

GRIFFITH SAFETY BOARD

March 5, 2020

The Griffith Safety Board was called to order by Liz Goral at 6:30

Those in Attendance

Liz Goral	Griffith Safety Board Member
RoAnn Purgert	Griffith Safety Board Secretary
Stan Dobosz	Griffith Safety Board Member
Phil Vechey	Griffith Safety Board Member
George Jerome	Griffith Safety Board Member

The meeting opened with the pledge of allegiance. The following items were discussed:

Approval of February 6, 2020 minutes: Motion by Safety Board member Dobosz
Seconded by Safety Board member Jerome
Motion Carried 5-0

Reports: Griffith Police Department

Chief Mance read the reports for January 2020.

Griffith Fire Department

Chief Schoon read the monthly reports for January 2020.

VEST

Chief Czerwinski read the monthly report for January 2020.

FOP Post 161

Nothing

New Business

Special recognition of V.E.S.T. Chief Mike Czerwinski's 20 years of volunteer service to the Town of Griffith's emergency services.

Motion by Safety Board member Vechey, 2nd by Safety Board member Dobosz, to give Griffith Police Chief permission to conduct appropriate hiring process as necessary for Officer GR80 to fill the planned vacancy in May.
Motion carried 5-0

Old Business

Nothing

Announcements:

Griffith Fire Department 100th Anniversary Fundraiser will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on March 28, 2020 at Bridges.

Questions/comments from the floor.

Safety Board Secretary Purgert asked Chief Czerwinski how often or if VEST responds to fire calls. Chief Czerwinski responded that almost every day there is a member of VEST on duty. VEST responds to all fire and medical calls and are on hand keeping an eye on equipment, as well as other duties, while first responders are tending to their calls.

Meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Liz Goral

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