

**Sonoma County**  
**Fire Chief's Association**  
**Operations Section**  
**September 2010 Meeting Minutes**

Called to order by John Lantz at 1000 hours.

***Attendance:***

***Members***

David Cornelssen  
Spencer Andreis  
Jason Jenkins  
Jack Piccinini  
Steve Davidson  
Doug Williams  
John Lantz  
Bill Shubin  
Mike Mickelson  
Darrin DeCarli  
Ken Reese  
Mike Ahlin  
Mark Basque  
John Marty

***Non Members***

Tony Gossner  
Sean Sullivan  
Bill Braga

***Changes to Agenda:*** None

***Approval of minutes:*** Darrin and Chris

***Liaison Reports:***

***Sonoma County Fire Chiefs: (Doug Williams)***

- Brief update on the Fire Chiefs updating their web site

***Marin Sonoma Training Officers:*** No report

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

***Nor Cal Ops Group: (Mike Ahlin)*** Combining the North and South to be called California Fire Chiefs Association Operations Section

***SC Fire Prevention Officers:*** No report

***Old Business:***

- ***Rehab Policy (Spencer Andreis)*** Completed. Will be formatted and presented to the Fire Chiefs for approval.
- ***Helicopter Policy (Spencer Andreis)*** Completed. Will be formatted and and presented to the Fire Chiefs for approval.
- ***REDCOM # 27 (Jack Piccinini)*** Final draft is awaiting approval from the DOAG

***New Business:***

- ***Two in Two Out (Jack Piccinini)*** Discussed the current policies and philosophies of the standard since it was introduced 10 years ago. Several different concepts from those in attendance regarding RIC and or 2 out. It was recommended a group be formed for the purpose of fact finding. The group will be; Jack Piccinini, Mike Ahlin, Steve Davidson, Jason Jenkins & a SCFS rep to be named.
- Mike Ahlin lead a brief discussion on BMI testing related to the DMV physicals.
- Discussed the new MCI plan that is out in draft. It is based on Fire Scope for Field Operations
- Applications were handed to new attendees. Steve Davidson will up date the list and send it out
- Mike Mickelson gave an update on the Bodega Incident including, communication issues, damaged equipment and the injured FF.
- Ken Reese and Doug Williams updated the group on some issues related to the deployment of Strike Teams to the Bodega Incident. They will be dispatching 1 ST at a time from now on due to logistical problems encountered
- Group discussion on the pros and cons associated with deployments of Strike Teams vs 5 resources and an overhead.

***Round Table Information:*** SRFD has a new OES Engine. 250 was replaced with Engine 363 which is housed at Sta. 4 on Yulupa Ave.

***Next meeting:*** November 15, 2010

***Meeting Adjourned:*** 1200 hours

***Submitted by:*** David Cornelssen