



CASCADEL FIRE WISE / BRIGADE

COMMITTEE MEETING and WORKDAY MINUTES

OCTOBER 21, 2017

10:00 AM – 12:30 AM

Members present: Carol Eggink, Simon Elman, Carol Pace, Susie Odry, Stan Eggink, Ken Wood, Aimee Cox

Meeting covered recent vandalism of the locks on the Fire Boxes. All had been removed except one on Loma Linda Drive. The committee recommends to the Cascadel Water Board to authorize purchase of Break-Away Locks for the Fire boxes.

We discussed placement of a sign regarding liability on the boxes. Concerns were raised that someone would simply paint over these notifications; therefore this sign could be placed inside on the door. It is a recommendation of the Committee to insert a notification of liability in the news letter for all to read with the reason these boxes are locked.

Ken Wood will be placing temporary locks on the boxes until the Board advises this committee of their decision on the locks to purchase.

Carol Pace gave the repaired Clubhouse Fire Box a second coat of paint and Simon finished off repairs on its roof.

Simon Elman and Susie Odry did a complete inventory of the Fire boxes. They restocked the clubhouse fire box and Simon put his own lock on this box to prevent any theft. Carol sent out an email notifying all members to contact Simon if this box needs to be opened.

The tool Stan made to open the lids which cover and turn on/off the valves to the hydrants and lines in the Loma Linda box. This box has the lock which we all still have a key to open. The Water Co. employees have been sent an email regarding this change of location.

It has been suggested by the committee that a Fire Hydrant map be placed inside each box. Stan Eggink will be doing this job.

Simon turned in his receipts for supplies to finish off the repaired fire box for repayment, \$152.52. Simon also turned in the invoice from the contractor who rebuilt the fire box, \$560.00. Total of \$712.52. Simon was asked to return the locks he purchased for the fire boxes.

Carol Eggink and Aimee Cox cleared around several hydrants and cleaned the hydrants. The blue reflectors were replaced on all of these hydrants if they were missing. The dirt levels were lowered where necessary to allow for free turning of the hydrant wrench. This job will be completed next month.

Stan Eggink and Ken Wood numbered many of the hydrants. This job will be completed next month.

We called an end to the work day at 12:30PM.

Minutes by Carol Eggink