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BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS 2027 PROPOSED BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING October 19, 2026

ATTENDEES:

Comm. Richard Dore – Chairman
Comm. Ralph Chiumento, Jr. – Vice Chairman
Comm. Peter Valdez
Comm. Phil Van Itallie
Comm. Sean Jackson

Chief: Adam Kangas
Assistant Chief: Eric Philipp
Director of EMS: David Violante
District Secretary: Renee O'Neill – (absent)
Acting Secretary: Jennifer Loucks
Treasurer: James Passikoff

Director of Personnel & Business Administration: Heather Hastie

Chairman Dore opened the Arlington Fire District 2027 proposed budget public hearing at 6:00 p.m. with a roll call and everyone stood for the pledge of allegiance. He explained that the purpose of the public hearing is to allow any person to be heard in favor of or against the proposed 2027 budget, or for or against any item or items contained in the proposed 2027 budget.

Chairman Dore then asked the members of the Board if they had any comments and there were none. At 6:01 p.m., the public hearing was turned over to Chief Kangas who presented a PowerPoint presentation and discussed the proposed 2027 budget in more detail. There was no one from the public in attendance. The presentation ended at 6:18 p.m.

With no further comments, Comm. Jackson made a motion to close the public hearing.
Seconded by Comm. Chiumento.

- Motion Carried, 5 – 0 – 0

The 2027 Proposed Budget Public Hearing closed at 6:18 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jennifer Loucks
Acting Secretary

NOT YET APPROVED

