



Valley Fire & Rescue

28409 Huntington Road Apple Grove, WV 25502
P.O. Box 63



Valley Fire & Rescue Administration Meeting May 12, 2025

Call to order/ Roll Call:

President called the meeting to order with prayer and pledge of allegiance.

Members In Attendance:

- Roger Bennett
- John Hesson
- Steve Tilka
- Bobby Plybon
- Zach Adkins
- Luke Tilka

Public in Attendance:

N/A

Treasurers Report:

Steve Tilka Presented Treasurers report, account information was not documented

Misc: \$70,564.25

State: \$45,553.56

Roger Bennett: Motion to accept treasurer's report Bobby Plybon 2nd

Passed

Old Business Discussion:

Review of the most recent BOD & Business Meeting minutes

Steve Tilka: Motion to accept old business

Bobby Plybon: 2nd

Passed

New Business:

Septic tank discussion

Decision tabled until more information about future sewer

Zach Adkins:

- \$2000 for landscaping around buildings, and signs

Bobby Plybon: Motion to spend \$2000 on landscaping **Steve Tilka: 2nd** **Passed**

- \$2000 for tool mounts for internal compartment mounts for compartment organization

Bobby Plybon: Motion to spend \$2000 on mounts **Roger Bennett: 2nd** **Passed**

Discussion for duty weekend discipline guidance for disciplining lack of performance.

Bobby Plybon: Discussed Zach Adkins handling discipline at his discretion when it regards lack of participation

Floor scrubber: Tabled until next meeting

Bobby Plybon:

Open discussion with an officer regarding a previous issue, issue has been handled

Roger Bennett:

Suggested members on duty weekend help clean the station and bay.

Bobby Plybon: Discussion on possible ways to incentivize future

John Hesson: Discussion with a member about lack of participation

Bobby Plybon: Motion to do a 60 day probationary period for Dustyn Kelly, will follow up in 60 days

Action Items:

John to talk to Dustyn Kelly Chris Connor Shane Lang Heather Lang

Discussed for future stipends as a motivator for duty weekends, doubling stipends for a future grant proposal

Meeting Adjourned

