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***Rogue Valley Professional Fire Fighters***

**IAFF Local 1817**

**July Minutes - Union Meeting**

July 17th, 2024, 6:00 PM Via Zoom/ Station 22

**ATTENDANCE**

**E-Board Members Present**: Brian Anders, Brian Simonsen, Eric Merrill, Travis Linville

**Members Present**: TJ L., Garret Byrd, Allyson J., Cole Hornbrook, Andy C, Trevor P, Clayton M, Evan C., Alex C., Jason A.,

The meeting was called to order by President Anders at 6:05 p.m.

**Approval of Last Meeting Minutes:**

Garret makes a motion to approve the May meeting. Eric M 2nds the motion. Motion has passed unanimously.

**Action Items:**

Open

**Discussion Items:**

**Eric M- Treasurer Report**: See budget report on Union Website for each account and amounts. Expenses include the E Board Salaries, and negotiator pay.

**Brian Anders:**

Grievance with Community Care Schedule. Their schedule was over 40 hours one week and short 40 hours the other. The week that worked over 40 hours the heavy week was not being paid OT. A grievance was filled and both parties worked on a solution. Updates to their schedule have been made and back pay was issued to the affected members.

Jacksonville IGA and the JCFD 5 developments. Main questions asked by the members where, one, did the E Board know of the proposal in advance of Chief Hussey’s email; yes. Second, what is the E-Boards stance of the minimum staffing levels. The E Board has made it clear that if the IGA is for an extended time (over 5 years) three-person engine companies are a must. The E-Board also wants the goal to be always staffed with 3. This is still developing, and Jacksonville will guide where they want the District to assist. District 5 is very much in the preliminary stages.

President Anders went on a call and passed the meeting chair to VP Simonsen.

Travis Linville: Discussed the cost of Labor Contract Printing. The members agreed that everyone should receive a paper contract. The cost will be $525.00 for Black and White.

Jarred Nichols: Coffee talk moved to next meeting.

**Good of the Order:**

Clayton: Wanted to know about the current list on Support Assignments and the supporting documents. Simonsen stated there is a lot of discussion on various topics. Eric M added that discussions are on going and want to get this contract right. **Jason Allen added that nowhere in the document does it state the a member may deny a support assignment.**

Allyson asked about when the new Holiday hours will hit the books. The new increase in holiday time will not be given out until 2025.

Clayton: Karli B was spear heading the Non-Profit movement. What is the status. Simonsen added that it has been moved to the back burning due to the other things going on. Who would like to spearhead that? We should still move forward with it but need someone other than an E Board member to take control.

Eric M: More standby personnel needed at the Fair.

**Adjournment:**

**Brian S:** Looks for a motion to adjourn. Clayton T makes a motion to adjourn, Alex C,, seconds. No opposition. No abstains.

Meeting Adjourned at

Approved by, Submitted by,

Brian Anders Travis Linville

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President – Brian Anders Secretary - Travis Linville