**Northwest Arkansas Metropolitan Chiefs Meeting**

**July 18, 2024 – Farmington**

**Next Meeting: FRI**

**Standing Items of Business:**

1. Meeting called to order.
2. Attendance: Springdale, Goshen, Siloam Springs, Bentonville, Rogers, Bella Vista, Benton County Fire Marshall Office, Pafford, Fayetteville, XNA, Elkins, Gentry, Lowell, Farmington
3. Financial report APPROVED, PASSED UNANIMOUS

**New Business:**

1. Legislative Report: New OSHA guidelines are in the comment period. Please review the proposed changes.
2. Critical Incident Assistance Team added to Bylaws. Stewart Motion Second Hulse Passed
3. FRI meeting Vote to attend Rangers Game for meeting. $3500 allotted for the expenditure. Stewart Motion Hulse Second Passed
4. Rookie School Funds Approval up to $15000 Harder Motion

**Old Business:**

1. Investment and Financial Policy Tabled for Review
2. E Voting- Election Buddy for E Voting Harder Motion Stewart Second Passed

**Committee Reports:**

1. NWA Training Officers Report

No meeting

We will investigate the actual cost per student for Recruit Academy.

1. NWA Fire Marshals Report

Gary Yarno is no longer the Benton County Fire Marshall

Next meeting July 31st Springdale Station 1 1300

1. NWA Operations Chiefs Report

No changes

1. NWA EMS Officers Report

State Conference July 31st- Aug. 4th

Protocol Update in August

Southwest Division Conference- Oct. 23rd Denton, Tx.