, will update as proposal progresses

New phone number is working but still needs caller id and text messaging

Poppy to call Planning and zoning with new phone number 208-593-0221

Would like remote control of heat at Sweet, Michael will do

Compressor (big one is toast) look for grant to cover new one approx 72,000, form a committee to work on this and other grants, Matt, Jennifer, Sheb & Poppy and agreed to meet

Mechanic Michael McCaulou: new generator is set up and a maintainer was added.

Clarence Dischner is out two more months for transfer of frequency

Mechanic Sheb Church: • \$600 needed for adapters to go with valve repair, Bev & Harvey said to proceed
New Gas tanks were discussed due to fuel issues with old gasoline that has compromised the vehicles. Tabled for next meeting as to if we get new tanks or new gas, new filters and new padlock.

Ben Goslin presented costs for chainsaws, lights & batteries that can be purchased at the D&B dewalt sale and those will be purchased when the sale starts for approx \$1300.00.

Secretary/Treasurer Poppy Darby:

Secretary presented the bills, Harvey made a motion that the bills be paid and it was seconded by Bev. The bills were then presented and paid. Adjourned the meeting 9:12