

**Cumberland County Fire Chief's Association  
September 25, 2000, 7:00 PM**

Called to order by President Jimmy Hall at 7:00 PM with 19 members and 10 associate members present. Meeting held at Gray's Creek Fire Station #24, meal provided by the Gray's Creek Fire Department, Station #24.

Opening prayer provided by Sheriff "Moose" Butler.

**Roll Call and Reading of Minutes:** President Hall asked the Secretary to have Roll Call and hold the reading of the minutes until the October meeting.

**Meeting Next Month:** Meeting will be held at CCSD assembly room, October 23<sup>th</sup>.

**Vendors:** Charlotte Equipment Sales, Roger Millikin.

**Old Business:**

President Hall gave an up-date on the condition of Chief Mike Middleton who was burned when he tried lighting a heater in his vacation home. His wife also was injured with a broken arm. We wish both a quick recovery.

Mike Hodges presented his program on his trip last year to Colorado.

**Fire Marshal:** President Hall recognized Ricky Strickland. Ricky reminded all departments that their fire condition report was now due.

Foam samples have been taken and sent off.

Children's Safety Trailer back in service for Fire Prevention Week.

Ricky passed out a booklet on Taking care of our own: A Resource Guide, published by the Bureau of Justice.

**Emergency Management:** Nothing

**New Business:** President Hall recognized Chief Barnes. Chief Barnes presented the status report on the Internet Connection as printed below:

**Status Report on Internet Connection**

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Internet Access: (ISP): \$1,510 per quarter X 4 =	<u>\$ 6,040 per year.</u>
Total Annual Costs:	\$22,804 per year.

Sprint charges \$63.60 per month for each ISDN line.

Time Warner's initial proposal is:

DHCP Up to 2 Mbs/down, 384 Kbps/up (Hub/Single user)	\$	63.96
Additional DHCP address connections	\$	15.96
Monthly Charges per station	\$	79.92
Annual Charges per station	\$	959.04
Annual Charges for all 22 stations		\$21,098.88

County Attorney Mr. Granger Barrett is negotiating with Time Warner in our behalf.  
Free to public / governmental buildings.  
Non-profit group.

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**Special Committee EMS:** President Hall appointed a special committee to look into the problems with our current medic unit shortage.

Committee appointed is Chief's of Vander, Hope Mills, Fayetteville, Westarea, and Cumberland County EMS.

**FTCC:** Ernest Ward present.

**EMS:** Nothing

**City of Fayetteville:** President Hall recognized Deputy Chief Hall. Chief Hall recognized R.C. Wiggins as there new Assistant Chief of Operations. Chief Hall stated the Assistant Chief Benny Nichols had been moved to Administration. Congratulations to both men.

**County Commissioners:** President Hall recognized Talmage Baggett. Mr. Baggett reminded every one that Cliff Strassenburg was retiring

A Bar-B-Que will held in memory of Steven Craig Patterson on November 3, 2000 from 10:30AM to 6:00PM at the Salem Methodist Church in Eastover. Price is \$5.00 per plate. If you have a call –in order of 10 or more they will deliver.

**CCSD:** Nothing.

**Christian Firefighters:** Nothing

A President Hall made the motion to adjourn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Alan Nobles motion passed at 8:45 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted by:  
Deputy Chief Terrence Rielly  
Secretary

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To: Cumberland Co. Em. mgt. - 677.5552  
From: Roseboro Fire Dept.  
Date: 9-24-99

Please give this info to the  
fire depts in your county.

Thank you,

Billy Herring

Chief

910-525-4121 phone  
910-525-3133 fax

**ROSEBORO FIREMEN'S DAY**

**OCTOBER 14, 2000**

**ROSEBORO PARK**

COMPETITION WILL BEGIN AT 1:00 P.M. IN THE PARK

EVENTS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

1. SCBA RACE
2. COMMAND POST
3. HOSE LAY
4. BARREL PUSH

THERE IS NO ENTRY FEE. COMPETITIONS ARE BEING SPONSORED BY  
JOE'S PLACE (REV. JOE FREEMAN).

WE APPOLOGIZE FOR THIS ARRIVING SO LATE.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL.

**KEITH SESSOMS AT 910-525-3266.**

THE ROSEBORO FIRE DEPARTMENT WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR  
ANY ACCIDENTS.

**JUDGES' DECISIONS ARE FINAL!**