SOUTH OLDHAM FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TRUSTEES MEETING

MINUTES January 22, 2024

In attendance: Richard Beard, Patrick Stoess, William Blakely, Mark Gardner, Dennis Deibel, James Johnson, and Laura Stoess (counsel).

The meeting was called to order at 8:09 p.m.

Laura Stoess read the Minutes from the November 2023 meeting into the record. The Minutes were approved as read.

Mark Gardner, standing in for Eddie Turner, distributed the attached chart outlining receipt of tax funds. The District has received \$2,316,884.49 from the Oldham County Sheriff and \$12,291.32 from the Shelby County Sheriff. The total received thus far is \$2,329,175.81.

Patrick Stoess provided an update on the status of discussions with Pewee Valley regarding a possible merger. A meeting was held between representatives of South Oldham (David Thompson, Chief Blakely, and Patrick Stoess) and Pewee Valley (Todd Jones, Matt York, and Adam Hack). Patrick reported that the meeting was productive and that the parties discussed additional data that needs to be gathered to explore whether or not a merger is beneficial to both parties. Chief Blakely advised that he wants projected numbers for both Departments and he is currently collecting information to provide to Pewee Valley. Another meeting is scheduled for February 21, 2024.

There was no additional business brought before the Board.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:18 p.m.

DENNIS DEIBEL, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

PATRICK STOESS, SECRETARY

South Oldham Fire Protection District Trustees Meeting Minutes

February 26, 2024

In attendance: Dennis Deibel, Patrick Stoess, Mark Gardner, Eddie Turner, Richard Beard, Jim Johnson, Travis German and Chief Blakely.

The minutes from the January meeting were read and approved as read.

Patrick Stoess reported on the recent committee meeting with Pewee Valley Fire District on a possible merger of the districts. Pewee Chairman, Joe Burkhart also attended the meeting. It was determined that Pewee Valley Fire District is not comfortable with the South Oldham board structure, so the possibility of Pewee Valley joining South Oldham is on hold indefinitely. Both departments will continue to work together through mutual aid and should Pewee Valley want to consider merging with South Oldham in the future, they will contact us.

Eddie Turner reported that the audit for FY 2022-2023 has been completed. Copies were distributed to the trustees and a copy has been submitted to the Department of Local Government.

Dennis expressed prayers and good luck for Laura's daughter for a speedy recovery.

There was no further business, and the meeting was adjourned at 8:25 PM.

Dennis L. Deibel, Chairman

Patrick Stoess, Secretary

SOUTH OLDHAM FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TRUSTEES MEETING

MINUTES March 25, 2024

In attendance: Patrick Stoess, William Blakely, Mark Gardner, Dennis Deibel, James Johnson, Eddie Turner, and Laura Stoess (counsel).

The meeting was called to order at 8:08 p.m.

Laura Stoess read the Minutes from the February meeting into the record. The Minutes were approved as read.

Chairman Deibel called on Eddie Turner to provide a monthly revenue update. Eddie Turner indicated that the District has received approximately \$2.6 million dollars from tax review from Oldham and Shelby County Sheriffs. This includes revenue from vehicle taxes.

Chairman Deibel reminded Chief Blakely that there is an upcoming meeting on March 28, 2024 regarding the plan for the Crestwood sewer expansion on Old LaGrange Road. Chief Blakely advised that he is aware of the meeting and plans to attend. There is expected to be a special assessment levied for the sewer expansion as well as additional cost for installation of a pump. This will need to be considered in our upcoming budget.

There was no additional business brought before the Board.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:16 p.m.

DENNIS DEIBEL, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

PATRICK STOESS, SECRETARY