

Board of Fire Commissioners

- Seat (5) Ebson Parrish Chair
- Seat (2) Linda O'Connor Vice Chair
- Seat (4) Betty Stewart Secretary
- Seat (1) Kellie Stoddard Treasurer
- Seat (3) Francis Parrish



**Duette Fire “and” Rescue District
Manatee County, Florida**

35800 State Road 62, Duette Florida 34219
Ceburn Parker Fire Chief
Maggie Mooney District Attorney

THIS IS A MEETING OF THE DUETTE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS. AS SUCH, ALL MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO ATTEND. THE COMMISSION IS AUTHORIZED TO ENACT REASONABLE POLICIES TO ENSURE THE ORDERLY CONDUCT OF THIS MEETING. ACCORDINGLY, ANY PERSON WHOSE SPEECH OR CONDUCT DISRUPTS THE BUSINESS OF THIS MEETING WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE.

BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS EMERGENCY MEETING MINUTES

May 23rd, 2023, 7:00 PM - Commission Chambers, 35800 State Road 62, Duette Florida 34219

1. Call to Order, Roll Call, Pledge of Allegiance & Invocation

- A. Commission Chair Ebson Parrish called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM
- B. Pledge of Allegiance and then Roll Call all commissioners present.
- C. Invocation was done by Commissioner Betty Stewart.

2. Proclamations, Commendations & Special Presentations N/A

3. Public to be Heard

- A. There were no comments from the public.

4. Regular Agenda

A. New Business

- 1) Review Approve Charges for the Fire Assessment.
- 2) Resolution Adopting the Assessment Rates for 2023-2024 with a 6.7% increase based on the 5 Year Cost of Living Average.
- 3) The resolution was read at the public meeting and a discussion ensued between the Fire Commissioners and the Fire Chief.
- 4) Commissioner Ebson Parrish made a motion to adopt the Resolution as is and seconded by Commissioner Betty Stewart. All Commissioners were in favor, none opposed.

5. Public Comment

- A. There were no public comments.

6. Board of Fire Commissioners Comments.

- A. There were no Fire Commissioner Comments.

7. Fire Chief Comments.

- A. There was no Fire Chief Comments.

8. Adjournment.

- A. A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 PM by Commissioner Kellie Stoddard and Seconded by Commissioner Ebson Parrish.

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No verbatim record by a certified court recorder is made of these proceedings. Accordingly, any person who may seek to appeal any decision involving the matters noticed herein will be responsible for making a verbatim record of the testimony and evidence at these proceedings upon which any appeal is to be based (see Section 286.0105 Florida Statutes).

In accordance with the American with Disabilities Act and Sections 286.26 Florida Statutes, persons needing special accommodations to participate in this proceeding should contact the Fire Chief's Office at 941-776-9900 seventy-two (72) hours in advance of this meeting.