

**BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS**

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**\*\*\*\*NOTICE OF CANCELATION\*\*\*\***  
**TRUCKEE MEADOWS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT**

**9:00 a.m.**

**Tuesday, November 28, 2017**

**Washoe County Administrative Complex, Commission Chambers  
1001 E. Ninth Street, Reno, Nevada**

**NOTE:** Items on the agenda may be taken out of order; combined with other items; removed from the agenda; moved to the agenda of another meeting; moved to or from the Consent section; or may be voted on in a block. Items with a specific time designation will not be heard prior to the stated time, but may be heard later.

The Washoe County Commission Chambers is accessible to the disabled. If you require special arrangements for the meeting, call the Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Office, 326-6000, 24-hours prior to the meeting.

**Time Limits.** Public comments are welcomed during the Public Comment periods for all matters, whether listed on the agenda or not, and are limited to three minutes per person. Additionally, public comment of three minutes per person will be heard during individual action items on the agenda. Persons are invited to submit comments in writing on the agenda items and/or attend and make comment on that item at the Board meeting. Persons may not allocate unused time to other speakers.

**Forum Restrictions and Orderly Conduct of Business.** The Board conducts the business of the District and its citizens during its meetings. The presiding officer may order the removal of any person whose statement or other conduct disrupts the orderly, efficient or safe conduct of the meeting. Warnings against disruptive comments or behavior may or may not be given prior to removal. The viewpoint of a speaker will not be restricted, but reasonable restrictions may be imposed upon the time, place and manner of speech. Irrelevant and unduly repetitious statements and personal attacks which antagonize or incite others are examples of speech that may be reasonably limited.

**Responses to Public Comments.** The Board can deliberate or take action only if a matter has been listed on an agenda properly posted prior to the meeting. During the public comment period, speakers may address matters listed or not listed on the published agenda. The Open Meeting Law does not expressly prohibit responses to public comments by the Board. However, responses from Board members to unlisted public comment topics could become deliberation on a matter without notice to the public. On the advice of legal counsel and to ensure the public has notice of all matters the Board will consider, the Board members may choose not to respond to public comments, except to correct factual inaccuracies, ask for staff action or to ask that a matter be listed on a future agenda. The Board may do this either during the public comment item or during the following item: “\*Commissioners’/Chief’s Announcements, Requests for Information, Topics for Future Agendas and Statements Relating to Items Not on the Agenda”.

Pursuant to NRS 241.020, the Agenda for the Board of Fire Commissioner Meetings has been posted at the following locations: Washoe County Administration Building (1001 E. 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Bldg. A), Washoe County Courthouse-District Court Administrator/Clerk of Court (75 Court Street), Washoe County Downtown Library (301 South Center Street), Sparks Justice Court (1675 East Prater Way) and Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District's website at [www.washoecounty.us/tmfpd](http://www.washoecounty.us/tmfpd)

Support documentation for the items on the agenda, provided to the Board of Fire Commissioners is available to members of the public at the District's Admin Office (1001 E. 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Bldg. D, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Reno, Nevada) Sandy Francis, Administrative Assistant I, phone (775) 328-6124 and on the Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District's website at [www.washoecounty.us/tmfpd](http://www.washoecounty.us/tmfpd) ; and <https://notice.nv.gov>.

- 9:00 am \*1. Salute to the Flag
- \*2. Call to order/roll call
- \*3. Public Comment - Comment heard under this item will be limited to three minutes per person and may pertain to matters both on and off the Board of Fire Commissioners agenda. The District will also hear public comment during individual action items, with comment limited to three minutes per person. Comments are to be made to the Board of Fire Commissioners as a whole.
- \*4. Commissioners'/Fire Chief's announcements, requests for information, topics for future agendas, and statements relating to items not on the Agenda. (No discussion among Commissioners will take place on this item).
5. Consent Items: FOR POSSIBLE ACTION
- A. Approval of minutes from the October 17, 2017 meeting.
  - B. Discussion and possible approval of a revised Mutual Aid Agreement between Secretary of the Air Force acting by and through the Commander, Nevada Air National Guard pursuant to the authority of 42 U.S.C. § 1856a and the Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District.
- \*6. I.A.F.F. Local 3895 Report
7. Presentation of new employees, and Badge Pinning:
- New Employees:
    - Shane Bohach, Firefighter Paramedic
    - Tyler Ewald, Firefighter Paramedic
    - Derek Jackson, Firefighter Paramedic
    - Alex Rodriguez, Firefighter Paramedic
    - Ryan Rutter, Firefighter Paramedic
    - Anthony Schiro, Firefighter Paramedic
  - Promoted Employees Badge Pinning
    - Josh Kutz, Fire Captain
    - Ryan Whitlock, Fire Captain
  - New Employee Badge Pinning
    - Timothy Collins, Fire Mechanic
    - Brett Lee. Fire Prevention Specialist

8. A. Discussion and possible direction to staff on the Fire Chief Report to include operational matters and activities for the months of October and November 2017: FOR POSSIBLE ACTION
  1. Green Waste Program Update
  2. Nevada Donor Network 2017 Partner of the year –TMFPD
  3. Nevada Donor Network 2017 Champion of the Year – Captain Chris Black
  4. Capital Project UpdateB. Career Statistics and Report for August 2017  
C. Volunteer Statistics and Report for August 2017
9. Discussion and possible approval of an Employment Agreement for Scott M. Gorgon to include salary and benefits for the position of Fire Deputy Chief of Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District and authorize the Chairman to sign the same. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION
10. Approve the 2018 Health Benefits Program for District employees, dependents and retirees at an estimated annual cost of \$1,579,206 and authorize the Chairman of the Board of Fire Commissioners to execute all insurance contracts and service agreements pertinent to the Health Benefits Program. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION
11. Authorization to freeze one (1) vacant Fire Mechanic/Logistics Assistant position (#70009601) and to create one (1) additional Fire Mechanic position. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION
12. Discussion, acceptance and possible direction to staff regarding an “Informational Summary/Finding and Recommendations” report on Lakeview Incident #TM160005937 presented by Mike Brown of R&R Partners. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION
- \*13. Commissioners’/Fire Chief’s announcements, requests for information, topics for future agendas, and statements relating to items not on the Agenda. (No discussion among Commissioners will take place on this item).
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