



**EAST PRIEST LAKE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
SPECIAL MEETING
April 15, 2024 at 9:30 A.M.
48 E Trout Lane, Coolin ID 83821
In Person only**

Meeting Minutes

Welcome - (Commissioner Clevenger) The meeting was called to order by Commissioner Clevenger at 9:30 A.M. Commissioners: Tom Clevenger, Ann McKinstry, Assistant Chief Dave Tewel and Secretary Jaime Yob, Guests –Aaron Weil

Declaration of Quorum - (Commissioner Clevenger) quorum present.

Fire Suppression Rating Presentation Public Protection Representative, Aaron Weil, from the Idaho Surveying and Rating Bureau [ISRB], came to a special meeting today to present and answer questions regarding Idaho's Fire Suppression Rating Schedule. Public Protection Classification is a community-wide evaluation that considers dispatching, the fire department, and any creditable water systems to determine the effectiveness of available resources to fight fire. The result of the evaluation is a score from 1 to 10 that is used by insurance carriers to help determine the cost of property fire insurance premiums and is the same as an ISO rating. Aaron provided education and facts to guide EPLFD in next steps for Rural Evaluation by ISRB. Details were shared and discussed regarding ISO ratings of 10, 9 and 8. The training and information today provided a clear list of goals. A formal request for Rural Evaluation can only occur after the fire district has a station to hold all equipment.

Adjourn Commissioner Clevenger ended the meeting at 10:48 A.M.

Next Regular Meeting **April 18, 2024 6:30 P.M. at 48 East Lake Trout Lane, Coolin, ID 83821
Come to our convenient Fire Training in Coolin 1st Saturdays 9 A.M. and 3rd Wednesdays 6 P.M. Contact Chief Tom Renzi at (509) 638-9388 for more info!**