



**Southwest Virginia Firefighters Association**  
**Quarterly Business Meeting**  
**September 13, 2015**  
*We Protect Southwest Virginia*

13 September, 2015

The Fall Quarterly Business meeting of the Southwest Virginia Firefighters Association was held on Sunday, 13 September, 2015 at the Green Springs Volunteer Fire Department in Green Springs, VA. with 23 members present, representing 8 member organizations.

The business meeting was called to order at 13:00 hours by President Bill Nunley. The invocation was given by Mr. Kenny Hancock of the Draper Volunteer Fire Department. President Bill Nunley welcomed everyone in attendance.

**Reports:**

**President:**

President Bill Nunley gave the following report.

- Chief Fire Officer 101 class will possibly in November

**1st Vice President:**

- No report

**2nd Vice President:**

- No report

**Treasurer:**

Treasurer's report was presented.

- Motion made by Patsie Smith and seconded by Barry Simmons to approve the Treasurer's Report
- **Motion voted and passed.**

**Asst. Treasurer:**

Patsie Smith offered the following report.

- \$20,286.35
- Motion made by David Akers and seconded by Brandon McPhearson to approve the report
- **Motion voted and passed.**

**Secretary:**

- No Report

**Asst. Secretary:**

- No report

**Chaplin / Welfare:**

Chaplin Kenny Hancock offered the following report:

- Kenny reviewed the welfare of the members

### **Sgt. At Arms:**

- No report

### **Executive Committee:**

- No report

### **Legislative Committee:**

Mr. Mike Moles offered the following report:

- The Virginia Fire Service Board was 31 July, 2015 in Hampton
- ATL money was discussed and how you can spend the money on repairing equipment
- Va. Fire Chiefs Association is offering an award program.
  - September 1 – December 1 of each year to apply
  - Handed out at the mid-winter conference in February
- Fire Service Board wants to come back and hold another meeting in November at Christiansburg FD
  - Saturday 7 November, 2015 at 0900 hours
- Chief Fire Officer 101 (16 hours) will possibly be held on 7-8 November, 2015
- Leon made a motion, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Potsie Smith, to give up to \$2,500 to host the meal on Friday night.
- **Motion voted and passed.**
- Mike thanked Green Springs Fire Department for the lunch
- The Inn at Virginia Tech has a block of rooms reserved for the Southwest Virginia Firefighters Association
  - Rooms are to be reserved by 1 October, 2015

### **Membership Committee:**

Mr. Leon Reed offered the following report:

- No report

### **Training Committee:**

- The Wise school is going on

### **By-laws Committee:**

- No report

### **Rules and Contest Committee:**

Mr. Danny Yopp offered the following report:

- Curtis sent certificates to the kids that ran in the competition at the convention

### **Ways and Means Committee:**

Mr. Potsie Smith offered the following report:

- Working on the 50/50

### **Scholarship Committee:**

Mr. David Akers offered the following report:

- Applications for the 2016 scholarships are due by 1 April, 2016 to Billy Hanks

**Convention Committee:**

Mr. Barry Simmons offered the following report:

- \$31,970.31, increase of \$1,091.00
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**Old Business**

NONE

**New Business**

Past President Morgan O`Quinn thanked everyone for helping out with the 2015 convention

The meeting was adjourned at 1430 hours with Mr. Kenny Hancock offering the closing prayer.

**Thanks to the members of the Green Springs Volunteer Fire Department for hosting the meeting and providing lunch.**

**The next meeting will be Sunday, January 10, 201 at the Saltville Fire Department in Saltville, VA. at 1:00 pm.**

Respectfully Submitted,  
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