Cumberland County Fire Chief's Association June 26, 2000, 7:00 PM

Called to order by President Jimmy Hall at 7:00 PM with 20 members and 8 associate members present. Meeting held at Spring Lake Community Center, meal provided by the Spring Lake Fire Department, Station #22.

Opening prayer provided by Christian Firefighters- Mike Cassanova.

Roll Call and Reading of Minutes: President Hall asked the Secretary to have Roll Call and reading the minutes of the May meeting. Minutes were adopted as read. A letter was read that was received from the Office of State Fire Marshal concerning lack of representation to the memorial service. OSFM stated their representative to the memorial was Mike Williams.

Treasurer's Report: No Report.

Meeting Next Month: Meeting will be held at Old Courthouse, July 24th.

Vendors: None

Old Business:

Memorial: President Hall recognized Chief Mike Middleton. Sales on 1010 Helmet was \$1,098.00. \$50.00 cost to print tickets, (\$1,043.00 profit.) and a \$5.00 donation.

Donation of \$5.00 Contribution by Eastover Fire Department: \$500.00 Contribution by Godwin-Falcon Fire Department: 150.00

\$1,698.00

\$1,698.00 to be applied to \$3,000.00 debt on memorial.

Raffle of 1010 Helmet:

Drawing on 1010 Helmet: Winner, Chief James McIntyre, Station 17.

<u>Foam Trailer:</u> President Hall stated that Station 2 would like to find another station to take the foam trailer.

Tabled until July 24th meeting at Old Courthouse.

<u>Air System:</u> President Hall recognized Mike Middleton. Mike stated major repairs are need on system at his station.

Tabled until July 24th meeting at Old Courthouse.

<u>New Business:</u> President Hall introduced Steve Talbert of PWC. Steve talked about the use of hydrants within our areas. Handed out an SOP on Hydrant use.

New maps are in the works for areas with hydrants.

Florida Fires: President Hall stated that new requirements setup by the North Carolina Department of Insurance required all personnel to have:

Firefighter I & II Certification Wildland Firefighting Class as per Forestry

151,000 Acres had burned.

<u>Committee Report's:</u> President Hall recognized Chief Ron Marley. Chief Marley stated the CCFCA Standards Committee met June 13, 2000, 10 A.M. at County Station #3. The following were in attendance:

Chief R. Marley, Sta. 3, Committee Chairman Chief M. Barnes, Sta. 10, 15 & 20, Committee Secretary Chief O. Harris, Sta. 4 Chief. L. Sudia, Sta. 21

Chief J. Hall, Sta. 5
Director D. Nunnery, Communications
A/Director K. Currie, Communications
A/C. T. Smith, Sta. 3

The following recommendations were presented at the June 26th meeting of the CCFCA.

NOTE: Action taken at June 26th meeting on recommendations will be in **BOLD Print.** All other recommendations were tabled until July 24th meeting at Old Court House.

- 1. That all alarms of fire within structures will receive the full dispatched (residential and commercial). This includes ADT type alarms.
 - a. Note: It is recognized that, via a timely radio message, the officer in charge may choose to change the response to include:
 - i. Canceling all responding equipment
 - ii. Canceling all mutual aid equipment
 - iii. Direct specific equipment to stay in quarters to await further instructions
 - iv. Respond non-emergency.

Action Taken: A motion by Chief Middleton, 2nd by Chief Bullard that:

All ADT alarm dispatches will receive full 1st alarm automatic response. This procedure will not be changed, unless approved by CCFCA. Motion Carried.

- 2. Draft a recommended Rapid Intervention Team (RIT) policy. Policy to include:
 - a. That each department is encouraged to implement the use of RIT at every significant incident (structural fires, Haz-Mats, EMS where hot zones exist...).
 - b. Definitions and example(s) of a functional RIT.

The following was also be recommended:

1. That we discontinue the practice of dispatching partial responses to what are believed to be small fires (contained oven fires, lightening strikes...).

Action Taken: A motion by Chief Middleton, 2nd by Chief House that:

A full single family dwelling dispatch is required on fires inside all structures. Motion Carried.

The following was presented as reminders:

- 1. The need to upgrade zone cards and accompanying maps with mutual aid departments and ECC.
- 2. That only the first officer radioing that he/she is enroute will be acknowledged by ECC.
- 3. That all responding apparatus and officers are to check enroute on channel two.
- 4. Please forward an updated list of the following information to ECC
 - a. Locating information for each department's chief officer(s). Please include home phone, FAX at home and/or station, cell phone and digital pager number(s).
 - b. Updated list for all department members. Just names, address and phone.
- 5. Please check information in the 2000 Cumberland County Resource Manual for accuracy. This should include department chief's name(s), phone number(s), equipment... Report any inaccuracies to Emergency Management.

Inventory of Radio's: To better understand the radio needs of our county, Chief Barnes has been asked to research and tabulate a complete inventory of all VHF radios used by the Cumberland County Fire Service. The list shall include make, model, year and placement of each portable, mobile and base radio—no pagers. Chief Barnes stated, "no one realizes how big our radio system is".

Emergency Tone Alert: A motion by Chief Middleton, 2nd by Chief Bullard to:

Develop a standard on the emergency tone alert, that the tone will be transmitted over all fire department frequencies with intent of evacuating personnel from a specific area. Examples include woods fire when plow arrives, interior crews in structures, Hazmat, Firefighter down.

Motion Carried.

<u>Fire Marshal:</u> President Hall recognized Ricky Strickland. Ricky passed out a flyer on the Carolina 2000 Healthfair to be held July 22, 2000 at the Cumberland County Expo Center.

<u>Emergency Communications Center:</u> President Hall recognized Kenny Curry. Kenny stated they were still working on radios. Z-tron set screw out of tone. New system will be online in a couple weeks. Within 30 days, the old system will be removed.

Chief Middleton asked Kenny to have a zone card at next meeting to show everyone how the card works.

<u>Emergency Management:</u> President Hall recognized Harold Beverage. Harold stated in a letter to the Association, he needs to reduce budget expenditures.

Wants to remove Air 400 from his inventory, asks that we consider taking control of the unit. Must have indication the Association is interested in taking unit before forwarding request to the Board of Commissioners.

This request was tabled until July 24th meeting at Old Courthouse.

Forestry: Not Present

FTCC: President Hall recognized Johnny Baker. Johnny Talked about ISO and the power that one state agency would have.

EMS: Nothing

Hazmat (CERT): Not Present.

County Commissioners: Nothing

CCSD: Nothing.

<u>Christian Firefighters:</u> President Hall recognized Mike Cassanova. Mike stated next meeting would be held at Station 10, July 11th. Also reminded the association of the Fan club. Those who want to donate fans may do so anytime. Cost approximate is \$20.00. Will pick up fans from Spring Lake Fire Department and deliver. Thanks to all who donated.

For the good of the Association: President Hall recognized John House. John stated he is still working on the State Retirement program.

President Hall recognized Mike Middleton. Mike stated that Mia Morris is pushing a House Bill to increase retirement fund to \$200.00. Senate has a similar bill.

Chief Middleton made the motion to adjourn, 2nd by J.F.Hall motion passed at 9:55 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted by: Deputy Chief Terrence Rielly Secretary

Date: July 24, 2000

Recommendation/Proposal: To ask the County Commissioners through emergency Management to transfer the ownership of the Air 400 from their assets to this Association. Vander F.D. will maintain the vehicle's drive train to include insurance. CCFCA will continue to maintain the compressor.

Motion by: Chief Bullard Seconded by: Chief J.F. Hall

<u>Department</u>	For	Against	Department	For	Against
Beaver Dam	Х		Hope Mills	Х	
Bethany	Х		Lafayette Village	Х	
Carvers Creek	Х		Lake Rim	Х	
Cedar Creek			Linden	X	
Cotton	Х		Pearce's Mill	X	
Cumberland Road	Х		Pope AFB		
Eastover			Spring Lake		
Fayetteville	Х		Stedman	X	
Fort Bragg		Ì	Stoney Point	X	
Godwin-Falcon			Vander		
Gray's Creek #18	Х		Wade		
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Date: July 24, 2000

Recommend	dation/Proposal: To pay f	or the estimated \$38,300.70 repairs to Lafayette V	illages air
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Motion by:	Chief J. D. Pond	Seconded by: Chief Herndon	

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Cedar Creek	Х		Linden	Х	
Cotton	Х		Pearce's Mill	Х	
Cumberland Road	Х		Pope AFB		
Eastover			Spring Lake		
Fayetteville	Х		Stedman	Х	
Fort Bragg			Stoney Point	Х	
Godwin-Falcon			Vander	Х	
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Gray's Creek #24	Х		Westarea	Х	

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Date: <u>July 24, 2000</u>	
Recommendation/Proposal: To sup	oport Arson task force during FY 2000/01 for \$27,000.
Motion by: Chief Barnes	Seconded by: Chief Middleton

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Bethany	X		Lafayette Village	Х	
Carvers Creek	X		Lake Rim	Х	
Cedar Creek	X		Linden	Х	
Cotton	X		Pearce's Mill	Х	
Cumberland Road	X		Pope AFB		
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Cumberland County Fire Chief's Association c/o Westarea Fire Department 4820 Rosehili Road Fayetteville, NC 28311

August 7, 2000

Mr. Harold Beverage, Director Emergency Management 131 Dick Street, Room 5 Fayetteville, NC 28301

Dear Director Beverage:

During the July 24, 2000 business meeting of the Cumberland County Fire Chief's Association the following motion was passed:

To ask the County Commissioners, through Emergency Management, to transfer the ownership of Air 400 from their assets to this Association.

An agreement has been reached with the Vander F. D. to insure maintenance and immediate availability of this valuable unit.

Please contact us if we may be of service.

James Hall, President

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Jimmy Hall, President	Station 5	4101 Cumberland Rd.	Fayetteville, NC 28306	(910) 425 3119
Mark Barnes, Vice President	Station 10	4820 Rosehill Rd.	Fayetteville, NC 28311	(910) 822 0901
Freddy Johnson Jr., Treasurer	Station 13	7721 Stoney Point Rd.	Fayetteville, NC 28306	(910) 424 0694
Terrence Rielly, Secretary	Station 10	4820 Rosehill Rd.	Fayetteville, NC 28311	(910) 822 0901

Subject: Carolina 2000 Healthfair

Ricky.

First, I want to sincerely thank you for your interest in educating our community and attending this event. Health Alert is sponsoring a Healthfair for Central North Carolina. This event will be the largest Healthfair that has taken place in North Carolina. We would like for your agency to come out set up a booth and provide "Healthful" information to the public.

July 22, 2000, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Let Cumberland County Expo Center When: Where

Everyone and their Family Who:

Public Education Why

Some of the events that will be taking place are, the Healthfair, Mass CPR training, Demonstrations from the K-9 units and physical finness experts. There will be a blood drive and vehicle displays of emergency medical vehicles, to include helicopters and

Anything that can be given to our guest is welcome. We expect anywhere from 10,000 to 30,000 participants. The event schedule will be given to you as we approach the date of the event. Each agency will receive 1 T-shirt for participating in the event.

What I need from your agency to provide is:

Firehouse

Fire Trucks

And the registration form sent back to me, NLT April 1, 2000, completely filed out and the minimum of a \$50 fee is ENEMPT for your agency. PLEASE RETURN THE REGISTRATION FORM TO OUR OFFICE ON YOUR OFFICAL LETTERINEAD.

Per our conversation, here is the information you requested. I look forward to seeing you and if I can be of any further assistance. please call me at 910-797-4101.

Thank you, very much,

CAROLINA 2000 HEALTHFAIR

ANY QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS, PLEASE CONTACT HEALTH ALERT AT 910-797-4101

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All day fun for the family:

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Help Save a Life, Donate Blood!

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Enjoy Kids activities

Have your Blood screened for Diabetes

Watch several demonstrations, to include Tae-Boxing

Watch Police Working Dogs in action

Call in and ask for medical advise with our "Drs On Call"

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OFFICE OF STATE FIRE MARSHAL

Jim Long Commissioner of Insurance State Fire Marshal

June 20, 2000



Mr. James E. Hall, President Mr. Mark L. Barnes, Vice-President Cumberland County Fire Chief's Association c/o Westarea Fire Department 4820 Rosehill Road Fayetteville, NC 28311

Dear President Hall and Vice-President Barnes:

I read, with deep concern, your letter dated June 2, 2000, regarding the lack of representation of the Department of Insurance at your memorial service in May, and the insinuation of the lack of recognition and respect of such a tragic event as the death of a firefighter.

Since 1995, the Department of Insurance, Office of State Fire Marshal, has dedicated at least 2 staff members to be on call 24 hours a day / 7 days a week to be ready to respond whenever we are faced with the unfortunate in-line-of duty death of one of our emergency service personnel. These individuals, immediately upon notification, travel to the department or squad suffering the loss spending time with the family, the firefighters and chief to gather information to insure that the family receives all benefits for which they are eligible. This includes not only State benefits, but Federal, as well. Many hours are spent with surviving spouses, children and sometimes parents and grandparents of the deceased. Mike Williams, specifically, spent countless hours working with the family of our most recent fallen firefighter, David Sharp. It is for that reason that I asked Mike to attend the ceremony representing the Department of Insurance.

Others of us, including Senior Deputy Commissioner Tim Bradley, and myself had other commitments on May 7^{th} and asked Mike to represent us at the ceremony.

I am aware of the National Fire Academy's Fallen Firefighter's Memorial ceremony held annually in October at the National Emergency Training Center, in Emmitsburg, Maryland. Members of my staff have participated in this ceremony for the past 10 years and will be participating again this year. In addition to the ceremony, the National Fire Academy also sponsors the Walk of Honor, of which you may not be aware. This program allows individuals, groups, departments, etc., to make donations toward the purchase of a "brick" inscribed with your choice of wording to be included in the wall being erected to stand in memory of all United States firefighters who have lost their lives in-the-line-of-duty. Our OSFM staff made voluntary donations to purchase 2 bricks to be included in that wall.

Hall June 16, 2000 Page 2

On Saturday, June 3, 2000, I participated in the first fund raiser of the North Carolina Firefighter's Festival to raise funds for a North Carolina Fallen Firefighter Memorial to be placed near the State Capitol.

Chief Hall, I don't think that you will find any greater respect for the fallen firefighters, their families, friends and comrades than that which lives in the hearts of the staff of the Department of Insurance.

With warmest personal regards.

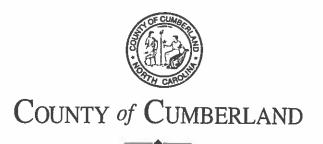
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Jim Long

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Senator Rand Representative Morris Freddy Johnson, Jr. Terrence Rielly



Emergency Management

June 23, 2000

MEMORANDUM

TO: FIRE CHIEF'S ASSOCIATION

THRU: CHIEF JAMES HALL, PRESIDENT

FROM: HAROLD G. BEVERAGE JR., CPP

SUBJECT: DISPOSITION OF 1985 GMC AIR TRUCK (AIR 400)

In an effort to focus on critical services and reduce budget expenditures, Cumberland County Emergency Management is looking to remove the 1985 GMC Step Van (AIR 400) from its inventory. I feel this vehicle continues to provide a public safety service to the community and therefore should not be salvaged or turned in as excess. The option is to find an organization such as yours that is willing to take over control of the equipment. It is unclear at this point if the vehicle would be donated or provided to the recipient for a nominal fee, as this would be determined by our elected officials and management.

I need an indication that the Association is interested in obtaining the equipment prior to forwarding this request to the Board of Commissioners. I know the Association has been responsible for maintaining the air system on the vehicle for the past several years. The Vander Fire Department has done an excellent job in maintaining the vehicle. This weighs heavily in my recommendation that the equipment be donated to your organization.

I look forward to hearing from you on this matter.





ROBERT C. WILLIAMS, COMMISSIONER MILTON R. WOFFORD, COMMISSIONER ROBERT W. SAUNDERS, COMMISSIONER VANCE B. NEAL, COMMISSIONER STEVEN K. BLANCHARD, GENERAL MANAGER PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF FAVETTEVILLE

508 PERSON STREET PO 80X 1089 FAYETTEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA 28302-1089 TELEPHONE (AREA CODE 910) 483-1-129 FAX (AREA CODE 910) 483-1-129

ELECTRIC & WATER UTILITIES

FIRE HYDRANT USE STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES

- 1. Fire hydrants are the property of the PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION.
- 2. Fire hydrants are to be used for the purpose of fighting fires.
- 3. Fire hydrant use other than fire fighting should be authorized by the PWC construction office located at old Wilmington Rd. Phone number (910)-223-4715 or (910)-223-4716.
- 4. Fire departments may use fire hydrants for training events with proper authorization from the public works commission.
- 5. Improper or unauthorized use of hydrants could result in the termination of authorization of PWC'S hydrants in the future.
- 6. Fire hydrants should always be operated by opening slowly to prevent damage to the hydrant and the distribution system.
- 7. Fire hydrants should never be <u>closed quickly</u>. This causes damage to the hydrant and to the distribution system.
- 8. Fire hydrants are not to be used to fill swimming pools unless permission is given by PWC's customer service office and the proper backflow device installed.
- 9. Fire hydrants are not to be used to fill tankers unless proper authorization has been given and the proper backflow protection device has been approved and installed.
- 10. Fire hydrants are used to flush the water distribution system.

Questions about proper fire hydrant use or how to obtain permission to use the hydrants other than for fighting fires should be requested through the construction office at old Wilmington Rd.



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