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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

December 11, 2025

The Central Stickney Fire Protection District Board held its Regular Monthly Meeting on December 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
Bruce Zelasko

Karl Frixen was absent.

ALSO PRESENT

Brian McMahan, Chief
Beth Attard, Attorney
Sue Staneart, Recording Secretary

Mr. Zelasko called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M.

PUBLIC INPUT

The President of the Firefighters Association addressed the Trustees and asked for a donation for the January 10, 2026, Annual Firemen's Ball Meeting. It will be formal attire.

Chief McMahan said a \$ 2,000 donation was made the last time they requested money for their Annual Meeting.

Mr. Zelasko motioned, seconded by Mr. Carrillo, to donate \$2,000.00 to the Firefighters' Association for their Annual Firefighters' Meeting.

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

Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mr. Zelasko motioned, seconded by Mr. Carrillo, to approve the November 12, 2025, Regular Meeting Minutes.

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

Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF BILLS

Mr. Zelasko motioned, seconded by Mr. Carrillo, to approve payment of the November 2025 Bills Payable with a total disbursement of \$165,915.44.

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

Motion carried.

ATTORNEY'S REPORT

Mr. Cainkar did not have anything to report this month.

TREASURER'S REPORT

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

Opening Balance for November 1, 2025	\$ 723,
DEPOSITS	
11/10/2025 Medical Reimbursement	692.72
11/12/2025 Food & Flowers Club	256.00
11/26/2025 Medical Reimbursement	304.75
TOTAL DEPOSITS FOR NOVEMBER, 2025	<u>\$ 34,357.82</u>
EXPENDITURES	
PAYROLL, TAXES, IMRF, FEES	59,716.880
BILLS PAID	<u>165,915.44</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR NOVEMBER, 2025	<u>\$ 225,632.24</u>
CLOSING STATEMENT BALANCES FOR OCTOBER 31, 2025:	
CHECKING 2	\$ 92,526.93
CHECKING 3	\$ 295,457.88
SAVINGS	<u>\$ 101,205.85</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$ 489,190.66</u>

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

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

Motion carried.

CHIEF'S REPORT

Chief McMahon reported that there were 62 total calls for November, 2025.

Fire:	32	Ambulance:	30
In-town Fires:	23	In-town:	22
M/A Fires:	9	M/A:	8

Fuel used: Gasoline: 115.9 gallons Diesel: 26.5 gallons

No major incidents in town to report.

October 2025 Training Report:

Total Contact hours of training: 850

Drivers Training, Vehicle Checks, Maintenance checks: 539

Fire Training Topics: 308

Officer Training: 3

Mutual Aid Training: 0

For October, there are 3 Training Topics:

1. Portable Fire extinguishers
2. Relay Pump Operations
3. District Familiarization/Hydrant Locations (Industrial) – Ensure Locks

For November, there are 3 Training Topics:

1. Online Drivers' Safety Course, EVOG
2. Cross Lay Lead outs
3. Stair-chair use

Chief McMahon, working with IPRF, has secured the department, "free of charge, an online driver training safety program that all members will complete.

This 4-hour course is designed for all firefighters who drive emergency vehicles. This course can be used as initial training for new emergency vehicle drivers to learn strategies to safely operate emergency vehicles in emergency and non-emergency situations or as a refresher course for experienced emergency vehicle drivers. Students will learn safe driving practices, defensive driving principles, the responsibilities of an emergency vehicle driver, how to safely operate an emergency vehicle during emergency responses, and the difficulties of driving fire apparatus. Upon successful completion of this

course, students will have a better understanding of how to prevent crashes while driving emergency vehicles.

November 2025 Training Report:

Total Contact hours of training: 753

Drivers Training, Vehicle Checks, Maintenance checks: 465

Fire Training Topics: 282

Officer Training: 0

Mutual Aid Training: 2 training dates, 6 hours

For November, there are 3 Training Topics:

1. On-Line Drivers' Safety Course, EVOG
2. Cross Lay Lead outs
3. Stair-chair use

For December, there are 3 Training Topics:

1. Review of target hazards in the district
2. Image Trend training for NERIS
3. Pit crew CPR for EMS

Chief McMahon, working with IPRF, has secured the department, "free of charge", an online driver training safety program that all members have completed in November.

Investigators Gomez and Golden attended the MABAS 21 Investigators training.

A crew of 4 members attended the final Live Fire Training at Bedford Park this month.

MABAS 21 will be hosting Monthly training starting in December, and the schedule is completed through 2026. We will attempt to have a crew attend this valuable training each month. The December training topic is Cold Weather Fire Operations.

Chief McMahon read the following Fire Prevention and Public Safety Report for October 2025 submitted by D/C Jason Staidl.

1. I received notification from FSCI that dnD Fire Protection passed with corrections to their working pressure, hydro & rough at 4836 S. Long Ave - 13DHR – 22 sprinklers.
 - a. A final sprinkler system inspection will need to be completed.
 - b. Spray foam for all piping in all areas subject to freezing will be installed. The contractor will submit a letter to the AHJ confirming that the manufacturer states that spray foam is compatible with CPVC piping.
 - c. Verify the deflector-to-ceiling distances of all sprinklers are correct.
2. I received notification from FSCI that 4847 S. Lotus Ave., submittal for a Fire Alarm permit was approved.

3. I discussed the procedure for obtaining the AES radio for the 6200 W. 51st St. with Daria Zakharova from Forbel Alarms, Inc.
4. I received notification from FSCI that 4847 S. Lotus Ave. submitted their 1st review for a Fire Alarm permit.

Chief McMahon read the following Fire Prevention and Public Safety Report for November 2025 submitted by D/C Jason Staidl.

1. I received notification from FSCI that 4906 S. Linder Ave. has submitted its initial Fire Sprinkler permit review.
2. I have been notified by Johnson Controls that the new AES radio at Korex, located at 6200 W. 51st St., is now connected to OLREC.
3. I have been notified by FSCI that the initial review for a Fire Sprinkler permit submitted by 4906 S. Linder Ave. has been approved.
4. I received notification from FSCI that Forbel called for their fire alarm test and final at Korex 6200 W. 51st St. "E" - Alarm – 161 Devices

Vehicle, Equipment, and House Maintenance & Other:

- Three members still on leave of absence (Linane, Sanchez-Molina, Quijada)
- Hiring 1 Single Role Paramedic CJ Shefcik
- We still have some open shifts. Still trying to recruit new Paramedics.

A909 went in for an oil change and 2 new front tires in November.

The Santa Around Town Parade will be scheduled for Sunday, December 14th at dusk.

Chief McMahon is scheduled to visit the Wheeled Coach factory on December 17th for the final inspection of the ambulance. We should see the ambulance soon, following that visit – estimate within 30 days.

The US Fire Administration has mandated a new Fire Reporting System, and we have been working diligently to make certain we are ready. This has been a 4-month project for us, working with our software program Image Trend, our dispatch center and other departments. The new National Emergency Response Information System (NERIS) platform will modernize and transform the legacy data system, known as the National Fire Incident Reporting System (NIFIRS) to a secure, cloud-hosted system that fulfills the U.S. Fire Administration's (USFA'S) National Fire Data Center's (NFDC's) obligations under the Federal Fire Prevention and Control Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-498) to mitigate the fire problem, reduce loss of life and property, and educate the public on fire safety, prevention and protection. We will go live on January 1st.

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

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

Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Zelasko said we need to discuss how to handle the sale of the 1997 International Road Rescue Ambulance once the new Ambulance arrives.

Chie McMahon said that we used Brindle Mountain, an online service, to sell Truck #906 and the last ambulance. We got \$16,000.00 for the 1990 Road Rescue Ambulance and \$65,000.00 for the truck with 172,000 miles on it.

We now have a 1997 with 53,000 miles on it. They get a 10% commission, so we should list it higher and then go down when we need to. I think we should be starting a \$45,000.00

It takes an average of 6 – 9 months to sell. We need to figure out where we will store it until it sells.

Mr. Zelasko motioned, seconded by Mr. Carrillo, to list the 1997 Road Rescue Ambulance with Brindle Mountain at \$45,000.00.

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

Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

None.

ADJOURNMENT

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

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

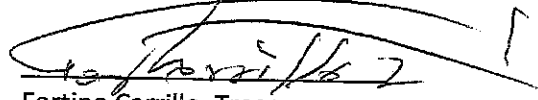
Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:46 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,



Bruce Zelasko, President



Fortino Carrillo, Treasurer