



QEM Fire Protection District
P. O. Box 183
Elsah, IL 62028

Thursday, July 9, 2026 at 6:00 p.m., QEM Fire Station, 14905 Elsah Road, Elsah, Illinois

AGENDA

Public Comments:

Public Hearing on FY2026-27 Budget

Reports and Approvals:

Approval of June 11, 2026, Meeting Minutes

Approval of November 9, 2023, January 11, 2024; May 15, 2024, March 13, 2025, October 9, 2025, November 13, 2025, May 14, 2026, May 28, 2026, June 11, 2026, Closed Session Meeting Minutes

Bank Statement and Budget Status review and approval

Review of Bills and Approval of Payment

Distribution of Secretary/Treasurer's Activity Report including major correspondence

Review of Calls for Previous Month

Old Business:

From the Trustees:

- 2026 Calendar & Checklist—Ed Darabcsek
- Clerk's Job Description (Action)
- Audit Update
- Pavilion on the lake (Response from Attorney Jim Sinclair) and updated Bid (Action)

From the Chief:

- FOAMfrat (Action)
- Pavilion (Action)
- Brush Truck #4172 Update

EMS Activity Reports:

New Business:

From the Trustees:

- Review Jersey Community Hospital Intergovernmental Agreement (expired March 31, 2026) (Action)
- Purchase Amount to Require Board Approval (Action)

From the Chief:

- JCH Physical Agreement (Action)
- New Hires (Action)
- New Helmets-6 (Action)
- New Radios-4 (Action)
- Freestanding workstation and mailbox (Action)
- Mower (Action)
- Grant Writing Class for Victoria Westfall (Action)
- PR Purchases (Action)

Committee Reports:

Open Discussion and Preparation for Next Meeting

Executive Session

Adjournment