



NCFMA Minutes

Date: Feb. 21st 2019

Location: AG Transmission Repair 1155 Post Road Oakdale, CA. 95361

Officers Present: Rick N. Jack R. Mike G. Steve S. Fred Y.

Officers Absent: None

Officials Present: None

Officials Absent: Tony B.

Meeting Minutes: Motion to accept minutes by Joe, Seconded by Ken (approved)

President's Report: Attended Cal Chief's meeting in January with Tony B. We were interviewed by the Cal Chief's, The Cal Chief's are accepting the Mechanic's into the organization, clean cab and cancer awareness were discussed, Cal Chief's was 2 days long and very productive, I explained the Fire Mechanic's Meetings are training for the Mechanic,s.

Opacity testing: testing your own Equipment no CDET card required, CDET card is required testing outside agency equipment regardless if you charge a fee or not, if you have a Red Mountain machine it must be downloaded and calibrated Yearly.

Cal Chief's stressed recruitment of younger technicians.

April's Meeting will be a business meeting only held with the academy meeting tuesday night April 2nd.

1st Vice President: This Monday we will have a renewable diesel meeting at Consumnes Fire.

2nd Vice President: April 2nd Business Meeting, June 20th at HiTech training is Brake w/cert, Aug. 15th at Golden State Fire, Oct 17th at Burtons Fire, Dec 12th at Valley Power Services.

NCFMA hats will be on sale soon.

Treasurer: current membership stands at 30 regular members (of which 3 are new); 36 lifetime; 2 vendors (of which 1 is new); 17 comp/political.

Secretary: Make sure Cummins fuel Management is turned off, driveshaft angles need to checked when a vibration or drivetrain noises are heard.

Academy Report: Pumps and accessories, Allison, FM109, Electrical 1, Cummins service, firefighter saw classes are full, we have started a waiting list, Aerial class has 10 openings, Boyd's class has 8 openings, Next Year is The 50th Anniversary, South Bay regional training, there is a pdf attached to email confirmation please fill this out, met with State Fire Marshalls for training & certification review of NFPA 1911 and required training, transition from Fire Mechanic to EVT 1,2,3, New training and instructor to grade tests, retest immediately and recover class material.

NFPA: None

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Good of the Order: None

Vendors Present: AG Transmission Repair (Thank You for Hosting the training today) Frank Burke and employees, California Fire Mechanics Academy, Joe Pastore & Boyd Clegg, Kussmaul Ray Paul, Wattco, Vic Gies, Valley Power Systems, Ernie Petrocelli, HiTech, Ben Ruthman, Burton's Fire, Ken Howenstine, Boise Mobile Equipment, Glenn Baley, Amsoil Kevin Stubaus.

Total number of attendees who signed in: 44

Next meeting location: April 2nd Business Meeting at Academy.