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Meeting of the Tyler Mountain Volunteer Fire Department Board of Directors
May 21, 2026

Present: Tim Ickes, Greg Martin, Sommer Straight and Vickie Gill- (Chris and Chipper called in)
Also in Attendance: Daniel Keffer

Call to Order Meeting

At 7:14pm Vickie called the meeting to order.

Old Business

The previous meeting minutes were reviewed, a motion was made by Vickie and second by Tim, and the motion was approved.

New Business

Greg reviewed the financial statements, the balance sheet and the profit and loss statement.

Greg said that we received a state check for \$21,585.34 and was deposited.

Greg stated that so far in May, we have received \$44,210.79 in dues.

Greg found someone to install two handrails on the community building steps. Greg makes a motion and Vickie seconds the motion to approve up to \$800 for installation. The motion carried.

Greg makes a motion and Vickie seconded the motion to increase the tool allowance from \$800 to \$1180 and the motion carried.

Greg is going to review the community building costs overall and present the totals at the next board meeting.

The workers' compensation bill has been received but we have until July to pay the invoice. Vickie makes the motion and Tim seconds the motion to approve in paying the invoice in the amount of \$3,135.00.

Keffer reviewed the Chief's report in Chippers physical absence even though he was on by phone. Keffer reviewed the specs of an All American 1000-gallon Engine. It is only 1ft. longer than the twins and is a 2025 model. This truck could be used as an engine and as a rescue. The cost of this truck is \$550,000.

E231 is still waiting to be completed.

There are no new grants at the time.

The Regional Grant information is up to date with the Glasgow Fire Dept.

Chipper is getting everything ready for our Open House on June 6th.

No new applications have come in for membership.

The air compressor is good to go, and we have received all testing certifications for it. They are good for one year.

The department needs at least two pairs of firefighting gloves at \$250 a pair.

The tool kits went up in price, and the motion was approved above to add in the additional costs.

We have Jackson Soice going to Jr. Firefighter Camp representing Tyler Mountain Fire Department in June. Chipper stated that the county paid for that.

Chipper spoke with Daniel, our grant writer, about additional grants. He wants to apply for the AFG grant. Daniel needs our profit/loss statement for 2023, 2024 and 2025. Chipper is going to get that information from Greg.

Vickie made a motion and Sommer seconded that the meeting be adjourned at 8:00p.m. The motion was unanimously approved.

Sommer Straight, Secretary