

CHIEF'S COMMITTEE

Avery Fire Association - Beech Mtn VFD Substation-

July 3rd, 2014

Chief Bob Garland called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

Members discussed problems with the dispatchers and I Am Responding. Dean Gibbs & Levin Sudderth were having problems getting texts every time.

Members thought that possibly the dispatchers had not been emptying their error code box. It was noted that they are still using an administrative login so problems can't be pointed to a specific dispatcher. Bob Pudney agreed to look into the problems and see if he could figure them out.

No one had heard anything about the county's progress in the hiring process for David Charles Vance's assistant.

Bob Garland did not think the county would allow for payment of Katherine Hemphill's latest bill and he told departments that there may need to be another assessment.

Paul Buchanan announced that he was still trying to get a meeting with Bill Beuttel & Robert Wisemen. Robert wants the county attorney there and she has a full schedule.

Paul also announced that the new Frank Fire Station was on track and progressing.

Attendees reviewed the patch designs present by Junior Sluder & Kennie McFee.

Paul told members that he would set up a committee to price equipment for group purchases by December.

Members agreed that this year's budget process was the best ever and that hopefully budgets would be finished quicker next year.

There being no further business - the meeting was adjourned.