Mosier Fire District Supplemental Budget Hearing Minutes

Thursday, February 13, 2025 6:00 PM

Held as a Zoom Meeting

Attendance:

Board Members: Carol Goter, Kris McNall, Rob Miller, Todd Reeves, Joanne Rubin

Staff: Chief Michael Carlson

Public: Mid Columbia Fire and Rescue, Steven Banks

Call to order at 1818

Business: to discuss change in the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025, and discuss with interested persons.

The supplemental budget form, Form OR-ED-SBH (available in the packet), was shared with attendees. Chief Carlson explained that we need to do a supplemental budget because at the time of the original budget for FY 2024-2025, the need for new turnout gear and a grant writer had not been identified. However, due to the Microwave Tower Fire mop up funds received from ODF, we are now able to budget for the turnouts and the grant writer.

Detail was provided regarding the turnouts and their need for replacement. The main reason replacement is needed is that the department's regular turnout gear was approaching the end of its life (10 years), but the toxic exposure also contributed to the need for replacement of the wildland turnouts.

Comments from the public: None

Adjournment at 1829