

Chief's Report to the Indian Hills Fire Protection District Board

February 2020

The County Commissioners did adopt Appendix Z at the end of last year.

Chief Shirlaw and I met and agreed that the weekday autoaid agreement is no longer needed and should be terminated. We remain on autoaid through dispatch on all confirmed structure fire calls.

New Ambulance Build-Bob and Pat inspected the chassis and saw several units under construction during their visit. Some minor changes were made based on observations and options available. Completion by the end of June appears to be on schedule.

Integration meetings with Elk Creek, Inter-Canyon and North Fork have been productive in working toward common SOGs and goals.

Elk Creek and Evergreen have been using First Due Size-up App and Inter-Canyon and North Fork are looking into it. Offers pre-planning potential for residences as well as commercial buildings. Customizable Homeowner interface and department features. Works like an in-car MDT but works on cell phones.

Elk Creek and Evergreen are looking into Real Fire App for improving wildland mitigation. It's in use in Boulder and Eagle Counties and getting a lot of positive response. May be grant funding available.

EMTS Grant 2020 for new monitors was submitted.

We have two interested providers in looking at a service contract for our radio system that would like to look at what we have now.

Inter-Canyon is interested in placing a repeater at our site on Mt. Lindo.

We've had a few icing issues with the roof causing leaks in the bays. Extending heat tape in the springtime should resolve the issue more permanently.

Since the last meeting we've had:

3 cancelled enroute

5 MVAs (1 transport

6 EMS calls (4 Transports)

1 Smoke check

Total for 2020: 23