

**WYOMING FIRE CHIEFS' ASSOCIATION  
MEETING MINUTES  
RVFD STATION #1 – RIVERTON, WYOMING  
APRIL 6, 2024**

Call to order by President Quinney at 9:00 AM, with 23 members and guests present. Director David Swindell with the Wyoming Retirement System led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motions – All motions made and seconded were unanimously passed.

Fire A, Fire B and Vol/Fire, EMT, and Search and Rescue Pension Plans – Director Swindell gave a report on all three pension plans. Attached to these minutes is a copy of his report.

Recognition of a L.A.S.T. donation. - Lanny Applegate representing the L.A.S.T. team, awarded a plaque of appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Larsen for their donation of the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary edition of the Winchester Model 70 (.30-06) that was raffled off on November 30, 2023. The L.A.S.T. made \$7,340 from the raffle.

Minutes of the Previous Meeting – The Meeting Minutes of the previous meeting held January 6, 2024, at the Wyoming Fire Academy were approved as emailed to the membership. Motion by Ryan Fox, seconded by James Curren.

Treasurer's Report – Gene Diedtrich reported on the Statement of Cash Position for the period December 1, 2023, through February 29, 2024. There was a beginning balance of \$51,255, deposits of \$47,973, disbursements of \$28,845, leaving an ending balance of \$70,383, with a cash restriction of \$34,566 for the Safer Grants and the L.A.S.T. checking account, leaving an unrestricted balance of \$35,817. Motion to approve made by Jerry Munger and seconded by Lanny Applegate.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Election of Officers – Gene Diedtrich presented the officer nomination report. There are 4 officer nominations to be filled. The committee contacted the present officers of the Association President Eric Quinney, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President J. R. Fox and 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Jim Wamsley. All agreed to remain in office for the coming year. There were no nominations from the floor, a motion of acclimation was made to elect the three present officers by Craig Haslam seconded by Will Gay. The fourth office, Missouri Valley State Vice President, is for a 3-year term, ending March 31, 2027. Craig Haslam has filled this position for 9 years and has retired from the fire service. Thank you to Craig for his years of service. The committee nominated Chris Kocher to fill Craig's position, one nominee from the floor, Gary Harnish was accepted, requiring a written ballot for the position, in which Gary was the winner. Director Mathews administered the oath of office to the elected four officers.

Safer Grants – Gene Diedtrich reported that the WFCFA currently has two active SAFER grants through FEMA. The 2019 grant has a remaining balance of \$209K and is set to expire on November 21, 2024. The 2021 grant has a remaining balance of \$709K and expires November 19, 2026. The grants provide reimbursement for qualified training, college tuition/books and one-time physicals for volunteers in the Fire Service. President Quinney spoke on the need for anyone expecting to utilize the grant, to send Gene an email or contact him before the training, college course or physicals begin so, approval can be given, because if it's for something you want to attend, it might not be covered by the grant.

**Highlights of SAFER GRANT coverage.**

**Training Reimbursement**

Includes the Training Cost, Daily meals and lodging incurred within the Wyoming Current Per-Diem rates.

**College Books/Tuition**

Acceptance will be for a 1- 4-year period, depending on the life of the grant, allows 8 semesters of tuition at a qualified college or online teaching college. Allows up to \$1,650 tuition and \$350 for relevant books per semester, passing grade of a C or better per semester to qualify for payment.

**One Time Physical**

For new members of a department, must be a department member in good standing. Needs to be a NFPA 1582 compliant physical, reimburses up to \$880 per physical.

**Missouri Valley Division, IAFC – Craig Haslam reported that the 2024 conference will be held in Fort Collins, Colorado on June 5-7, 2024. The division has available a free scholarship to attend the conference, if interested contact Jim Wamsley. There is another scholarship available for a up and coming female chief, use the same contact if you are interested in obtaining one of the scholarships. FRI is scheduled to be held August 14 and 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024 in Dallas, Texas. Craig indicated and communicated that he very much appreciated the opportunity to serve on the Missouri Valley Division board.**

**Special District Association Update – Craig Haslam reported that he will continue as President and be on the Special District Association Board. One of the big items the Association has done is the group is working with the National Legislation Special Districts Coalition to get established and support the local districts in Washington. Have been doing a lot of training in the state to prepare for the July 1, 2024, date requiring all members of a special district board to have the required financial training by that date, to continue as a member of a Board as an elected or appointed official. The training can be accomplished on the internet, or by contacting Craig and having the training done at a local level.**

**President Quinney’s “THANK YOU TO CRAIG”, “Craig thank you for your service to this body, you’re serving as Missouri Valley State President for nine years, your service as Fire Chief and congratulations on your retirement and hopefully you’re not a complete stranger to this body, let’s give Craig a Thank you for his services.”**

**Wyoming Council on Fire Prevention and Electrical Safety – Director Mathews reported for Dan Johnson. The first report I have for the body is the fire council met on February 6th and voted to move forward and accept the 2024 codes for their 45-day public comment. That ends next Friday 12, whatever that looks like then the council will meet and hear any public comment and review that on April 23rd from that point they’ll send a recommendation to the Governor for the approval of the 2024 code. The governor has 75 days from the date of that letter to review and upon that when the governor fixes his signature, local jurisdictions have 6 months, so timeline looks like first part of 2025. The last item they have, is there have been no appeals and non-pending since the last meeting.**

**L.A.S.T. Team Update – Director Mathews reported for Dan Johnson. There have been two missions since our last meeting on January 6, 2024. The pumper that is being refurbished to become the caisson is at Casper college and is progressing well. That program is doing L.A.S.T. a phenomenal job. The diesel shop went through the truck on the mechanics end of it, bumper to bumper, it’s now in the Auto Body Shop they actually shaved the hose bed, recurved all that, put the two hard sections on either side pulled the tank, they’re installing the lift for the casket currently they identify some challenges of moving the the fuel cell so they have more room as you have to lift the casket so high, but that project is going phenomenally well. Our friends from State Forestry have stepped-up Gary and his team have spent two trips up there with us going through that truck making sure that you know we’re answering questions and I know just since this report Friday afternoon they ordered new wheels and tires for that so it’s progressing. But working with the schools’ semesters, we’re still about a year and a half out for that final product. really progressing nice, it was available where we could get into it now, they’ve moved it back since we’re working on the fuel cell so next fall, maybe we’ll get an opportunity where we get some more pictures get some folks to see that because that truck is really progressing well it’s money well spent. They’re working on a resource inventory, all the trailer contents for the last trailer that’s being updated and prepared to be added to the National Listing Boundaries is being taken care of and the last item he has is the Fallen Firefighter memorial is scheduled for August 17th and that group is working and planning on that date.**

**IAFC VCOS – President Quinney reported for Jason Caughey. Chief Caughey is back at the National Fire Academy this week speaking at the UFO symposium. VCOS is focusing on rewriting the red ribbon report, this report focuses on the transition from the Volunteer to Combination Department in addition VCOS formed a new health and safety committee focusing on Cancer and Wellness he said he anticipated additional information coming out of this committee. The IAFC has a committee on legal counsel working on the proposed OSHA changes which we’ll talk about later in this meeting he’s been assigned to that committee, and he’ll report out as more information comes out available on that. VCOS elections are approaching Tim Samuel Brandt or Saddleback from Loveland Fire Rescue**

Colorado and Tim Whitman from Kansas are the two candidates running for the Missouri Valley Division with one seat open in our division and he had the cast a couple letters or some of information about those two candidates so we'll forward that out to the body so you guys can vote those who are members of be VCOS. The Annual Symposium In The Sun in November registration is open. That hotel fills up fast in Clearwater pretty nice place to go in November. There're free weekly webinars offered every Tuesday afternoon and he had attached a list of webinars, so we'll send that out to everybody as well so that's his report on VCOS.

**NATIONAL VOLUNTEER FIRE COUNCIL** – Larry Erdmann reported if you have members that want to sign up and be part of the NVFC volunteers and full-time people who have volunteers working are all welcome to join. The Council some great benefits and resources for those that are members a couple things that's happening for them is Micro from Dirty Jobs interviewed a couple volunteer members with NVFC, he interviewed Candace McDonald and Jonathan Dayton, the interviews will be made public soon. The World Fire Congress is going to be held May 6th ,7th, and 8th, that's going to be in Washington DC. Natalia started work with the NVFC and now they're moving forward to give out some grants. Those grants closed March 22<sup>nd</sup> but look for them in the future. I think it's a \$5000 grant for pancake mix to have a pancake fundraiser for your department. Anheuser-Busch water grant just closed as well on March 31<sup>st</sup>, that's in the process of being graded to be determined to see who gets those grants but supposed to be done April 28th I believe. I'm going to be attending the spring meeting in Arlington April 25th through the 27th and then the NVFC training summit is going to be in Buffalo NY on June 21st and 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION** – Nick Hudson reported on information he received from Bob Sullivan. I'm including the info here, as there is a plethora of info to analyze with websites.

“OSHA Topic: OSHA has proposed a new rule called “Emergency Response” to replace their current 29 CFR 1910.156, Fire Brigades. The new rule will include incorporating 21 NFPA standards in whole or in part and will also reference 14 other NFPA standards. The new rule is currently open for public comment. The deadline to provide public comments has been extended from May 6, 2024 to June 21, 2024, and more information about the new rule and providing public comments can be found at this link: <https://www.osha.gov/emergency-response/rulemaking> . All fire departments are encouraged to submit public comments. Currently, NFPA does not have any other specific information about the new proposed rule. We can help as needed to review the information that is in the NFPA standards that are part of the new proposed rule. If NFPA develops any further information relative to this new proposed OSHA rule, we will share that information out to the Fire Service.

The 2024 NFPA Conference & Expo is coming up in Orlando, Florida, June 17-19, 2024, immediately followed by the annual Technical Meeting on June 20, 2024. All registration and event information are available here: <https://www.nfpa.org/Events/Conference> .

The Spring, 2024 Edition of NFPA Journal is now available for free viewing on the NFPA website at: <https://www.nfpa.org/News-Blogs-and-Articles/NFPA-Journal> . On that webpage, there is a lot of great information, and you can also scroll down to the section titled “Read the Latest Issue” to find the link for the full Spring, 2024 Edition. There are two articles in the Spring Edition that may be of interest to everyone: 1) An article about the developing impact of artificial intelligence (AI) on public safety and the Fire Service, and 2) an article about the new National Emergency Response Information System (NERIS) being developed by the USFA to replace the existing NFIRS. This year’s Fire Service Safety Stand Down will take place June 16-22, 2024, with the theme “Fire Training: Back to the Basics”. More information and additional links are available here: <https://www.nfpa.org/about-nfpa/press-room/news-releases/2024/safety-stand-down> .

The 2024 Home Fire Sprinkler Week, to advocate for residential fire sprinklers in new homes, will take place May 12-18, 2024. More information and numerous educational resources are available on the Home Fire Sprinkler Coalition (HFSC) website here: <https://homefiresprinkler.org/> .

The 2024 Wildfire Community Preparedness Day, to raise awareness and reduce wildfire risks, will take place on Saturday, May 4, 2024. Information, toolkits, and educational resources are available here: <https://www.nfpa.org/en/Events/Wildfire-Community-Preparedness-Day> . In addition, other NFPA resources for wildfire prevention, education, and mitigation are available here: <https://www.nfpa.org/Education-and-Research/Wildfire> , including training for reducing wildfire risks to property, and certification as a Certified Wildfire Mitigation Specialist (CWMS). NFPA also has a newer wildfire fire protection standard available titled “NFPA 1140: Standard for Wildland Fire Protection” (2022 Edition): <https://www.nfpa.org/codes-and-standards/nfpa-1140-standard-development/1140> .

NFPA has many resources and educational materials available regarding the fire problem with lithium-ion batteries and related issues such as energy storage systems (ESS), electric vehicles (EVs), and other electric devices such as e-scooters and e-bikes, etc. This information is available on the following pages on the NFPA website:

E-Bikes and E-Scooters: <https://www.nfpa.org/Education-and-Research/Electrical/Ebikes> Emergency Response: <https://www.nfpa.org/Education-and-Research/Emergency-ResponseEV> Emergency Response Guides: [https://www.nfpa.org/Education-and-Research/Emergency-Response/Emergency-Response-Guides#aq=%40culture%3D%22en%22&cq=%40taglistingpage%3D%3D\(%22EV%20Guides%22\)%20%20&numberOfResults=12&sortCriteria=%40title%20ascending](https://www.nfpa.org/Education-and-Research/Emergency-Response/Emergency-Response-Guides#aq=%40culture%3D%22en%22&cq=%40taglistingpage%3D%3D(%22EV%20Guides%22)%20%20&numberOfResults=12&sortCriteria=%40title%20ascending)

NFPA 855, Standard for the Installation of Stationary Energy Storage Systems: <https://www.nfpa.org/codes-and-standards/nfpa-855-standard-development/855>

ESS Training: <https://www.nfpa.org/for-professionals/training-for-me/electrical-training/energy-storage-and-solar-systems-safety-online-training>

Photovoltaic and ESS Training: <https://www.nfpa.org/for-professionals/training-for-me/electrical-training/photovoltaic-and-energy-storage-systems-online-training-series> NOTE: In addition, I have an NFPA presentation that I can offer to fire departments, that provides an introduction and basic knowledge about ESS and related products that may experience L-I battery fires, and introductory information about fire department response to these types of incidents, including some case studies of recent ESS fires, and an overview of NFPA 855 and how it directly benefits the Fire Service for these types of installations. The presentation can be offered in 1-4 hours, depending on the level of detail wanted.

Construction site fires are becoming more frequent and more destructive. NFPA has resources to help with this topic as well, including:

Fire Prevention Program Training for Construction Sites: <https://www.nfpa.org/product/ffpm-construction-site-safety-series-21-ol/ols067>

NFPA 241, Standard for Safeguarding Construction, Alteration, and Demolition Operations: <https://www.nfpa.org/product/id/p0241code>NOTE: In addition, I also have an NFPA presentation on this topic that I can offer to fire departments, that explains how they can work with construction jobsites to increase the level of safety, and help prevent large destructive fires on construction sites. The presentation can be offered in about 1-2 hours.”

**WYO-LINK UPDATE -** President Quinney reported for Mark Harshman. Mark stated that with the winter storm expected today he would not be traveling to Riverton. He stated all is well with Wyo-Link. He stated that he has been the WFCAs representative on the Public Safety Communications Commission since its inception some twenty years ago. Mark is the last original member of the commission, and his term expires on June 24, 2024. He would be willing to serve another three-year term if that’s the pleasure of the Chiefs Association. By the same token he would be willing to introduce a new face to the PSCC at the May meeting of the PSCC. Contact President Quinney if you are interested in serving on that committee representing the Wyoming Fire Chiefs’ Association.

**LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE –** Lanny Applegate reported a very productive and extremely successful, legislature session. Lanny indicated the color brochure prepared by the group, was a highly successful lobbying tool. Lanny gave a big thank you to all the members who were active with their own local legislators, Thanked the Legislators that helped the 2024 session be so successful. A big thank you to the members who traveled to Cheyenne to help with the lobbying. The biggest thank you I feel should go to the ones that put in the most work this year, and they are Lanny Applegate, Shad Cooper, and President Quinney.

**WFCAs RESIDENTIAL SPRINKLER COMMITTEE –** Nick Hudson reported that, he and Justin Smith co-chair this committee. Nick reported the group meets every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at 1:30 pm. If you are interested in joining the meetings get with Nick and he’ll put you on the list. He indicated that along with the coalition, there are attendees from the National Fire Sprinklers Association and the NFPA. National Home Fire Sprinkler week is scheduled for May 12/18<sup>th</sup> this year. There now is a side-by-side demonstration trailer in the State of Wyoming and is under the direction of the State Fire Marshal’s Office. If you would like to have the demonstration trailer, come to your community, Nick is the contact person for scheduling the trailer.

**WYOMING FIRE ACADEMY REPORT-** Ian Kraft reported the following activity for the first quarter of 2024. Held 37 classes, contacted 258 students for a total of 194 hours. Have conducted 12 Fire investigations to date. Off to a good start for the year, staying busy and doing good work. Here is an update on the Training Ground project, the bid was awarded earlier this year and is set to kick off this spring. The updates will be happening during the Memorial in August, so arrangements will be made to accommodate that event. Part of the construction this summer is the installation of stannite tiles in the burn rooms to extend the life of the rooms. The new fire event prop is being built in Nevada and will possibility be delivered to the Academy in June. Show and Tell time this summer. Interviews will be held this summer for a trainer/investigator position, which will bring the Academy up to full staff. The State

Fire Marshal's office Partnered with Rock Springs, Sheridan and Laramie and will be graduating the first full Academy style recruiting class on Thursday April 18<sup>th</sup>, more details to follow. State Farm has extended their program nationwide for Arson canines, Eric Siwik was chosen to be trained and trainee of an arson canine named Kyoto. Eric and Kyoto are about halfway through the ATF class back in Virginia. There will be opportunities to meek Eric and Kyoto this summer.

#### **SECTION REPORTS:**

**WYOMING FIREFIGHTER'S CERTIFICATION COMMITTEE** – Allen Robinson reported that the committee met yesterday discussing several different items. The Wyoming Fire Investigator Technician (FIT) and the Certified Fire Investigator (CIT) are up and running online. If you are trying to research your origin, cause, and fire investigator, use the FIT paperwork and come back that way. Awareness and OPS are also in the process of changing at the end of the current cycle. Fire inspector is changing revision updates, when it is completed, there will be no more 1 and 2. Only Fire Inspector. The committee had a discussion on trail tech rescue, more information will be forthcoming. The new methodology for Firefighter 1 and 2 is almost complete. You'll have the option of pull the old system free time methodology eliminates the room test for firefighter if you are currently on the list of column board skills tester I'm sure we all have some of those in our apartments and there's different levels of participation in that there be some information forth coming for we maintain on that list and the hazmat technician recertification continuing education sheet been updated and there's some housekeeping stuff with that and we're working with these changing something for bylaws minor things for instance putting it in there that you can attend the meeting virtually as well as in person those kind of things you credibility and stuff. A question from the group if he wouldn't mind providing the body with more clarification on where the intent of certification for the testers is going. I think it's good to share it with the fact that you need to be practicing that skill and so what I'm getting from the Skills Tester there's several people on that list who are just on the list. So, the process will be to clean up and eliminate those who are not currently testing and keep the list up to date for those who are looking to become certified. Part of the conversation is to have regional skills testing dates.

**WYOMING ASSOCIATION OF FIRE MARSHALS** – Nick Hudson reported that the group in conjunction with the Wyoming State Fire Marshals office are having the annual conference next week in Casper, there is information on Facebook and on the website. There are several training classes scheduled, speaker Jim Ford from Scottsdale was instrumental in getting the residential sprinkler ordinance adopted there in 1986. Registration for the 3-day event and training is \$125. Obtain more info from Nick.

**INDUSTRIAL FIRE CHIEFS'** – Jim Wamsley reported that he had the minutes of the March 24, 2024, gathering of the group. Highlights of the meeting are as follows: Foam updates, Industrial Chiefs Structure and responsibilities/priorities, State 1081 feedback and download, In state training opportunities (training grounds for 1081 JPRs), Mutual Aide (RETR)? Industrial recruitment for this sector. There were representatives from 3 refineries present at the meeting along with Director Mathews - Wyoming State Fire Marshal. Foam was discussed at the meeting. Priorities of the group are to develop a communication to send the Wyoming Fire Chiefs' Association. Ryan Wells (electronically), Brandon interested in State Certifications Committee and go to the WFCA meetings and ask questions of interest, Ryan Wells (electronically).

#### **STATE FIRE ASSOCIATION REPORTS:**

**WYOMING STATE FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION** – Dennis McDonald reported for President Cody Wilkes from Afton VFD. He reported that the annual State Convention and tournament will be held in Afton on June 13 – 15, 2024. The Association is doing a raffle to help fund the annual tournament. The prizes consist of 3 guns of various makes and calibers, a Happy Van Winkle Bourbon package and a cash gift card. The next Chiefs' meeting will be held at 3:00 PM on June 12, 2023, at the Afton VFD fire hall, be sure you make arrangements to spend the weekend in Afton and enjoy the annual tournament and festivities.

**WYOMING STATE RURAL FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION** – Craig Haslam reported for Shad Cooper who's been very busy working on the annual operating plan preparing it for the upcoming fire season. Minimal guidance will be available in the next couple of weeks.

307 CRR – Nick Hudson reported the group tries to meet once a month, the next meeting is in Casper next week. One of the problems with the carbon monoxide initiative is funding, places, and sources to acquire the carbon alarms. Have been working with the Red Cross to install the carbon monoxide alarms along with the smoke alarms. The group still has the thermal fuse program going. The thermal fuse program is gaining traction on a national level has some states adopting legislation to mandate thermal fuses on oxygen devices before they are installed in the home. If your department isn't participating, get ahold of Nick to get started.

#### **STATE AGENCY REPORTS:**

**WYOMING STATE FORESTRY – No Current Report.** Received from Kelly Norris the director a note last week thanking the Fire Service for everything they did during the legislative session to help their organization out, a big Thank You to the Wyoming Fire Service.

**WYOMING STATE FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE – Byron Mathews** reported the following regarding the departments and Image Trend training.

#### **Key indicators of readiness for Fire Agencies:**

- 89 fire agencies and fire/ems agencies exist.
- 54 agencies have an apparatus.
- (14,356 incidents as of April 2)
- 19+ training sessions

#### **State Staff have created or set up:**

- 105 agencies (or if already in WATRS, the fire modules were activated)
- 200+ users
- 17 Forms with visibility and validation rules
- 11 Presets (button to fill in fire incident fields)
- 16 Inspection Supplemental Forms (inspection checklists)
- 3 Datasets updated with additional text, mapping, and plus one codes coordinated across the state.
- 11 Worksheets
- 55 Supplemental/User-created questions
- 28 Resource lists (entering all training topics, building class, inventory categories, etc.)
- 40+ duplicate users were merged (had accounts in more than one agency)
- 81,000+ fire incident reports

#### **Future items:**

- Import fire incident reports back through 2017.
- Identify/Create frequently used reports in ER.
- Locations, Occupancies, Inspections, & Hydrants import, set-up new, and use training.
- (assuming it's released) Visual Preplan set-up and use.

Director Mathews stated that the rollout has not gone as smooth as he had hoped and pledged that his office will help, train, or do whatever they can get things where they need to be. Please reach out to them.

**News on the insurance work group. Commissioner Rude who is State Insurance Commissioner, has been traveling the country carrying the challenge that we in Wyoming have, and what he has been finding obviously that we're not alone. The State of Oregon insurance laws are now being statutorily repealed, so they implemented programs trying to ensure that folks could get homeowner's insurance and now the Oregon legislature is saying no to these wildfire maps being put in place to govern rates and the ability to get property insured. Commissioner Rude was going to meet with the Western Insurance Commissioners and send back an update of what went on at that meeting.**

#### **CONTINUING BUSINESS:**

**CONSORTIUM SECTION – The pros and cons of forming a consortium division of the Wyoming Fire Chiefs' Association within the realm of the WFCA bylaws was discussed. Motion by Will Gay to create a subsection for the formation of the Consortium Section as presented to us. Seconded by Jake Black.**

**Been a few years since the bylaws were reviewed. President appointed a bylaw review committee composed of Chairman Jim Wamsley, Jake Black, Will Gay and Craig Haslam.**

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**The new OSHA rules were discussed and cussed, the word of the day, please send your public comment on the standards in by the filing date June 15, 2023.**

**Reminder from Lanny, the L.A.S.T. is looking for a Game and Fish Commissioners license for 2025. If you have a commissioner from your area and can help set up an appointment with him or her, please contact Lanny.**

**The Wyoming State Firemen's Association golf tournament will be at Rolling Green Country Club in Green River on July 27th and 28th. Working on a block of rooms at the Hampton Inn.**

**Adjournment at 12:00 PM. Motion by Will Gay, second by Jim Wamsley.**

#### **FUTURE MEETING DATES**

- **June 12, 2024, starting at 3:00 PM at the Afton Volunteer Fire Department held in conjunction with the 91<sup>st</sup> annual meeting and drill team competition of the Wyoming State Firemen's Association, which runs June 13-15, 2024.**
- **December 5, 2024, starting at 8:00 AM at the Best Western (formerly called Park Plaza) in Casper held in conjunction with annual meeting of the Wyoming State Rural Fire Association.**
- **January 3, 2025, starting at 12:30 PM at the Wyoming Fire Academy in Riverton held in conjunction with the Midwinter Fire School put on by the Riverton Volunteer Fire Department January 3 – 5, 2025.**
- **April 5, 2025, annual meeting of the WFCA, with elections starting at 9:00 AM at the Riverton Volunteer Fire Department Station #1 meeting room. A delicious lunch will be served after the meeting by the good cooks of the RVFD.**

