

The minutes of the regular meeting of the Fire Commissioners of Walla Walla County Fire District No. 4 held on May 27, 2026, at Station 41.

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Chairman Myrick. Commissioners Farrens and Hector and Secretary/Chief John Golden were present at Station 41. Guests include Megan Waite in person.

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner Myrick.

### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND MINUTES**

The meeting agenda and minutes of the regular meeting of May 13, were motioned for approval by Commissioner Farrens. Commissioner Hector seconded the motion and was carried.

### **SECRETARY'S REPORT**

The Treasurer's Financial report and Secretary's Budget for April were presented with incomplete revenue, as revenue has not been received from the County Treasurer's office.

### **CHIEF'S REPORT**

May has been full of EMS stand-by events, including; Drag Races, Onion Man triathlon, High School Rodeo, Crashfest demo and concert.

Recent mutual aid calls to Touchet and Benton County.

ARFF 342 is Out of Service, the fire pump needs replaced – pump has been ordered.

Pinning ceremony Wednesday, June 10 at 6pm for Ryan Chase, Josh Needham, Ethan Zehner

City annexation ramp down for 2026 was \$16,156.16.

Congratulations to Brian Gourdin was awarded the EMS of the year award. Thursday, June 4<sup>th</sup> is the presentation.

Union memos distributed with information. The vehicle numbering system was one of the memos, the union is in favor of changing back to the previously used numbering system. The second memo regarding negotiating with individuals instead of the union, previously the union would have been included in those discussions.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

MOU with Walla Walla County Emergency Management to implement evacuation notices on behalf of the IC. Commissioner Hector motioned to approve and sign the MOU, Commissioner Farrens seconded the motion and was carried unanimously.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

UAS/ Drone Program policy

Resolution 2026-03 was presented to adopt the UAS/Drone program policy 900-018. Commissioner Farrens motioned to accept the policy and resolution as presented. Commissioner Hector seconded the motion and was carried unanimously.

New Oregon contract was presented for approval at 61766 Mill Creek Road with Dave & Barbara Davies. Commissioner Farrens motioned to approve the Oregon Contract. Commissioner Hector seconded the motion and was carried unanimously.

WESCOM update from Commissioner Hector.

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**AUDIENCE INPUT**

None.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 4:44 PM

The next regular Walla Walla County Fire District No. 4 Commissioner Meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 10, 2026 at 4:00 P.M.

Submitted by: Chief John Golden

Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_, Chairman