



Agenda

MARCH 11th, 2026

Pleasantview Fire District Station 151

1970 Plainfield Road, Lagrange Highlands

- Call to Order: *Chief Delesche called the meeting to order at 09:04*
- Roll Call:

x	Brookfield		Lyons	x	Western Springs
x	Clarendon Hills	x	McCook	x	Westmont
	Hinsdale	x	Pleasantview		
x	LaGrange	x	Riverside		
x	LaGrange Park	x	Tri-State		
Associate Members/Departments					
x	AC/DC	x	Darien- Woodridge		Oak Brook
	Argonne	x	Downers Grove		Romeoville
	Citgo Refinery		DuComm		

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Moment of Silence
 - *Chief DeLesche reported of the FOUR Firefighter fatalities reported in 2026*
- Presentation/Adoption of Previous Meeting Minutes
 - *Chief DeLesche made a motion for Approval of the minutes for the regular meeting held February 10th, 2026. Motioned by Westmont and seconded by Riverside.*
- Public Comment
 - *None*
- President's Report
 - *NONE*
- Treasurer's Report
 - *Motion for the Approval of the Treasurer's report for February 2026. Motion carried by Brookfield, seconded by Riverside.*
 - *Treasurer Chief Riley reported: Account Balances and Revenue*

- *As of February, MABAS Division 10 holds a total of \$163,039.34 in available funds, split between a Bank of America checking account (\$96,543.39) and a savings account (\$66,495.95). The checking account balance reflects deposits and expenses made throughout the month, finishing at \$96,543.39. In February, \$18,126.98 was transferred into savings, keeping the capital replacement fund steady at roughly \$66,495.95. Revenue for the month reached \$45,894.00, with member dues making up a significant portion.*

Expenses and Disbursements

- *Total expenses for February came to \$25,140.44. Major payments included \$2,040 to DuPage Star Technology, \$485 to Liberty Art Works, \$1,500 to Richard Birt, and \$2,500 to Pat Kenny, among others. Spending is organized into categories like communications, training, miscellaneous, and other operational needs. In total, \$33,222.95 was disbursed from the checking account over the month, lowering its balance accordingly.*

Budget and Financial Planning

- *The fiscal year 2026 budget anticipates \$91,788 in member dues, with \$45,894 received so far. Projected expenses for the year—spread across various committees and projects—total about \$89,560. Funds are earmarked for capital improvements and reserves, with notable disbursements planned for initiatives such as the Fern upgrade and acquiring a new command van. The account summary demonstrates steady carryover balances, with detailed records of deposits, spending, and interest earnings each month. All told, the financial outlook is stable, with \$163,039.34 in total available revenue.*
 - *Chief Riley mentioned all dues have been paid for members. Still waiting on Lyons FD Budget to hand in to MABAS.*
 - *The Phone in 1888 from T-Mobile has to stay active for network reasons.*
 - *There is no movement in the Money Market with Sawyer/Falduto due to the name issue. Still working on that.*

This report summarizes the financial activity and balances for February 2026.

- **Vice President's Report**
 - *Chief DeLEasche mentioned that Division 11, 16, and 21 Box Cards will be posted on the website.*
 - *FirstNET service has a new phone program and if you would like more information to reach out to Chief DeLesche.*

Reports of Standing Committees:

- **DuPage Fire Chiefs – [Riley, ~]**
 - *Chief Lahanis recapped the meeting from DuPage Chiefs. A new board up company, Battalion Board Up offers services and Jöhler Construction is partnered up with them. They will assist with after fires and removing debris for evidence. Nominations for Valor Award is open so if you have an individual, please submit. Mobile Radios are still in the process being distributed by DuPage ETSB. Encryption on the radios is still being worked on also.*
 - *Drone First Responder program is still in its infancy stages.*
- **Emergency Medical Services – [K. Adams, Donatucci]**

Next Regularly Scheduled Meeting:

APRIL 8th, 2026 - Pleasantview Fire Protection District - Station 151 at 9:00am

- *Nothing to report*
- **Finance & Auditing – [Riley, Reda, Buckley]**
 - *None*
- **Hazardous Materials - [Maggos, ~]**
 - *Chief Maggos reported training for next week on 3/ 18 and 19 at Tristate 121.*
 - *Chief Maggos also reported from the tornado in Kankakee that Div. 7 requested a 2-11 HAZMAT but didn't have any more information from the Nuclear Power plant.*
- **Illinois Fire Chiefs/Legislative – [Donatucci]**
 - *Chief Donatucci reported on legislative Day coming up on March 25th. Breakfast in the morning. A list of Bills with being Supported, Opposed, or Watching will be sent out to the Div. to read more on them. Some Bills that were mentioned were HB 3018 Truck Loan (Support), HB 4144 MABAS ILEAS FUNDING (SUPPORT), HB4066 9-1-1 Surcharge (SUPPORT), HB 5480 Investigations (OPPOSE), HB 4459 Open Burn (OPPOSE), SB 4061 Single Stair Egress (OPPOSE),*
 - *The May Symposium in East Peoria is May 5-7. Reservations are coming out soon and reserve your rooms.*
 - *I-Chiefs is being outsourced for Day-to-Day Operations through the Wisconsin Management Agency. Chief Nate Rice from Peoria FD is heading up the Legislative Committee. Chip Humes is still the Lobbyist for the Fire Chiefs.*
- **Inventory – [DeLeshe, ~]**
 - *Chief DeLesche informed that if any DIV 10 Asset is to be covered through MABAS to get the Title.*
- **Logistics & Communications – [Buckley, DeLeshe]**
 - *No report given.*
- **Nominating & Rules – [Nord, Brenn]**
 - *No report given.*
- **Origin & Cause – [Krupp, Buckley, DeLeshe]**
 - *No report given.*
- **SOGs & Policies – [Brenn, Argast, Reda]**
 - *No report given.*
- **Technical Rescue – [Jansen, Brenn]**
 - *DC Jansen reported that the next TRT drill is at Westmont 183.*
 - *Aprils Drill is on the 16th and 23rd in Lagrange for a Trench drill.*
 - *TRT MABAS Div. 19 and 21 went to Kankakee.*
- **Training – [Scott, Maggos, ~]**

Chief Scott reported:

- *Div 10 Live Burns are 5/23 and 5/30 at Romeoville Fire Academy. More info to come.*
- *High Rise Training in Oak Brook Terrace is coming along, working on the Hold Harmless Agreement. Drill is July 18th, Aug 1st, and Aug 8th.*
- *ISO class being offered at Lagrange FD, contact Captain Baum for details.*

- The next RTF drill will be on April 7th. Contact Capt. Baum from Lagrange FD if you can assist in different positions, sending vehicle and personnel.
- Chief Kenny's presentation went great. Chief Scott made a special thanks to Ret. Chief Kenny for the class.
- Special thanks to Chief Brenn and Tristate for hosting the Solar Panel Class. Chief Lahannis mentioned DIV. 16 will be having the same class and will send out an invite once confirmed.
- **Water Rescue – [Buckley, Fleege]**
 - *No report given.*
- **Information Technology – [Brenn, Riley]**
 - *No report given.*
- **Intelligence – [Buckley, DeLeshe]**
 - *Chief Buckley reported on the conflict in Iran and to be aware of Super Cell groups in the US, nothing is confirmed.*
- **Rescue Task Force – [Buckley, Mulligan, Donatucci, DeLeshe]**
 - *RTF Drill April 7th in Lagrange. Contact Captain Baum for more information. Looking for vehicles to be sent to the drill.*
- **Grants – [TBD]**
 - *No report given.*

Reports of Special Committees:

- **DuPage OEM**
 - *None*
- **DuComm & ACDC**
 - *ACDC commented the 2 box alarms for DIV 10, Lyons Investigator Box and Tristate Brush box. AC/DC requests that if we have any major trainings to invite the TC's out to watch and see how things are handled. (Live burns, hazmat drills, TRT, ETC.)*
- **Unfinished Business**
- **New Business**
 - *Chief Riley gave an update on Westmont's new building construction looking to start in April. It will last about 18 months. Demolition would begin on May 6th. Some rigs have been reassigned to other areas, if any are due to your department and is an issue let Chief Riley know. 1888 will be going to Oakbrook station, Decon 10 will be at Tristate 124.*
- **Review of Extra Alarms / Incidents of Interest**
 - *There were 2 box alarms for DIV 10, Lyons Investigator Box and Tristate Brush box.*
- **Adjournment**
 - *Motion to adjourn the meeting at 09:31. Motioned by Westmont, and seconded by Tristate*

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