

**MINUTES OF THE
ELEVEN HUNDREDTH AND TWENTY-SEVENTH MEETING
OF THE
EUREKA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
ST. LOUIS AND JEFFERSON COUNTIES
STATE OF MISSOURI**

JULY 26, 2016

BE IT REMEMBERED, that the Board of Directors of Eureka Fire Protection District of St. Louis and Jefferson Counties, Eureka, Missouri met at the office of said District, Boardroom, Central Engine House, 4849 Highway 109 , Eureka, Missouri 63025, on Tuesday, July 26, 2016, at 1930 hours (7:30 p.m.). At the above time and place there were present:

ROLL

Patrick Feder	-- Chairman and Director
Francis B. Oberkramer	-- Treasurer and Director - Absent
Charles E. Kuhn	-- Secretary and Director

Chief Greg Brown
Assistant Chief Tomnitz
District Counsel Patrick Butler

Guests in attendance - various members of the paid and volunteer staff

QUORUM

A quorum being present, the Chairman called the meeting to order and announced the Board of Directors meeting to be in session for the transaction of any and all business to be brought before it at this time.

AMENDMENTS TO AGENDA

The Chairman inquired as to whether or not there were any amendments to the Tentative Agenda for the meeting. Chief Brown reported the following additions to the tentative agenda:

II. Communications: none.

III. Public Comments: none.

IV. Budget: none.

V. Land Agreements: none.

VI. Old Business: none.

VII. New Business: none.

I. APPROVAL OF PRIOR MINUTES

The Chairman called for acceptance or rejection of meeting Minutes for the July 12, 2016 meeting.

The minutes were unavailable and not presented for review, modification, or approval. Following discussion, and on motion by Director Feder, seconded by Director Kuhn, the following motion was unanimously approved and accepted:

“RESOLVED, that the Minutes of the Board of Directors’ Meeting of July 12, 2016 are hereby tabled for approval.”

The Board of Directors being present and voting affirmatively, the Resolution was adopted and approved. The roll call vote was as follows:

Director Francis B. Oberkramcr	- Absent
Director Pat Feder	- Aye
Director Charles E. Kuhn	- Aye

III. COMMUNICATIONS

The Chairman next called for discussion of Communications.

A. Thank you from SSM

Chief Brown presented a copy of a thank you note from SSM regarding the District's participation in the Red, White, and You event.

B. Thank you from Julie George

Chief Brown presented a copy of a thank you note from Julie George.

C. Thank you from Cedar Hill Fire

Chief Brown presented a copy of a thank you note from Cedar Hill Fire.

IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS

The Chairman next called for Public Comments.

No public comments were presented to the Board.

V. BUDGET AND FINANCIAL MATTERS

A. Treasurer's Report

The Chairman next called for a discussion of financial matters. A financial report was presented to the Board of Directors for review of general revenue checking, capital improvement checking fund, medical self-insurance fund, escrow balances, preliminary check register with attachments, and account payable invoices. Following a brief discussion, a motion was duly made by Director Oberkramer, and seconded by Director Kuhn, and the following Resolution was unanimously adopted:

**RESOLUTION
ADOPTING THE TREASURER'S REPORT
OF THE
EUREKA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
JULY 26, 2016**

“BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of Directors of the Eureka Fire Protection District of St. Louis and Jefferson Counties, Missouri, that the Treasurer’s Report submitted to the Board of Directors, July 26, 2016, is hereby approved and accepted, including the payment of bills presented, with corrections if any; and,

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that said Report be appended to these Minutes and incorporated herein by reference, and that the disbursements, payment of bills, and transfers of funds therein approved be made by the appropriate, District Officers.”

The Board of Directors being present and voting affirmatively, the Resolution was adopted and approved. The roll call vote was as follows:

Director Francis B. Oberkramcr	- Aye
Director Pat Feder	- Absent
Director Charles E. Kuhn	- Aye

VI. OLD BUSINESS

There being no further Old Business matters, the Chairman then requested the presentation of any Old Business.

No items were presented.

VII. NEW BUSINESS

There being no further Old Business matters, the Chairman then requested the presentation of any New Business.

A. Hiring Process

Chief Brown requested permission from the Board to post and advertise for employment with the District in order to replace the departure of Kurt Labelle and Justin Light.

A brief discussion was held.

Chief Brown made the recommendation to offer employment to DJ Tomnitz and Jared Stegman, as well as James Browski as a floater firefighter.

Following discussion, and on motion by Director Kuhn, seconded by Director Feder, the motion was unanimously approved and accepted:

The Board of Directors being present and voting affirmatively, the Motion was adopted and approved. The roll call vote was as follows:

Director Francis B. Oberkramer	- Absent
Director Pat Feder	- Aye
Director Charles Kuhn	- Aye

B. Equine Search & Rescue Candidate Application

Chief Tomnitz reported to the Board that the District had received an application for the Equine Search & Rescue program and that each individual is a good candidate.

Following discussion, and on motion by Director Kuhn, seconded by Director Feder, the following resolution was unanimously approved and accepted:

“RESOLVED, that Kimberley Noyes, Dana Sharp, and Adam Johnson, and erin Mullett are hereby added to the District Volunteer staff as a member of the Equine Search & Rescue program.” The Board of Directors being present and voting affirmatively, the Resolution was adopted and approved. The roll call vote was as follows:

Director Francis B. Oberkramer	- Absent
Director Pat Feder	- Aye
Director Charles Kuhn	- Aye

C. Quarterly Reports

Chief Tomnitz presented the quarterly reports for the 2nd Quarter of 2016. After detailed review of the reports by the Board, no substantive questions were presented by the Board.

A copy of the reports are attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

Following a discussion, and on motion by Director Feder, seconded by Director Kuhn, the Board of Directors being present and voting affirmatively, the motion to approve the quarterly reports was adopted and approved. The roll call vote was as follows:

Director Francis B. Oberkramcr	- Absent
Director Pat Feder	- Aye
Director Charles E. Kuhn	- Aye

MOTION FOR CLOSED SESSION

Thereafter, on motion duly made by Director Kuhn, seconded by Director Feder, and unanimously adopted, it was decided that there shall be a closed meeting of the board of directors, with closed records and closed vote, to be held for the discussion pursuant to RSMo. Section 610.021 (1) Legal actions, causes of action or litigation involving a public governmental body and any confidential or privileged communications between a public governmental body or its representatives and its attorneys; RSMo. Section 610.0.021(3), Hiring, Firing, Discipline or Promoting of Particular Employees by a public governmental body when personal information about the employee is discussed or recorded; and RSMo. Section 610.021(23), Preparation, including any discussions or work product, on behalf of a public governmental body or its representatives for negotiations with employee groups, to occur immediately after "new business" or at such time during the meeting as convenient to the meeting.

The Board of Directors being present and voting affirmatively, the Motion was adopted and approved. The roll call vote was as follows:

Director Francis B. Oberkramcr	- Absent
Director Pat Feder	- Aye
Director Charles Kuhn	- Aye

Based upon the foregoing vote, the public session of the meeting of the Board of Directors adjourned at 7:50.m. and a Closed Meeting was held.

RECONVENMENT OF OPEN SESSION

The public meeting reconvened at 8:12 p.m., after the completion of the closed session.

NO ACTION TAKEN BY THE BOARD IN CLOSED SESSION AND NO VOTES TAKEN. NO ROLL CALL VOTES TAKEN DURING CLOSED SESSION.

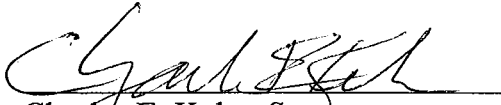
VIII. ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING

Therefore, there being no other or further business to come before the Board, the Chairman stated that the next regular meeting of the Board of Directors shall be held Tuesday, August 9, 2016 at 1930 hours, Training Room, Eureka Fire Protection District, 4849 Highway 109, Eureka, Missouri 63025.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion duly made, seconded, and unanimously approved, the Chairman adjourned the general public meeting of the Board of Directors at 1947 hours (7:47 p.m.).

Respectfully submitted,



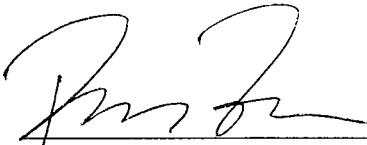
Charles E. Kuhn, Secretary,
Board of Directors

Approved:

Agent.

Francis B. Oberkramer, Director

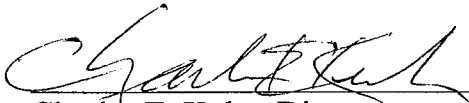
Date



Patrick Feder, Director

8/9/16

Date



Charles E. Kuhn, Director

8/11/16

Date