

Central Whidbey Island Fire & Rescue

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Board of Fire Commissioners Meeting Agenda

November 14, 2024 5:00 PM

Pledge of Allegiance

Consensus Approval of the Agenda

Input from the Public

Approval/Correction of Previous Minutes

October 10, 2024 Regular Board Meeting

October 22, 2024 Special Meeting Public Budget Hearing

Approval of Vouchers

Total	\$298,813.65
Capital Bond Vouchers #241103001-241103002	2 \$9,963.83
IRS EFTPS EFT	\$25,582.38
Payroll – Direct Deposit	\$126,181.99
WA State Dept of Retirement EFT	\$28,902.03
M&O Vouchers #241101001-241102039	\$108,186.42

Chief's Report

- 1. Operational Activity
- 2. Administrative Activity
- 3. Operations/B Shift
- 4. Community Risk Reduction (CRR)/A Shift
- 5. Training
- 6. Facilities/C Shift
- 7. Fleet Maintenance

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Finance Officer's Report

Budget Position

ICOM Board Report

Report from Commissioner Engle regarding the most recent ICOM Board of Directors Meeting and other issues related to ICOM 911.

New Business

- 1. Motion to approve or disapprove transfer of \$57,018 from #640 General Fund to #644 Capital Bond Fund #644.
- 2. Motion to approve or disapprove inter-fund transfer of \$325,400.00 from the #644 Capital Bond Fund to the #778 Bond Redemption Fund for debt service payments.
- 3. Motion to approve or disapprove 2025 WFCA Health Care Program Employer Application.
- 4. Motion to approve or disapprove 2025 Levy Certification.
- 5. Motion to approve or disapprove Resolution 24-09 2025 Levy Certification "authorization for a 3.6% levy increase from the previous year".
- 6. Motion to approve or disapprove the 2025 proposed district budget.
- 7. Motion to approve or disapprove purchase order 20-2024-001 to Curtis for \$28,731.90 to purchase PPE.
- 8. Letter of support from CWIFR Fire Commissioners for Fire Chief Helm in regards to the support of a standalone office for a Fire Marshall in Island County.

Old Business

Executive Session to review personnel matters in accordance with RCW 42.30.110(1)(f).

RCW <u>42.30.110(1)(f)</u> To evaluate the qualifications of an applicant for public employment or to review the performance of a public employee. However, subject to RCW 42.30.140(4), discussion by a governing body of salaries, wages, and other conditions of employment to be generally applied within the agency shall occur in a meeting open to the public, and when a governing body elects to take final action hiring, setting the salary of an individual employee or class of employees, or discharging or disciplining an employee, that action shall be taken in a meeting open to the public;

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The following except from the Central Whidbey Island Fire & Rescue Board of Fire Commissioners Policy Manual explains the process used for an executive session:

An executive session is a portion of a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners that is closed, or limited to members of the Board and other people whose presence is necessary to conduct the business at hand. The Board's use of an executive session is limited to a narrow set of specific circumstances. In order to qualify for an executive section its purpose must meet one of the provisions of RCW 42.30.

In convening an Executive Session, the Chairperson announces:

- That the Board is going into Executive Session
- The statutory reason for the Executive session
- That the public is excluded and that they should leave the room
- The time that the Executive session will be concluded (and the public may reenter the room)
- If Board action is expected following the Executive Session

An Executive Session may be extended to a stated later time by announcement of the presiding officer or his/her designee to those waiting outside the meeting room to reenter at its conclusion. Under no circumstance shall the Board ever take any action during an executive session; Board action may only occur during its meetings open to the public.

No minutes are recorded in executive session.

Good of the Order

January 24, 2025	Recognition Banquet, location to be determined
March 5-7, 2025	Northwest Leadership Seminar, Holiday Inn, Portland, OR Commissioners Engle, Hutchinson and Messner
October 22-25, 2025	2025 WFCA Conference, The Tulalip Resort, Tulalip, Commissioners Engle, Hutchinson and Messner, Fire Chief Helm and Board Secretary Niiro

Regular Meeting

December 12, 2024 Time: 5:00 pm

Location: Station 53, 1164 Race Rd., Coupeville WA

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