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C/O RIDGE FIRE COMPANY**

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February Advisory Board Notes 02/04/2021.

DES Report:

- 11 responses. 9 notification. Working on PT FM, looking to announce in the next couple of weeks. 1 Hazmat response to 2 notifications
- Red Cross has a new coordinator for program for Sound the Alarm. They are not going into homes due to COVID policy, but they will provide information and equipment to Fire houses and see if they would want to install.
- Verified Responder - no changes
- Locution - SOW meeting with UAV systems on Tuesday. Need another meeting with Association Leaders in the near future to discuss performance. Will be doing audio samples for AB. Need to hear new samples so we can go through any changes to dispatch protocol.
- Energy Transfer - Waiting to hear back to schedule a call with assoc. leadership
- Bypass Command - Completed. Available for use.
- HazMat Protocol dispatch refresh completed
- CAD Update backend update finalized. No open items for Fire and EMS
- 911 working through their annual review of policies
- Vaccines - Continue to check the link. Fill out the CCHD survey showing interest.
- Fire Training - No classes in January and February. FF1 class will start on time. Working on presenting a new process for the HazMat Ops refresher with the state fire commissioner.

Districts:

- **North** - Nothing new to report. Working on projects brought up in January
- **South** - Working on staffing policies
- **East** - Equipment, truck maintenance survey going out like the North.
- **West** - New Arrival instructions for structure fires. Mirrors the South's some. Would like to begin discussions on having dispatchers auto make up failed units on working box assignments.
- **Central** - Meet on the 22nd of February
- **EMS** - Ops meeting on the 5th. Tower Health has a process for 16-17 year olds for vaccines
- **Fire Police** - Nothing to report
- **RTF** - Responded to the Kennett for the Victory Explosion. Working on some collapse training

Old Business:

- Tax Exempt: Waiting to hear soon.
- Strategic Plan Steering Committee - Working on establishing their goals. Getting sub committees started to handle the Fire related items

New Business:

- Golf Outing - Still in May at Apple Cross. Working to get everything squared away. More to come in March.
- New Ops committee formed: AJ will be sending out notifications to the members to get started.

- Taking on Rescue, Tanker, and Marine qualifications
- Apparatus Numbering Committee: New committee formed and ready to go. Todd Ziegler is the new chair
- ByLaws committee - John Brill will be attending the meetings.
- Fire Company Voting List - Rob will be heading up