SMITHVILLE AREA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
REGULAR MEETING
February 25, 2025

The regular monthly meeting of the Smithville Area Fire Protection District was called to order by Chairman Jason Ekis at 7:00 p.m. Board members present were Jason Ekis, Clifford Grindel, Brian Laybourne, and Ken Wilson.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

REVIEW PREVIOUS MONTHS MINUTES:

The minutes of the January 28, 2025 regular meeting were approved with no changes and without objection.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

The Treasurer's Report for January 2025 will be filed for audit with no changes and without objection.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: None.

CHIEF'S REPORT:

Chief Cline provided the Chief's report.

January had a total of 102 incidents.

Community Risk Reduction. 2 PR events, 6 inspections, 2 plan reviews, issued 10 permits in January.

Personnel completed 329.5 hours of training.

Maintenance. Furnace at Station #1 needs repairs due to a water leak from a broken valve. The water's currently shut off.
Station #3 radiant floor heat system still not repaired. ECS has been contacted.

Unit Number 2401, the pumper that's at Station #3 is currently out of service for some warranty repairs.
Tires replaced on the squad and it is back in service.

Administration. Chief Cline and Chief Taggart attended a communications meeting with Platte County Sheriff's office regarding dispatching for fire departments in the area.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

UNFINISHED/OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Swearing-in Firefighter Zachary McCowen

Chief Cline administered the oath to Firefighter Zachary McCowen.

NEXT BOARD MEETING:

The next regular meeting of the Board of Directors will be Tuesday, March 25, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

ADJOURNED:

J. Ekis made a motion to adjourn the regular meeting. Motion was seconded by B. Laybourne. Roll call vote: K. Wilson, yes. B. Laybourne, yes. C. Grindel, yes. J. Ekis, yes. Motion carried. Adjourned at 7:06 p.m.

Respectfully,

/s/ Liebe Stevenson

LIEBE STEVENSON, C.C.R #1340

The meeting minutes were written by Liebe Stevenson, under the authority of the Board of Directors. These minutes are not official until read, approved and signed by a member of the Board.

Ryan Larson, Secretary **Date**