

SOUTH DAVIS METRO FIRE SERVICE AREA
PUBLIC HEARING
MARCH 18, 2024

The South Davis Metro Fire Service Area Board of Trustees held a public hearing March 18th, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. at the South Davis Metro Fire Service Area Station #81, 255 S. 100 W., Bountiful, Utah.

CONDUCTING: Commissioner Clark Wilkinson

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Brian Horrocks
Ryan Westergard
Clark Wilkinson - Chair
Kendalyn Harris – Vice Chair
Ken Romney

STAFF PRESENT

Dane Stone – Fire Chief
Dave Powers – Deputy Chief
Greg Stewart – Deputy Chief
Fire Marshal – Cole Fessler
Jessica Hardy – Finance Director
Nikki Thompson - Clerk
Todd Godfrey- Legal Counsel

BOARD MEMBERS EXCUSED

Bob Stevenson

Commissioner Wilkinson stated this is a public hearing and a notice of time, place, and agenda was sent to the newspaper, Public Notice Website and to each Board member before the meeting. Commissioner Wilkinson asked if FM Fessler would give a little background on this proposed fee increase.

FM Fessler explained the fee schedule has not been updated since 2017 and needed to be adjusted to reflect what the department does. The individual cities collect their fees for licenses, etc. but the fire department has not been collecting the right amount of fees to compensate for the hours of employee work required. The Board reviewed several of the new fees, including solar fees, firework displays and assisted living facilities. Commissioner Westergard stated that most of those facilities need to be licensed with the state, so an inspection is required.

OPEN: 6:16 p.m.
~no public comments were made
CLOSED: 6:17 p.m.

Commissioner Harris made a motion to approve the increased fee schedule and Resolution 2024-01, Commissioner Westergard seconded the motion. Commissioner Wilkinson asked for a roll call vote. All Commissioners in attendance voted "aye." The Resolution was approved unanimously.

Commissioner Wilkinson adjourned the public hearing.



Clark Wilkinson – Chair



Nicole Thompson, Clerk