Avery Firefighters Association 5 Sep 2019 Banner Elk Fire & Rescue Station One <u>Chief's Committee</u>

No progress reported on Ladder Co lease.

Squirt 43 is still at Gwaltney Station. Frank and Newland expressed interest in housing the blue truck.

Bodford proposed that a recommendation be made to the ACFC that Squirt 43 be sent to Frank, and ownership of the truck transferred to the ACFA.

A reserve engine will be sent to Newland Station.

No meeting date has been agreed to by the county commissioners.

No work has begun on Frank Tower.

Stansberry stressed the importance of response numbers and recruitment.

Chief Pudney requests an outline of each department's recruitment and retention efforts. He will be in contact by email and address it next month.