Western Hills Fire Protection District
Regular Meeting
Monday, July 13, 2026

1. **Call to Order:** 5:35 p.m.

2. **Attendance:**

Board Members: Don Steinmetz Jr., Caleb Clark, Calven Goza, and Kris Knez.
Absent: Greg Johnson

Also present: Chief Brian Kuznik
Janice Perekrestenko

3. **Changes in Agenda:**

4. **Fire Department Report:**

June Call Summary 43 calls, 10 were in Garden City. Overall response time was 9 minutes and 14 seconds. June calls for all Greeley Fire incidents were 1,410.

Calls	**2026 WH**	**2025 WH**	**2024 WH**
January	46	39	58
February	49	37	54
March	56	52	64
1st Quarter	**151**	**128**	**176**
April	36	41	54
May	46	34	55
June	43	46	59
2nd Quarter	**125**	**121**	**168**
July		38	55
August		35	64
September		31	48
3rd Quarter		**104**	**167**
October		48	44
November		39	51
December		44	48
4th Quarter		**131**	**143**
Year to Date	**276**	**484**	**654**

Stampede 2026 review. Tabulating personnel and apparatus costs for the event. Last year the costs were approximately $65,000
There were 64 calls for July 4th. Compared to 2025 – 85 calls; 2024 – 100 calls.
There were 5 calls directly related to fireworks on July 4th.

Pre-conference meeting for RFP – two attendees – D2C Architect and AP Triton. Proposals are due August 28th.

July 7th - City Council approved the Fire Collective Bargaining agreement for 2027 and 2028.

Wildland Deployment – three firefighters deployed with a brush truck to the Ferris Fire near Cortez. No additional resources will be deployed before that crew returns.

UC Health Ambulance was the only agency that responded on the bid. Currently in contract negotiations to have a five-year contract in place.

5. **Minutes:** June 2026 Regular Meeting
Motion to accept June 2026 Minutes.
(Clark/Knez) 4-0 Approved

6. **Financials:**

A. Bills Paid in June 2026
Motion to accept Bills Paid in June 2026 as presented.
(Goza/Knez) 4-0 Approved

B. Statement of Changes as of June 2026
Motion to accept the Statement of Changes as presented.
(Goza/Clark) 4-0 Approved

C. Motion to accept Journal Entries for June 2026.
(Knez/Goza) 4-0 Approved

D. Weld County Treasurer Report – no formal action.

E. Closing Checklist June 2026
Motion to accept the June Closing Checklist.
(Goza/Clark) 4-0 Approved

7. **Old Business:**

A. No items

8. **New Business:**

A. No items

9. **Oral or Written Suggestions from the Board or Taxpayers:** None

10. **Adjourn:**
Vice President Steinmetz declared the meeting adjourned at 5:59 p.m.
(Goza/Clark) 4-0 Approved

Regular Meeting(s) and Proposed Agenda Items

Date	Time	Agenda Items
08/10/2026	5:30 p.m.	
09/14/2026	5:30 p.m.	
10/12/2026	5:30 p.m.	Proposed 2027 Budget
11/09/2026	5:30 p.m.	
12/14/2026	5:30 p.m.	Budget 2027 Hearing and Adoption

Respectfully Submitted,

Janice Perekrestenko, Recording Secretary

Greg Johnson, Board President