Woodside Fire Protection District Board of Directors Meeting Administration Building 808 Portola Rd. Portola Valley, CA 94028 September 30, 2019

The regular Board of Director's meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by Director Miller.

**Directors Present:** Cain, Miller & Holthaus

**Directors Absent:** None

Staff: Chief Lindner, B/C Picchi, B/C Slaughter, DFM Bullard, EMS B/C Silici, Pub Ed Officer/EP

Coordinator Brown, Finance Manager Edwards, Firefighter/Paramedic Devlin.

**Public Comment Non-Agendized Topics:** None

## **Consent Agenda:**

Items: 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 were moved to the consent agenda.

## Regular Agenda:

**Item 5:** Finance Manager Edwards addressed questions about miscellaneous expenses on the Fiscal Year 19-20 spreadsheet.

**Item 7:** Chief Lindner discussed the Fire District response to the Grand Jury Report "Fire Safety Inspection Programs on the Road to Recovery". Director Cain made a motion to approve the draft response and it was unanimously approved.

**Staff Report:** DFM Bullard informed the Board about the status of the Stanford Wedge-Housing proposal.

**Fire Chief Report:** Chief Lindner reported on the promotional exam for Battalion Chief. 2 positions may be available, one being a shift B/C, the other being a 40hr-week administrative position. 7 applicants went through the application/interview process. Next month there will be a Captain promotional exam.

The District has responded to the ASRB pertaining to the Station 7 rebuild. Station 8 remodel plans have been submitted to the Town.

## WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS:

Chief Lindner provided various letters sent to the District and its employees.

Meeting was adjourned to closed session at 7:24pm

**CLOSED SESSION:** Entered closed session at 7:24pm

**Re-entered Open Session:** Open Session was reentered at 8:55pm

**Closed Session Report:** There was discussion about personnel and potential retirements. More to follow on if that will occur.

WFPD Local 2400 District 9 Labor Reps Devlin and Francisco made a counterproposal to the counterproposal from the WFPD Board. There was some discussion on the various issues. Local 2400 District 9 reps left and the Board caucused with Chief Lindner. A further counterprosal will be proposed to the labor group at a date TBD.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:00pm

The next scheduled meeting will be held October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 7:00 P.M at the WFPD Administration Building, 808 Portola Rd. Portola Valley, CA 94028.

Respectfully Submitted,

Randy Holthaus, Board Secretary