

## **CHIEF'S COMMITTEE**

### **Avery Fire Association - March 2, 2017 - Elk Park VFD**

The regular monthly meeting of the Chief's Committee was called to order by Chief Bob Garland.

Members were reminded to send in their lists of missing or incorrect Street signs and Water Point signs.

Bob asked each chief to consider putting some one in their departments (either paid or volunteer) in charge of making sure every member's profile is in the I Am responding system.

It was noted that the Fire Commission's monies to each department for the state's 50/50 matching grant would be raised from \$ 14,500 to \$ 30,000.

A recent call caused a discussion about limiting radio traffic. Chiefs were asked to remind members that the radio frequency should be reserved for officers and trucks to check in route.

Kennie McFee asked about tactical channels. Bob Garland that all seven were working and that 2 were repeated. Kennie asked that the frequency list be standardized county wide. Bob Garland agreed to give the list to Charlie Franklin to forward to each department.

Kennie noted that the Mitchell county dispatch assigns departments to a Tactical frequency on each call - leaving the main channel free for paging. Bob agreed to bring it up at the 911 Committee meeting.

There being no further business - the meeting was adjourned.