

July '25 Meeting Minutes

July 30, 2025

A. Call to Order 8:12

B. Welcome & Introductions

B.1. Thank you to Bennett Fire for hosting.

C. Roll Call

D. Board Members Report

D.1. Chairman Report

D.1.1. Old trailer at Diversified for new graphics. Many companies/departments paid for logos. The trailer will need to be repainted and should be completed in a week.

Danny is working on it. Thanks for all of the work so far.

D.1.2. CSFS - Early bird registration for Fire Leadership Challenge 07/31. COEVTA will have a booth for the week. Next meeting 08/27.

D.1.3. Keynote speaker for the academy will be Executive Director Ken Watkins

D.1.4. West Metro Training Prop. Purchase? Spoke with Andy Jensen. COEVTA will continue to be the care taker of the prop but they do not want to sell.

D.1.5. COEVTA will be borrowing a PUC Cut-A-Way from South Metro Fire for training at the academy. Thank you SM.

D.1.6. Looking for Instructors / Vendors that would be willing to teach at our quarterly meetings.

D.2. Secretary Report

D.2.1. New email domains are slowly being adapted to.

D.2.2. Quadrant Leaders

D.2.3. We want to get contact information for smaller departments. Many are not aware of our organization.

D.2.3.1. North: Dominic Fennell

D.2.3.2. South: Ben Jennings

D.2.3.3. East: Gustavo Llanes

D.2.3.4. West: Cody Espanosa

D.3. Treasurer Report

D.3.1. Checking: \$7,729.78 Savings: \$10,756.41 Paypal: \$51,653.92 **\$70,140.11**

D.3.1.1. Hotels are confirmed. Parking Code.

D.3.1.2. Food: Monday: Tuesday: Wednesday: Qdoba Thursday: Ken cooking

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D.4. Academy coordinator – Report

D.4.1. Pump Testing trucks will be scheduled soon. academy@coevta.org

D.4.2. Confirmed instructors:

D.4.2.1. TJ Tennet - Tires/Chassis

D.4.2.2. Kenny Davis (New) - Cummins

D.4.2.3. Kevin Roberts - Electrical

D.4.2.4. Gary Morrison (New) - Pumps

D.4.2.5. Margret Washburn (New) - Allison (Class is full)

D.4.2.6. David Plumisto - Air brakes

D.4.2.7. Mike Hanscome/Kyle Cadarette - Welding

D.4.3. EVT website test site is now available for registration COwin.

D.4.4. Swag Items for academy - Purchased

D.4.4.1. T-Shirt / Keychain Bottle Opener / Pocket Screwdriver

D.4.5. Access to Aims CC Monday 08/11 at 0630 for set up. Instructors meeting at 0715 with instructor packets. Introductions at 0800 CPAT Bays. Keynote Speaker 0815 - 0900. 0915 Classes begin.

D.5. Vendor coordinator –

D.5.1. Vendors set up earlier on Tuesday so that attendees can interact before the BBQ starts. Tool truck vendors. BBQ Starts 1500 Tuesday 08/12

D.5.2. 10 vendors

E. Reports on special committees

E.1. Apprenticeship Program: Lead: Adam Hojnowski : Miles Miller, Wolfe, Bryson Humber

E.1.1. Spoke with Jay Powell and discussed how the previous apprentice program was set up. Step 1: Find departments that would be willing and have the capability to support an apprentice program. Step 2: Make contact with colleges.

E.1.2. We will send an email to the group with what we can find.

F. Old business

F.1.1. New Cummins X10 / X15

F.1.2. The increased cost for the new aftertreatment and redesign will be significant.

F.1.3. Floor height will need to be raised to allow for aftertreatment and 24 volt alternator.

G. New Business

G.1. Schedule locations for 2025 Meetings

G.1.1. October 29, 2025 - Diversified Body & Paint

H. Open Discussion

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- J. Adjourn 8:50am
- K. Tim Scheinderwent
- L. Ben Jennings