MINUTES
Antelope Valley Fire District Board of Commissioners
This scheduled meeting is open to the public! Hybrid Meeting & ADA accessible
Station #3 – 1166 Larson Lane Date: Thursday, Sept.17th, 2026
Time: 5:00 PM

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Call to Order: 5:09PM
Pledge of Allegiance: 5:09PM
Members Present: Gilbert X_, Morris_X_, Shepard_X_, Mandichak_X_,Tackitt_X_
Members Absent: None
Staff Present: Chief Curti, DC Nalder, Olga G., Brad M., Lori M., Mike M.
Guests: Zoom Meeting guest Michael Miller – He was acknowledged but never responded, so he was muted.
Public Comment: None
Approve Past Minutes: Don M. motion to approve / Ted S. 2nd **Approved: 5/0/0**
Correspondence: Letter from Wendy w/Mono County Wildland Mitigation
Chief Curti's Report: See attached
DC Nalder Report: See attached
Informational Items: Randy mounted the heater at Station 1 Walker
Staff Comment: James Juarez introduced to Commissioner's as new incoming Captain

CLOSED SESSION: Personnel
Meeting held from 6:21pm until 7:10pm

Agenda Items for Discussion and/or Approve:

1. **Treasurer's Report & Approve Warrants to pay bills** — **Discuss & Approve**
   Olga reviewed all the reports. No questions or concerns addressed.
   Don M. motion to approve / Ted S. 2nd — **Approved: 5/0/0**

2. **FY 26/27 300 Acct. & Wildland Fund Budgets ratification** — **Discuss & Approve**
   Added $20K to EQ Purchase – purchase 4 new radios
   Danny T. motion to approve / Kathy M. 2nd — **Approved: 5/0/0**

3. **Disposal / Removal of Tender 6** — **Discuss & Approve**
   Tabled until the November Agenda
   Ted S. motion to approve / Danny T. 2nd — **Approved: 5/0/0**

4. **Meeting Time change or remain at 5PM** — **Discuss & Approve**
   Kathy rescinded any time change to be made
   Danny T. motion to approve / Don 2nd — **Approved: 5/0/0**

5. **Purchase of new Chief's vehicle** — **Discuss Only**
   Discussion: Chief Curti is researching a replacement vehicle. His vehicle is 6 years old with 60K miles on it. Will put on the agenda when a vehicle has been found.

Commissioner Reports: None

Adjournment: 7:10pm
Kathy M. motion to adjourn / Ted S. 2nd — **Approved: 5/0/0**
Date Posted: 09/14/2026
Next regular meeting will be Thursday, Nov. 19, 2026 @ 5PM – This meeting will be held at the Antelope Valley Fire Protection District, Station #3 - 1166 Larson Lane.
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