



MINUTES OF THE PARKER FIRE DEPARTMENT DISTRICT FIRE BOARD

07/09/25- Open Meeting Minutes to be approved at the open public meeting on Wednesday August 13, 2025. An Open Meeting of the Parker Fire Board convened on July 9, 2025, at the Parker Fire District, located at 1101 W. Arizona Ave, Parker, AZ., 85344 that convened at 5:36 pm. The following matters were discussed at the Open Meeting.

Agenda Open Meeting

1. Call to Order/Roll Call. 5:36 pm.

Roll Call: 5:36 pm

Members Present, *Chairman Samantha Anderson, Jennifer Aspa, and Perry Kaufman. Ron Simms was present via phone, Allayzia Foster was absent.*

Personnel: *Chief Chamberlin present via phone, Barbara Cole, Angie DeLeon, Assistant Chief Weatherford, FF B. McConnell, FF A. DeLeon, FF C. Rather, and FF C. Stewart.*

Public: *Paul Martin and Joselyn Gonzalez*

2. (Call the Public. Consideration and discussion of comments from the public. *Those wishing to address the Parker Fire District Board need not request permission in advance Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01(H), the Fire District Board is not permitted to discuss or take an action on any item raised in the call to the public that is not specifically identified on the agenda. However, individual Board members may be permitted to respond to criticism directed at them. Otherwise, the Board may direct that staff review the matter or ask that the matter be placed on a future agenda. Public input is limited to two (2) minutes unless a greater amount of time is approved by the Board. **The Fire District Board cannot discuss or take legal action on any issue raised during the Call to the Public that is not on the current Agenda; due to restrictions of the Open Meeting Law.***

No Public Comment

3. Consent Agenda: Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Consent Agenda Bill 26-78 to approve the following:

- a. Minutes submitted for Open Meeting held on 05/14/2025.
- b: Acceptance of monthly expense reports for 05/01/2025 – 05/31/2025.
- c: Acceptance of monthly expense reports for 06/01/2025 – 06/30/2025

A motion was made by Jennifer Aspa to approve the Consent Agenda Bill 26-78 to approve the draft for public posting for FYE 2026, along with a second from Perry Kaufman.

Ayes: Aspa, Simms, Anderson, Kaufman

Absent: Foster

Abstain:

Nayes:

Motion passed by a majority vote on agenda item #3.

4. (Discussion & Possible Action): Regarding the Bouse Fire District requesting the possibility of consolidation into the Parker Fire District.

Chairman Paul Martin, Bouse Fire District addressed the Parker Fire Board requesting the possibility of consolidation into the Parker Fire District. There was discussion back and forth about the possibility of consolidation with Bouse Fire District with input from Asst Chief Weatherford and Barbara Cole. Chief Chamberlain reported that there must be a vote in each community and that letters would need to be sent out to the community members. Chief Chamberlain also reported that there would also need to be a call for a special election and that after the election the county has a 15-day window to accept. A motion was made by Jennifer Aspa to table reconsideration of the possible consolidation with Bouse Fire District for another 6 months, along with a second from Perry Kaufman.

Ayes: Aspa, Simms, Anderson, Kaufman

Absent: Foster

Abstain:

Nayes:

Motion passed by a majority vote on agenda item #4.

5. Fire Chief's Report:

- a: Summary of Incident Report/Activity Log
- b: Monthly Activities

Chief Chamberlain reported that the exhaust system is up and running. Asst Chief Weatherford reported that they started the 2nd man on shift on July 4th.

6. Chairman's Report:

- a: Ask Board Members for **items to be considered for inclusion on the next agenda.**
- B: Schedule the next Regular Session.

Chairman Anderson had nothing to report.

7. Adjourn: 6:08 pm


Allayza Foster, Acting Chairman

Date: 10/15/25

Angie DeLeon
Administrative Assistant

Date: 07/10/2025

Minutes approved by: Jenny Aspa

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