

From: Patrick Smith
Subject: RE: interviews of 2 district residents
To: "Jen and Jacob SLIEMERS"
Date: Thursday, September 10, 2009, 11:34 AM

I have tremendous respect for JoAnne and have worked with her on scene. I want her input as well as other community and past members as well. I am still working on that.

I do not have the exact language in front of me right now for the Chief though I do believe that a Chief has to be selected, designated etc no later than that time. We would be in the same situation if we did not have a Chief at any time and the Board would have to establish the person if this was not completed by the membership. I am confident we will have some solution in place even if it is temporary prior to this date.

Thank you for the input on the paid chief. If you have further details on an ideal plan please let me know, thanks Pat

From: Jen and Jacob SLIEMERS
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Date: Wednesday, September 9, 2009, 6:26 PM

Pat,

Thank you for this information. I also know JoAnne and she is certainly a wise community member/past firefighter to get feedback from on FFR.

Rumor has it that if we don't designate someone as a chief, temporary or permanent, by January 1, 2010 that the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office steps in. Either appoints someone or places one of their folks in the spot. Is this accurate information?

I'm in favor of a paid chief, I think we just need to be careful on how it's done especially after seeing what a disaster it was for other local fire districts.

Thanks, Jen

Date: Wed, 9 Sep 2009 05:47:32 -0700
From: zempower@yahoo.com
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Please see the attached recent discussions I had with 2 residents JoAnne Greenberg and Ed Daniels regarding structure comments. thank you Pat