



# HEARTLAND FIRE TRAINING AUTHORITY

BOARD OF CHIEFS MEETING MINUTES

TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 2026

8:00 AM

## 1. CALL TO ORDER

A Meeting of the Heartland Fire Training Authority Board of Chiefs held this Tuesday; June 2, 2026 was called to order by the HFTA BOC Chief Ken Kremensky at 8:00 am.

## 2. ROLL CALL & DETERMINATION OF A QUORUM

### CHIEFS PRESENT:

MICHAEL SMITH – Bonita-Sunnyside Fire Protection District  
BENT KOCH – Heartland Fire & Rescue (El Cajon, La Mesa, Lemon Grove)  
JOHN SENGEBUSCH – Viejas Fire Department  
GREG O'GORMAN – Alpine Fire Protection District  
ANDY LAWLER – San Miguel Fire & Rescue  
KEN KREMENSKY – Barona Fire Department  
BRIAN BOGGELN – Alpine Fire Protection District

### CHIEFS ABSENT:

MIKE SIMS – Bonita-Sunnyside Fire Protection District  
DON BUTZ – Lakeside Fire Protection District  
HARLEY WALLACE – Santee Fire Department

### STAFF PRESENT:

JAY PETTERSON – Heartland Fire Training Authority, Facility Manager  
CLAY SCHOEN – Heartland Fire Training Authority, Treasurer

### STAFF ABSENT:

NONE

### GUEST PRESENT:

ERIC STAMM – Lakeside Fire Protection District  
KYLE MOYNER - Santee Fire Department  
ZACH CARRILLO – Sycuan Fire Department

### **3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

### **4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA APPROVE THE AGENDA OF THE JUNE 2, 2026 MEETING**

MOTION by KOCH  
SECOND by SMITH to approve  
the Agenda of the JUNE 2, 2026  
meeting

MOTION CARRIES BY A VOTE OF THOSE PRESENT

### **5. PUBLIC COMMENT**

State Law prohibits taking action or discussion on any item not on the posted agenda. The HFTA Board of Chiefs may briefly respond to statements or questions by persons exercising their public testimony rights. If appropriate, a matter of business may be on a future agenda.

NO PUBLIC COMMENT

### **6. CONSENT CALENDAR**

Consent Items are routine matters enacted by a motion according to the RECOMMENDATION listed below. With the concurrence of the Board of Chiefs, a Chief or person in attendance may request discussion of a Consent Item at this time.

### **APPROVE MINUTES OF THE FEBRUARY 3, 2026 MEETING**

MOTION by BOGGELN,  
SECOND by SMITH to  
approve the Minutes of FEBRUARY 3,  
2026 meeting

MOTION CARRIES BY A VOTE OF THOSE PRESENT

### **APPROVE FINANCIALS REPORTS AS PRESENTED**

MOTION by BOGGELN,  
SECOND by SMITH to  
approve financial reports as  
presented

MOTION CARRIES BY A VOTE OF THOSE PRESENT

### **7. TRAINING MANAGER REPORT 7.1 TRAINING MANAGER REPORT As presented**

**8. HFTA BOC ELECTIONS**

**MOTION FOR WALLACE TO BECOME  
CHAIR AND SMITH TO BECOME  
VICE CHAIR**

MOTION by KREMENSKY,  
SECOND BY KOCH FOR  
WALLACE TO BECOME CHAIR  
AND SMITH VICE CHAIR

MOTION CARRIES BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE OF THOSE PRESENT

**9. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

Eric Stamm explained that the Training Officers would like to start a Plan B rotation, pairing multiple agencies together to help with the workload planning and executing future Plan B trainings. The Training Officers have been working on bringing in additional professional style trainings to the facility such as Nozzle Forward and Silverado Fire. HFTA BOCs support the idea of combining agencies to help with future Plan B trainings. HFTA BOCs also support hosting conference level, professional trainings at HTF.

**10. ADJOURNMENT**

HFTA BOC meeting was adjourned at 0816 by Chief Ken Kremensky

**CLERK OF THE BOARD POSTED THE AGENDA FOR THE JUNE 2, 2026 HFTA  
BOC MEETING IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE LAW AND AGENCY POLICY  
CHANGES TO THE AGENDA**

**MINUTES TYPED BY:** Jay Petterson, Clerk of the Board