

Hope Township fire department monthly meeting

Date: October 7, 2019

Call to order with pledge to flag at 19:00

Roll Call

9 Members Present, 5 Excused, 1 Unexcused, 15 Members Total Members

Guest: Andy Kobisa

Past minutes read:

Motion made to accept past minutes by: Jim Doepker , Seconded by: Zack Filcek Motion carried: Yes

Chief's Report:

Total Monthly Runs: 7: Medical 3, Fire 0, Chemical spill 1, Weather 1, Wire down 1 , Storm Warning 1

- Brian will be talking with the board about quotes on some shirts for the fire department.
- Trunk or treat at Meridian high school will be the end of October. Let the Chief know if you can go. Brian will get further details.
- Trunk or treat at the township park will be October 31st from 4:00 until 7:00. Let Brian know if you can go. Mike will get the trucks down there.
- John Reisig has withdrawn his resignation and will continue on the department.
- There was a dam safety exercise a while back and there will be a dam safety exercise in the future. Chief will get more information on it and let us know when and how we are to respond. Andy talked about future plans with the dam and lake.

Assistant Chief's Report

- Mike ordered signs and posts and they will arrive October 8. Mike will come down and unload them. After that please do your areas as soon as possible. Signs should be numbered so the numbers are seen as we come from the station.
- All saws chains have been sharpened and are ready to go and REC gas cans are full.

Old Business

- No old business.

New Business

- Reminder that dinner will be October 12 at 6:00.
- Do not use infant warming blanket on 950/951.

Committee reports

- 951 is close to being in service and will be ready soon.

Motion to Adjourn:

Motion to adjourn made by: Jim Doepker , Seconded by: Brian Solomon Motion carried; Yes

Time of adjournment: 19:48

Recorded by: Jeff Couture