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Central Stickney Fire Protection District

4951 SOUTH LOTUS AVENUE STICKNEY TWP., ILLINOIS 60638

Bruce Zelasko, President
Fortino Carrillo, Treasurer
Karl Frixen, Secretary

September 11, 2025

The Central Stickney Fire Protection District Board held its Regular Monthly Meeting on September 11, 2025, at the Central Stickney Fire House, 4951 S. Lotus Avenue, Stickney Township, Illinois, 60638.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

ROLL CALL

Fortino Carrillo
Karl Frixen
Bruce Zelasko

ALSO PRESENT

Mike Cainkar, Attorney
Sue Stanearth, Recording Secretary

Mr. Zelasko called the meeting to order at 6:31 P.M.

PUBLIC INPUT

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mr. Zelasko motioned, seconded by Mr. Carrillo, to approve the August 14, 2025, Regular Meeting Minutes.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Carrillo, Frixen, Zelasko
 Nays: None.

Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF BILLS

Mr. Zelasko motioned, seconded by Mr. Frixen, to approve payment of the August 2025 Bills Payable with a total disbursement of \$17,369.27.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Carrillo, Frixen, Zelasko

Nays: None.

Motion carried.

ATTORNEY'S REPORT

Mr. Cainkar reported that they do not know exactly when the tax bills will be going out, but hopefully by November 1st. The Rate Table is out, and the EAV is a little higher.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Mr. Carrillo read the following Treasurer's Report dated August 2025:

Opening Balance for August 1, 2025 \$ 911,743.02

DEPOSITS

8/1/2025	Medical Reimbursement	15,290.89
8/5/2025	Food & Flowers Club	272.00
8/7/2025	Medical Reimbursement	459.40
8/12/2025	Medical Reimbursement	934.70
8/19/2025	State Property Replacement Tax	2,505.85
8/21/2025	Medical Reimbursement	1,373.92
8/22/2025	Medical Reimbursement	569.90
8/28/2025	Medical Reimbursement	389.25
8/29/2025	Medical Reimbursement	<u>615.50</u>
TOTAL DEPOSITS FOR AUGUST 31, 2025		<u>\$ 22,411.41</u>

EXPENDITURES

PAYROLL, TAXES, IMRF, FEES	53,919.10
BILLS PAID	<u>17,369.27</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR AUGUST, 2025	<u>\$ 71,288.37</u>

CLOSING STATEMENT BALANCES FOR AUGUST 31, 2025:

CHECKING 2	\$ 179,363.91
CHECKING 3	\$ 283,281.31
SAVINGS	<u>\$ 401,137.88</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$ 863,783.10</u>

Mr. Zelasko motioned, seconded by Mr. Frixen, to approve and accept the Treasurer's Report.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Carrillo, Frixen, Zelasko
Nays: None.

Motion carried.

CHIEF'S REPORT

Mr. Frixen reported that there were 56 total calls for August 2025.

Fire:	35	Ambulance:	21
In-town Fires:	25	In-town:	16
M/A Fires:	10	M/A:	5

Fuel used: Gasoline: 42.1 gallons Diesel: 57.8 gallons

No major incidents in town to report.

Training Report:

Total Contact hours of training: 610

Fire Training Topics: 136

Officer Training: 0

Drivers Training, Vehicle Checks, Maintenance checks & Other: 474

For August, there are 3 Training Topics:

1. Ram XD
2. SCBA
3. Struts and Airbags

For September, there are 3 Training Topics:

1. FIRE BEHAVIOR/READING SMOKE
2. FIREGROUND OPERATIONS & ICS
3. FIRE PREVENTION

Vehicle, Equipment, and House Maintenance & Other:

- Two members still on leave of absence (Linane, Sanchez-Molina).
- We still have some open shifts. Still trying to recruit new Paramedics.

We have 4 of the 8-foot LED lights on the bay floor that stopped working. I called the company that installed them 8 years ago on a ComEd grant. They gave us an estimate to repair the 4 lights at \$795.00. However, they were then able to contact the original grant through ComEd and reapply, getting all 12 lights replaced for \$995.00 through the grant program again. This will be completed in September.

We did not have a Fire Prevention and Public Safety Report for August 2025 submitted by D/C Jason Staidl.

Mr. Zelasko motioned, seconded by Mr. Carrillo, to approve the Chief's Report.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Carrillo, Frixen, Zelasko
Nays: None.

Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

None.

CORRESPONDENCE

None.

ADJOURNMENT


Mr. Zelasko motioned, seconded by Mr. Frixen, to adjourn the meeting.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Carrillo, Frixen, Zelasko
 Nays: None.

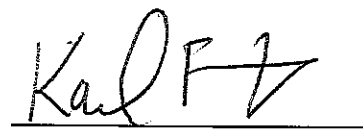
Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:38 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,



Bruce Zelasko, President



Karl Frixen, Secretary