



Northwest Arkansas Metro Chiefs

Training Officers Association

July 2022 Meeting Minutes

Springdale Station 6

1000 Hours on July 13, 2022

Call to Order:

1. Captain Lee called meeting to order at 1003 hours. Members present include:
 - a. Rogers FD: B Howard, N Pace, A Box
 - b. Springdale FD: J Guthrie, P Lee, B Gadberry, M Bronner
 - c. BVFD: B Earley, L Lieutard
 - d. Farmington FD: B Hellard
 - e. Bentonville FD: J Bequette
 - f. Benton County: L Harrell
 - g. Johnson FD: C Wright
 - h. Beaver Lake FD: Stauber

Welcome new members or guests:

- *Captain Box as new Captain in RFD Training Division*

Old Business:

1. **Approval of the Minutes** for June
 - a. *Motion: Howard, second Bequette*
2. **Exercises-**
 - a. *2nd Qtr- Ropes in Bella Vista had 20ish participants. Went Well*
 - b. *3rd Qtr- Swiftwater drill to be hosted by RFD. White River below the dam. September 15th at 09:00.*
3. **Classes for 2022-**
 - a. *Peer support team training in Rogers FD*
 - i. *Tonya Glenn, Sept. 20-22, 2022*
 - b. *February NIMS 300/400 in Bentonville. Unknown exact dates.*
 - c. *October 24th-November 4th Hazmat Tech in Bentonville*
 - d. *August 20th Propane Class in Farmington \$175 each*
4. **2022 Academy-**
 - a. *23 in EMT. Could use some help teaching.*
 - i. *Total Cost to Metro is \$500 for each student.*
 - b. *Anticipating between 15 and 20 for standards academy in Fayetteville.*
5. **CPAT dates for 2022-**
 - a. *Potentially add December 3rd.*
 - b. *Payment and registration moved to Metros Chiefs website?*

New Business:

- *1403 Class through AFA. Director Woody looking at putting something together.*
- *OKC Trip was cancelled due to Covid. Try again in future.*

- *Present the idea to Metro of adding an “EMS group” for protocols and EMS items etc.*
 - Motion:

Next meeting Springdale FD Station 6, August 10th

GroupMe – Anyone needing to be added to the GroupMe text group, please send your cell phone information to BC Bronner at mbronner@springdalear.gov . If you need to be added to the NWATOA Google Group so that you will receive group email information from the TOA, send your email request to mbronner@springdalear.gov.

Motion to Adjourn: _____ Vanatta, 2nd Howard 10:55am _____