

ARGYLE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS  
ARGYLE FIRE DISTRICT  
P.O. BOX 61  
ARGYLE, FLORIDA 32422

Steve Richardson, Chairman  
Jeffery Talbert, Vice-Chairman  
Larry Standland, Sec/Treas.

Lynn Touchton  
Warren Shelly Whitaker  
Georgie Locklear Day,  
Bookkeeper

---

MINUTES OF MONTHLY BOARD MEETING  
January 12, 2026

I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 6PM by Chairman Steve Richardson. Others present Larry Standland, Lynn Touchton, Warren Whitaker, Chief Jonathan Day, Deputy Chief Charlie Day, Bookkeeper Ann Day, and Becky Prescott.

Chairman led the group in pledge, Charlie Day in prayer.

II. MINUTES

Minutes from meeting of December 8, 2025 presented for review. Motion by Lynn Touchton, second by Warren Whitaker, to accept as presented. Carries.

III. FINANCIAL REPORT

Financial report from Ann Day, with ending date of 12-31-25 - #7023, \$232,861.56 - #2141, \$20,618.52 - #1277, \$28,607.16 - #8502, \$112,864.47. Motion by Lynn Touchton, second by Warren Whitaker, to accept as presented. Carries.

IV. OLD BUSINESS

Steve Richardson questions about lawyers fees. (\$1000 monthly). Bank statement shows payments made.

Larry Standland gave update on Argyle Fire District's bank accounts at Regions Bank. (Discussion followed). Motion by Warren Whitaker, second by Lynn Touchton, to close accounts 5401358502 and 0312401277. Also to allow Bookkeeper to issue checks for \$1000 from account 0330112141 and \$10,000 from account 5400197023 for the purpose of opening new accounts at Ameris Bank. (Larry Standland to be authorized Representative for Argyle Fire District). Motion carries.

Auditors - Steve Richardson to have phone meeting Wednesday, January 14, 2026 to confirm their schedule.

State audit findings - Steve Richardson presented 3 pages for review.

(Discussion on Bookkeeping options). Motion by Warren Whitaker, second by Lynn Touchton, to swap from Quickbooks desktop to Quickbooks online. Kaycee Author to assist with this. Carries.

Charlie Day presented large layouts of proposed mobile homes. (Discussion followed). Motion by Warren Whitaker, second by Lynn Touchton, to request meeting on Thursday, January 22nd, 6 PM with Affordable Homes Representative. Carries.

(See Chief's notes).

V. NEW BUSINESS

Becky Prescott presented (1) Bill from Lowes for shed shelves (2) Bill for 'fair' supplies. (3) Letter from Argyle Fire Department Board Chairman. (See copy). Becky Prescott gave her perspective of the letter. (Discussion followed).

Check received from Fire Recovery USA, \$545.60 and Chelco, \$42.10.

Bills presented for review. Motion by Larry Standland, second by Lynn Touchton, to pay all bills in order - approx. \$20,959. Carries.

Motion by Lynn Touchton, second by Warren Whitaker, to retain existing Officers. (Steve Richardson, Chairman - Jeff Talbert, Vice-Chairman - Larry Standland, Sec/Treas.). Carries.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

No other business at this time. Meeting adjourned by Chairman. 8:12 PM

Minutes of this meeting recorded by Larry Standland, Sec / Treas.

Steve Richardson, Chairman \_\_\_\_\_

Received  
1-12-26  
JCY

## Fire Chief / Volunteer Coordinator Notes for January 12, 2026

**New Member-** Spencer Rhodes accepted

### **OLD NEWS**

1. Call volume as of December 31, 2025 #001002 January 12, 2026 24
2. FL grant award waiting on the approval to move forward with the order.
3. E-902 back from Ten-8.
4. Jackets have arrived.
5. Operation Santa dates- Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> Cat Island/Juniper Lake, Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> Old land Fill/North Norwood, and December 15<sup>th</sup> South Norwood/Saw Mill Court. Went well.
6. Day with Santa Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> 4pm-6pm. Went well.
7. Christmas Parade Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> Noon. Went well.
8. WCI Santa Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> 4pm. Went well.
9. Defuniak Masonic Lodge wants us to help with collecting toys for kids. Station 91 and 93 will be drop off points. Went well.
10. Officers Testing has started.
11. Christmas Bake Sale 8:30am was at station 91.

### **New News**

1. New radio list.
2. Quarterly training.
3. Fire Recovery USA.