

**CENTRAL OREGON FIRE PREVENTION COOP
MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 21, 2006
CLOVERDALE RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT**

Members Present:

Deb Petersen	COFMS-Prairie Division-FS/BLM
Libby Rogers	Crook County OSU Extension Service
Deanne Dement	Cloverdale Rural Fire Protection District
George Fox	Sunriver Rural Fire Protection District
Casey Kump	Crook County Fire and Rescue
Dave Wheeler	Sisters/Camp Sherman Rural Fire Protection District
Susie Lovisco	Bend Fire Department
Jessica Meyer	Redmond Fire and Rescue
Renee Lamoreaux	USFS Cascade Division

Meeting called to order at 0936.

TREASURER'S REPORT: reported \$1,093.53

CORRESPONDENCE:

“Is your message being heard?”
Pub. Ed. Conference, June 27-29 2006
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STANDING COMMITTEES/PROJECT REPORTS:

Firebusters – Renee gave a plaque to Z21 for firebusters. Z21 was very grateful to receive it.

Coop Prevention Trailer – No report

Deschutes County Fair – Dave mentioned Lisa is gathering info regarding the fair. Dates are August 2nd - 6th. Deb is looking into getting Rupert from TV's Survivor to participate, mentioned he has a passion for safety and kids. George expressed having the smoke trailer and the F.F. challenge.

Team Teaching – Dates mentioned:

Bend - May 1-5, possibly 8th and 9th

Sisters - April 27

Crook County - March 17 and 24 (Mitchell), April 20, 21, 25, 26.

Oregon Life Safety Team - Suzie spoke about classes offered in Monmouth and the possibility of fire safe cigarettes being introduced in OR. Bill O'neal from Portland Fire Bureau is putting on a golf event, proceeds are going to a foundation for national fire education programs (NFPA). Suzie and Dave- smoke alarms, the state is seeking a unified voice on a smoke alarm campaign.

Tax ID and 501(c)(3) –No Report.

Web Page - Jessica is working on finding info for, or locating the welcome packets.

Marketing - George discussed getting more people to displays at the fair, hyping up the F.F. Challenge and advertising the location at the grounds. Deanne spoke of having one central theme. George also spoke of having some email discussion to inspire some insightful ways to better connect everyone to the Coop. George is considering a public multimedia displays with racks for flyers/brochures.

Fire free - Bend dates are April 22-30. Others are May 6 and 7.

There was discussion about advertising for people to cover their loads. Suzie mentioned last year several tickets were given for this reason.

OLD/UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

By-laws/Rules of Order Amendments - no changes

Grants - Dave mentioned the FEMA prevention grant opens in September. This may be the best opportunity, need to consider ideas. A need for a grant committee with people involved in grant writing was mentioned. George added all programs could be included to formulate a grant. Deb spoke of a Red Flag Warning program in John Day.

Prevention Activities last month - Libby referenced a rangeland association article on the front page of the Bend Bulletin. The Brothers/Hampton and Post/Paulina Rangeland Associations are under way. Libby showed a brochure about the rangeland associations for unprotected lands.

Prevention Conference was great.

Suzie intro'd Code Ready videos, door hangers and magnets.

NEW BUSINESS:

Upcoming Prevention Activities - George- The police/fire children's festival is scheduled for August in Sun River. He may need help from the Coop.

National Preparedness Day is coming up.

Suzie mentioned the home garden show at the Redmond Fair Grounds (May 6,7,8) will include a sprinkler trailer.

Suzie was also prepared for a Code Ready visit to a trailer park this day.

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

George spoke to a Rep. From the American Ad. Council at the prevention conference. The rep advised him they traveled from Washington because they heard how active the Central Oregon Coop is.

Meeting adjourned @ 11:00. Next meeting is: March 21st at Crooked River Ranch.

Meeting minutes respectfully submitted by Casey Kump, Secretary.

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