

Avery Firefighters Association

April 4, 2019

Crossnore Station

Chiefs committee

Alarms- Garland submitted run cards but Newland reports that there have been no alarms on their target hazards. Garland has asked that the chiefs get the run cards turned in by Monday 8 Apr 2019. Jamie appeared to remind departments that the dispatchers will need a few weeks to implement the changes, and that this process should be done only once. Pudney proposed that the group will proceed without everyone on board if they don't get the run cards completed this month. June 911 meeting will be the cutoff.

Jamie also asked for an updated roster from each department.

Jamie also addressed the tree cutting debate. He asked that our policy apply to every department. He says that on call DOT employees take trucks home in order to speed up response. Jamie will meet with the county manager to determine whether dispatch will comply with the chiefs' committee determination that tree cutting will be dispatched on a per-department basis.

Ladder Lease- Meeting last month did not happen. It has not been rescheduled.

Bylaw committee has not formed a proposal. Pudney presented the issues of voting member identification and departments participation requirements as stumbling blocks for the committee. He asked for comments.