

Sonoma County
Fire Chief's Association
Operations Section
April 14, 2011 Meeting Minutes

Called to order by Darrin DeCarli at 1030 hours.

Attendance:

Members

Spencer Andreis
Jeff Holden
Tony Gossner
John Lantz
Bill Braga
Darrin DeCarli
Steve Davidson
Sean Lacy
Steve Adams

Non Members

Changes to Agenda: None

Approval of minutes:

Liaison Reports:

Sonoma County Fire Chiefs: (John Lantz)

- County EMS wants County wide PCR
- Public meeting regarding Natural Gas line locations

Sonoma Training Officers: (Decarli)

- ***Progressing on establishing goals***
- *Creating checking account is progressing Current funds are \$5521.37*
- *Hold on any spending until bylaws established*

Marin Ops Group: (Mark Brown) No report, Mark absent

Nor Cal Ops Group: (Davidson)

- No Report

SC Fire Prevention Officers: (Decarli)

- No Report

Cal Fire (Lantz) 6 acting BC's in unit

Old Business:

- **SCBA identifiers (Dan Northern) Asking for County standard to be developed so if a department wants to use SCBA identifiers there will already be a standard in place** – No Consensus .
- **Narrow banding –Went well** – Narrow band squelch is tech issue – Next step is to narrow band PL tone

New Business:

- **Social Media Contact** –Facebook, Twitter etc. - Recommend having policy in place – Will discuss at next meeting if we should take role in creating a policy or leave to individuals departments
- **PIO Role – Tabled**
- **Fire Ground Injury SOG** – In Progress – Steve Adams to develop Draft – Recommend becoming familiar with Public Safety Officer Website – Sean to send out Sonoma Valleys Beneficiary form as sample
- **CICCS Review / Updates** – Fire Chiefs getting update draft – classes are being added – STL class will become all risk – Firing class S234 and Aircraft S270 required for STL – Active status – Should active status include all overhead?
- **Safety VestSOG** – CHP requested

Round Table Information: Apple Blossom / Butter and Eggs days both next weekend – Petaluma changed 2in/2out policy per previous months discussions

Meeting Adjourned: 1200 hours

Submitted by: Steve Davidson