

## MARINE CITY AREA FIRE AUTHORITY

**'18-'19 Proposed Budget Public Hearing - Wednesday, April 18, 2018 @ 7:00 pm**  
Marine City Area Fire Authority Hall, 200 S. Parker St., Marine City, MI 48039

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Larry Simons at 7:00 pm.

2. MOMENT OF SILENCE AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL

Roll call was taken. Present – Marine City Representatives; Vice-Chair Lisa Hendrick, Treasurer Steve McConnell and Mark Posey. Cottrellville Township Representative; Tom Whitenight. East China Representative; Don Beaudua. China Township Representatives; Secretary Linda Schwehofer and Julia Rust. Also present were Fire Chief Joseph Slankster and Administrator Jennifer Vandenbossche.

Larry Simons, supported by Lisa Hendrick, made a motion to excuse Don Beaudua. A/A MC

4. Public Comment

None.

5. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

Linda Schwehofer thanked the Budget Committee.

Larry Simons advised that the committee did a good job.

Lisa Hendrick advised using caution about reducing the budget too far and would also like to start working on a new 5-year plan. She also discussed the County radio and payment issue. There was also discussion on review of the part-time duty shift. Asst. Chief Vandenbossche also advised that there had been discussions about his at the SCC Fire Chief's meeting.

Jennifer Vandenbossche discussed some of the average costs and decreasing/increasing fees.

Larry Simons brought up the changes at RDH that were discussed at the East China Twp. meeting and there is no longer an ICU and there are a decreased number of beds.

6. ADJOURNMENT

Linda Schwehofer, supported by Mary Agnes Simons, made a motion to close the public hearing. A/A MC

The public hearing was closed at 7:18 pm.

Respectfully Submitted;  
Jennifer Vandenbossche, Administrator