



# FIRE DISTRICT 6

Serving Castle Rock and Northern Cowlitz County

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December 8, 2025

Regular Board Meeting

Commissioner's present:

Justin Stennick (phone call)

Mark Watenpaugh

Mike Kayser

Others present:

Chief Bill LeMonds

District Secretary Abbey LaBerge

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Regular Board Meeting called to order by Commissioner Kayser @ 5:30 p.m.

Public Comment: None

Consent Agenda: **Commissioner Watenpaugh made the motion to approve the following items as presented on the Consent Agenda. Motion seconded by Commissioner Stennick. Motion carried.**

- A. Approval of Minutes
- B. Payment of Payroll and Vouchers:
  - i. Payroll - \$90,115.17
  - ii. Vouchers - \$137,355.86
  - iii. Total - \$227,471.03

Chief Report:

- Annual hose testing was completed
- The District held their annual Christmas Party
- Chief LeMonds is attending a weather briefing today regarding the upcoming threat of flooding
- The District was awarded a \$1,000 grant from Williams Pipeline for operational items
- There were 4 volunteers that completed the live fire training
- Battery backups have been installed at Station 62
- The District's storage is almost completely cleared out and items have been moved to Station 62
- If it is decided to move forward with the signing bonus, the Attorney stated that it needed to be an MOU
- The side by side shared between the District and CR Police may be surplus, more to come at the next meeting

Old Business:

A. Capital Project Update

- a. Tenders – Both Tenders are in progress to be completed in house.

New Business:

- a. Policy 5.07.05 Controlled Substances – This policy was updated to include the Districts new safe for narcotic drugs and the implementation of Log RX.  
**Commissioner Watenpaugh made the motion to approve the policy as presented. Commissioner Stennick seconded the motion. Motion carried.**
- b. IAFF 3828 request to open Article 26.1 – **Commissioner Watenpaugh made the motion to table the request until next meeting and have the CBA reviewed by a labor attorney. Commissioner Stennick seconded the motion. Motion carried with opposition by Commissioner Kayser.**

Commissioners Report: None

Good of the Order: Commissioner Kayser reflected on his time as a Commissioner with this being his last meeting on the Board.

With no further business, **Commissioner Watenpaugh made the motion to adjourn the December 8, 2025 Regular Board Meeting. Commissioner Stennick seconded the motion. Motion carried.**

Meeting adjourned @ 5:45 pm