

Monterey County Fire Training Officers Association
Meeting Minutes – January 10, 2019

Submitted By Dirksen

Location: MPC Public Safety Training Center
2642 Colonel Durham St. Seaside, CA

Time: 1000 hours

I. Roll Call / Introductions: 1002hrs

- Jason Smith MNT
- Dan Gearhart SEA ret.
- Doug Dirksen SLS
- Jack Lundgren MAR
- Collin Smith Cal Fire
- Greg Greenlee MNT
- Dave Brown MPC
- Stew Roth PGE
- Phil Rossi HOL
- Martha Karstens BSB ret
- Mike Callihan FGL
- Mark Mondragon Cal Fire

II. Review and Approval of Minutes: December 18, 2018

- Correction of “Agenda” in title to “Minutes”. Motion to accept: Greenlee, 2nd Mondragon.

III. Treasurer’s Report:

- Report submitted by Blaha.
- Invoice for S-203 rec’d from instructor.
 - Financial report of class expenses requested.

IV. Correspondence:

- Marina Foundation Golf Tournament Information.
- MCSO Dep. Abel requests information on fire response for honey butane oil.

V. Committee Reports:

A. Monterey County Fire Chief’s Association

- FF of the Year Banquet 1/17/19, Embassy Suites 1000hrs

B. Wildland Training Exercise

- Needs IC
 - Should refocus operations because original ops were based on seldomly going out of county.
 - STEN/RT130 concept, have Sten(s) on stby given short notice (2 week windows).
 - Ex. should support RT130, direction to discuss w/ MCFCA’s board for exercise concept.

C. Programs / Training Classes

□ Seeking a new lead person

- J Smith: Please forward FBOR class to all of TOs for attendance in this class.
 - Possibly cohost another with SC TOs
 - S-290, Greenlee will take the lead to manage and submit proposal for other S Classes
 - Statutes and Regs course not until March Mondragon
 - Offroad Driving Skills- Proposal from Gearhart May 2019, Free tuition, \$150 expenses, no cert. Motion to accept Mondragon, Karstens Motion Carries.

D. Website / Facebook

- Gearhart: 918 sessions, 29.61 sessions per day, FB 1412 likes 1418 followers, new photo albums

E. Monterey Peninsula College / California Fire Academy / MPC Fire Protection Technology Program Advisory Committee

- i. Greenlee: New academy starting.
- ii. Fire Pro Tech Committee Meeting seeking membership and meeting before our next meeting,
 1. Bond I has not funded a training a tower-seeking advocates at next meeting 2/14 0900.

F. Mutual Aid Training Exercises

- i. J Smith: MNT triannual MCI kept to auto-aid.

VI. Old Business:

- PM School support letter (Follow-up)
 - PM School support letter draft in hand.

VII. New Business:

- County-wide training calendar concept (follow-up)
 - Training Calendar, examples from West Valley and San Mateo Co., WG to write white paper on concept for training JPA or consortium, Gearhart: recommends TEAMUP for calendar.

VIII. Good of the Order:

- Gearhart annual dues please Dirksen: PM CE # reissued. Fenwick: Academy needs FF1 Testing from OSFM, Smith: 125 rehires, annual opportunities for larro, FRO, FF classes, etc. Rossi: Conducted Cannabis training by SO. Roth: training opportunities, web based, free training in Winters (free 4 gas training monitor) and FLAG training, 1200 adjournment Mondragon, Smith.

IX. Adjournment: 1200hrs

Next Meeting: February 14, 2019