

## Sheridan Fire District Meeting Minutes

The Sheridan Community Fire Protection District Board of Trustees met on Thursday November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025, with the following present: Debra Augsburg, Paul Brennan, Eric Wormley, Chief Tirevold and Attorney Mike Fuller.

Meeting was called to order at 7 pm by President Augsburg. Minutes of the October meeting were read and approved with no additions or corrections. Brennan motioned to accept the minutes as presented, Wormley 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

Bills were presented and discussed. Wormley motioned to pay the bills, Brennan 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

Treasurers report discussed. The new balance sheet is working very well. Discussion was held on transferring \$25,000 from the Fire Account to the Fire Reserve. Wormley motioned to approve the transfer. Brennan 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

After discussion Wormley motioned to approve the transfer of funds from the Illinois Funds to the Sheridan Bank. Brennan 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Brennan motioned to accept the treasurers report as presented, Wormley 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

Chief stated the department responded to 28 ambulance and 3 fire calls in October. The department is currently down 130 ambulance calls from this time in 2024.

Safety report—Unruly patients with staff safety on these types of calls.

Chief reported—1M14 had new batteries installed and the step repaired, also went to the test lane. 1 M 14 will go on the sale block after January 1<sup>st</sup>.

Engine 812 had the annual pump and ladder test done, all passed.

Fire prevention week went well, Jason, Karly, Lucas and Kyle got things lined up and presented to the K-4 kids from Sheridan that came to the station.

New Business: New engine is tentatively scheduled for March 2026 delivery, with Kurt and Kyle making a trip to Louisiana, for final inspection and drive it home. Chief will start on OSFM Revolving truck loan in January 2026. Replacement charger and batteries for the thermal camera has been ordered. IDPH ambulance inspections went well on November 5<sup>th</sup>. The station fire alarm system was testing with no problems on November 4<sup>th</sup>. If trustees want FD IDs, contact Kyle and he

will get them made. Work Comp renewal is up, received safety grant for \$2934.00 available in January 2026. The Small Equipment grant has been applied for. Chief stated if trustees want T Shirts, sweatshirts, hats etc. to let him know. Chief reminded trustees we have our own site to order items when needed when a quota is met. Chief to get trustees the information on uniform items. Chief discussed purchasing 2 items off the uniform list that each member wants for Xmas. Trustees were in agreement. Chief to get things lined up.

Marla finally got with Serena on the File for Life situation. Chief got permission from the Board to start purchasing equipment needed for the new Engine. Chief will purchase some each month, so the bill is so big. Attorney Mike Fuller presented the Tax Levy FY 25-26 Ordinance. Discussion was held on the 9.69% increase from last year. Chief stated with the rising cost of everyday expenses, salaries and insurance, he would suggest the increase to stay up with the inflation. Discussion held. Brennan motioned to accept the Tax Levey Ordinance FY 25-26 as presented, Wormley 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motioned Carried to pass the Tax Levey Ordinance.

Being no other business, Brennan motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:25 pm. Wormley 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Meeting was adjourned.

Respectively

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Eric Wormley, Secretary

