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Minutes for May 16, 2019

1. Meeting Called to Order @ 12:20 by President Irwin
2. Sign-in sheet passed around- 18 members and guest present
3. Approval of the minutes for April 18, 2019. Motion by Ch. Dayringer to approve, 2nd by Ch. Criner. Motion Passed.
4. Financial Report by Sec. Cripps. Current balance of \$27,855.78. Motion to Approve by Ch. Neil, 2nd by Ch. Jenkins. Motion Passed
5. New Business; A. National Mutual Aid Agreement – Ch. Jenkins give an update on the FEMA and USAR Type 1 resources and supplies and the computer software to track the resources. Need to contact ADEM ref. to joining. President Irwin will make contact and continue the discussion.
 - B. Resources for Large Scale Incident's - discussion ref. to sending more agencies for large scale and MCI type calls- will do more research and report back at another time.
6. Old Business: A. Training Association Report. – Recruit Academy going well. Working on Graduation plans .

Looking at future classes for training using some on-line resources.

C-Pat practice and Test coming up soon.

Have several Classes listed on the Web Site.

 - B. Fire Marshal's report.- Sprinkler DEMO trailer signing discussed. Motion by Chief Jenkins to purchase a sign with the revised changes not to exceed \$ 500.00. Ch. Vanatta 2nd the motion. Motion Passed.
7. Round Table Forum- Rogers – Training Tower under construction, Starting to Work on St.8 construction, have plans to Hire several to fill vacancies, working on the AWIN Radio system to get the Hospitals on-line in the future. Ch. Hines planning to Retire at the end of June.
 - Lowell, have several things that are under re-organization currently
 - XNA- New Taxi-way being built, changing some of the dispatch alerts
 - Bella Vista- POA has taken over the stump dump fire site / extinguishment
 - Washington Co. – 2019 funding for USAR and SWAT Teams available.

Siloam Springs- Ch. White Retiring, City has agreed to go on the AWIN system, New Training tower near completion.

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Minutes continued

Springdale – Making some updates to the AWIN radio system, Looking to purchase a New CAD for Dispatch. St. 7 construction is complete, Breaking Ground on St. 8 next week

8. Other Business; Next Meeting on June 20, 2019 @ Central EMS in Fayetteville.
9. Motion by Ch. Jenkins to Adjourn @ 13:30 2nd by OEM Asst. Curry. Motion Passed.

Secretary, Vester Cripps

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