



# GALVESTON COUNTY FIRE FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION

REGULAR MONTHLY BUSINESS MEETING

April 7, 2011

## CALL TO ORDER

Commissioner Wisko called the meeting of the Galveston County Fire Fighters Association to order at 7:20 PM at Galveston Fire Department Station #5.

Bob Doolittle gave the invocation.

## ROLL CALL

Bacliff FD	2	High Island FD	1	Port Bolivar FD	
Bayou Vista FD	1	Hitchcock FD	4	Santa Fe FD	8
Crystal Beach FD	2	Jamaica Beach FD	1	San Leon FD	1
Dickinson FD		Kemah FD		Texas City FD	1
Friendswood FD	8	LaMarque FD		Tiki Island	4
Galveston FD	10	League City FD			
AB Products		Fire Admin. Services		MES	
Apparatus Services		Fire Fighters Apparatus		Metro	1
Bullard		Foam Pro		Penreco Fire Dept.	
BP Fire dept.		Forrest Bend FD	1	Orr Safety	
CISM		Galveston County OEM		Public Serv. Leadership Prog.	
COM	3	Gulf Coast FF Assoc.		Re Max Realty	
Dooley Tackaberry		Jack Rody		Regnier & Assoc.	
Draeger		M & M Fire		Southeast FD	
Ferrara	1	Marathon FD		UHCL	
		Martin Apparatus		United States Service Group	
				VFIS	
				Vista Realty	
				Wilson Fire	2

## SPECIAL GUESTS

Major Ray Tuttlmondo from the Galv. Cnty Sheriffs dept spoke about the re-banding of the radios.

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Motion made by A. Cargile and seconded by O. Thompson to approve the minutes for the month of March. Motion carries.

## **TREASURERS REPORT**

Treasurer's report was read by M. Wisko.

Motion made by T. Anderson and seconded by "Bear" to approve the treasurer's report for the month of March. Motion carries.

## **COMMUNICATIONS**

East-Tex wildfire and incident Class in Lufkin Texas

San Leon fundraiser, May 14. B-B-Q dinners from 11-4 and a dance from 7-12.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Training-** Started new member class 2 weeks ago. There are 12 students.  
COM May 16-27 Drivers class \$595.00 – Contact Stan for details.

**Accountability** Mike mentioned that we may see some of the UASE grant money in 2012.

### **EMS**

**Website** Send stuff for the web site to Allison.

### **Resource Book**

### **Dispatching**

### **Constitution and By-laws**

### **Mapping**

### **Audit**

### **Contract**

## **COLLECTION OF DUES**

Crystal Beach, Jamaica Beach, Port Bolivar, AB Products, MES, Penrico and Firefighters Apparatus all need to pay their dues.

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Rooms still available for the conference in June.

There is a new group over Mardi Gras, and they want the Fire trucks back in the parade. The parade is moved to the second weekend.

Monday, April 25<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm – Meeting with county Officials at the North County Annex in League City.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

The 2 trucks that were inherited will be housed at COM and used for Cadette training until someone needs one of them.

## **GOOD OF THE ORDER**

T. Anderson mentioned that Harris County is now re-banding their radios, and that all of the radios that you currently own will eventually have to be re programmed.

Thanks to Metro and the Galveston Fire Department for the meal. Also to the Fire Marshals office for helping serve and set up.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50 PM

**NEXT MEETING PLACE**    **at Friendswood St. #4 on May 5 , 2011**

## ***GALVESTON COUNTY FIRE FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION MONTHLY METING NOTICE***

There will be a monthly meeting of the Galveston County Fire Fighters Association. Please place this memo on your bulletin board and inform all members of this meeting location, date and time. Please make every effort to attend these meetings.