

STOREY COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING  
FRIDAY, JUNE 20<sup>th</sup>, 2008 2:00 P.M.

DISTRICT COURTROOM  
26 SOUTH B STREET, VIRGINIA CITY, NEVADA

SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

GREG "BUM" HESS  
CHAIRMAN

HAROLD SWAFFORD  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY

BOB KERSHAW  
VICE-CHAIRMAN

JAMES G. MILLER  
SHERIFF

JOHN FLANAGAN  
COMMISSIONER

VANESSA DIXON  
CLERK-TREASURER

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Roll Call.

Present: Administrative Officer Marilou Walling, Commissioner John Flanagan, County Manager Pat Whitten, Director of Building and Planning Dean Haymore, Emergency Management Director Joe Curtis, Fire Chief Gary Hames, Vice Chairman Bob Kershaw.

CALL TO ORDER AT 2:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Vice Chair at 2:00 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Vice Chairman Kershaw led those present in the pledge of allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

CONSENT AGENDA

(All matters listed under the consent agenda are considered routine, and may be acted upon by the Board of County Commissioners with one action, and without an extensive hearing. Any member of the Board or any citizen may request that an item be taken from the consent agenda, discussed, and acted upon separately during this meeting. The Commission Chair reserves the right to limit the time allotted for each individual to speak.)

Approval of Agenda for June 20<sup>h</sup>, 2008

Correspondence

Approval of Claims and Statement of Activities

Approval of any necessary transfers by June 30, 2008

END OF CONSENT AGENDA

Motion: Approval of Consent Agenda, Action: Approve, Moved by Commissioner John Flanagan, Seconded by Vice-Chairman Bob Kershaw.

DISCUSSION/ACTION: Swearing in of new and promotional firefighter positions.

Fire Chief Gary Hames began the meeting with stating he regretted that the chairman couldn't be here due to the funeral of a long time Virginia City Resident Lola Gallagher.

Chief Gary Hames began with welcoming all families, friends and guests. He stated that this particular ceremony has not been done since August 2005.

Chief Hames began the award ceremony with giving a brief synopsis of each new staff member and how they came to work for Storey County in the following order:

Casey Macone  
Mark Norwood  
Jerry Jones  
Cory Whitlock

Matt Brown  
Patrick Walsh  
Ryan Whitlock  
Ryan Brandon  
Nathan Johnson

End of new hire

Chief Hames next explained a little about each of the Firemen being promoted in the following order:

Auggie Arroyo  
Andy Eisenberg  
Dave Curtis  
Victor Yohey  
Tracy Curtis

Mike Streeter  
Ron Atkins  
Rob Dufresne  
Eric Guevin

Vice Chairman Kershaw stood for the swearing in ceremony for all of those present.

The swearing in ceremony ended at 2:25 p.m.

Vice Chairman Kershaw asked everyone to be seated for the pinning services.

Fire Chief Hames stated that the next ceremony was new to the department but felt it was significant. The awards were "Years of Service" awards. The awards were given in the following order:

1-5 years of service:

Casey Macone  
Mark Norwood  
Jerry Jones  
Cory Whitlock  
Eric Guevin

Mathew Brown  
Michael Streeter  
Auggie Arroyo  
Nathan Johnson  
Patty Blakeley

5-10 years of service:

Matt Smith  
Shane Dixon  
Dave Curtis  
Andy Eisenberg  
Victor Yohey

10-15 years of service:

Tracey Curtis  
Roy Thompson  
Ron Adkins

15 years

Rob Dufresne August 1992.

Chief Hames then handed out Cardiac save awards to the following men

Dave Curtis  
Matt Brown  
Joe Curtis

Auggie Arroyo  
Ryan Whitlock  
Ron Adkins

Chief Hames then gave out awards for Baby deliveries to the following men:

Cory Whitlock  
Brad Montoya

Chief Hames recognized his new office help Debra Glogavac with flowers. He then recognized his office help Patty Blakely with Flowers.

Chief Hames stated this was probably the last badge pinning ceremony she will attend and honored Marilou Walling with flowers for all of her assistance throughout the years.

Chief Hames then honored his wife Kim Hames for supporting him through everything.

In closing he stated he would like to acknowledge Bill Lee his counterpart with the division of forestry, Sheriff Jim Miller, Building Official Dean Haymore, Communications Director Dave Ballard and lastly Pat Whitten his mentor and friend. He then thanked everyone for their attendance.

Joe Curtis stood and gave the Volunteer firefighter award to Russ Brandon for his years of service. He will be moving on from the department

Vice Chairman Kershaw thanked every body and stated that the commissioners are very supportive of the fire department.

PUBLIC COMMENT:  
None

BOARD COMMENT:  
None

ADJOURNMENT:  
The meeting was adjourned by the call of the Vice Chair at 2:5 P.M.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Maggie Mahan, Deputy Clerk-Treasurer