

UNION CENTER FIRE COMPANY

AUXILARY MEETING

(May 13, 2015)

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Union Center Fire Company Auxiliary is to **SHARE**.

SUPPORT the Fire Company during times of emergency by providing supplies at the scene of fires or natural disasters, as well as helping the Fire Company personnel and their families during times of loss or need.

HONOR the service and sacrifice of fire fighters and their families.

ASSIST the Fire Company in raising funds for equipment and community awareness by holding events and activities.

REPRESENT the Fire Company at functions and events.

ENCOURAGE Community support of the Union Center Fire Company and its members.

PRESENT: Barrilyn Polhamus, Ashley Greenlee, Donna Glover, Debbie Dieffenbacher, Cindi VanKuren

ABSENT: Rachel Greenlee, Brianna Bealo, Erin Belensky, Kim Greenlee, Shelia Bealo, Kelly Hoyt,

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 20:15 Station1 with planting beginning at 18:30 Station2.

MINUTES FROM (April 8, 2014): Approved by Ashley as amended replacing a missing L.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Our starting budget for the 2015 - 2016 year is 850.00. Missing are the correct figures for the St. Patrick's Day decorations. The planting costs are yet to be determined. We also have paid out a gift card for \$40.

HEALTH/SAFETY: Physicals – Two Auxiliary members still need to

get theirs.

OSHA training- Problems are still occurring with trying to get in to the site. Some people have not completed their courses. The Centre is really helpful with getting password and registration information.

AIRPORT TRAINING: There will be a disaster simulation at the airport on June 6. They are looking for “victim” volunteers. The contact person will give you more information. See Barrilyn for this.

Old Business

Chicken BBQ: Meeting to plan this out will be May 18 Station 1 18:30. The company treasure will be contacted to determining how to best handle the procedures for the donation of the proceeds.

Recruitment Day- Went very well. Thank you to all who came out to help clean the kitchen. More still needs to be done and we have all the cabinets marked. Please replace used items in their same marked cabinet.

Budget considerations- The cabinets that are outside of Station 2 the Auxiliary would like to have. Please get in touch with Barrilyn if this is possible.

The summer picnic- No mention of the plans on this as yet.

New Business

Guidelines for Auxiliary and new call our procedure- Will be up dated to reflect the new method of calling out the Auxiliary. Ashley offered to work on this with Rachael. We will be automatically

called out by the county, when there is a second alarm called. We need to meet at the station and go in the fewest amounts of vehicles possible. When are called we are to check I AM Responding to see who has been called out. We are to contact the driver of a truck to see where to best set up.

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Flower planting- Thank you, to all who came to help chose the flowers for the Stations. Thank you, to whoever moved the pots from the back of Station 2 to inside the station. Thank you, to all who came to plant and place the planters. We are ready for Memorial Day.

Auxiliary Sunshine

Kurt Schaeffer really appreciated the gift card and thanked the Auxiliary for it.

In the future the Auxiliary determined that future Sunshine by them would be as they have determined it. They do not feel they are taking over the job of the Company Sunshine but have decided that they would support the Company if they feel it is warranted.

New Members

Darlene Drake is pending application and member approval.

TIMED ADJORNED: 20:30 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: June 8th at 18:30 p.m. Station 1

Respectfully Submitted by *Debbie Dieffenbacher Secretary*