

NEWBERRY COUNTY BOARD OF RURAL FIRE CONTROL

October 9, 2018

The regular monthly meeting for the Board of Rural Fire Control was held in the Newberry County Emergency Operations Center 540 Wilson Road, Newberry, SC Tuesday, October 9, 2018 at 7:00 P.M.

Present:

Aubrey Horne, Chairman
Jason Fulmer, Vice-Chairman-**absent**
Rodney Bedenbaugh-Secretary
Bob Pollard
Dwight McDuffie
Clay Bodie
Wesley Boland
Rodney Wicker
John Pollard-**absent**
Blair Long
Mike Engemann-**absent**

Others Present:

Tommy Long, Emergency Services Coordinator, Taylor Downing, Safe Industries

1. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Aubrey Horne.
2. **Additions, Deletions and Adoption of Agenda**
3. **Approval of August 14, 2018 Minutes-** Member McDuffie made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, seconded by Member Bodie. The vote was unanimous.
4. **Public Comments**

No comments
5. **Personal Appearances- Taylor Downing-Safe Industries-**Mr. Glenn Hamm of Poseidon reported at the August 14th monthly meeting the 2017 order for Turn Out Gear was awarded to Safe Industries and he has compared the merchandise to the specification bid, he noticed a lot of discrepancies. Mrs. Downing reviewed the items in question by Mr. Hamm and Member Long made a motion to accept the bid as is and Member B. Pollard second; the motion passed with all in favor.
6. **Business Meeting**

A. Update on Bunker Gear- See Personal Appearances

B. Discussion of 800 Radios-Member Wesley Boland- Member Boland reported the tower in Silverstreet is up and the Whitmire tower will have to be built. Radio training will be of October 24, 2018 at 6:30 P.M. in the EOC.

7. Sub-Committees:

ISO: Nothing to report.

Building and Maintenance: Nothing to report.

Communications: Nothing to report.

Truck and Equipment: Nothing to report.

Training Ground: Nothing to report.

8. Executive Session- Not needed.

9. Comments from Chairman or Vice-Chairman

10. Other Comments -LifeNet is station at Little Mountain now.

11. Future Meetings

Regular Board meeting: May 14, 2019 at 7:00 P.M.

12. Adjournment

Chairman Horne declared the meeting adjourned at 8:35 P.M.

Zenda McClurkin, Emergency Service Assistant

Rodney Bedenbaugh, BRFC Secretary

