



Village of Downers Grove

Foreign Fire Insurance Board (2%) – Agenda

Table 1 - Detailed information on this Board or Commission meeting.

Meeting Location	Downers Grove Fire Department Station 102
Meeting Address	5420 Main St., Downers Grove, IL 60515
Meeting Date	October 19, 2026 at 08:00 AM

Call to Order.

Roll Call.

Public Comments.

Approval of Minutes.

- September 21st, 2026 Regular Meeting Minutes

Treasurer's Report.

- September 2026 Report

Old Business.

A. Outstanding Purchases

B. Outstanding Projects

1. Radio Holsters

2. Exercise Equipment

a. Yoga Mats

- b. Rogue Matador
- c. Hyperpro
- 3. New Engine 105 Equipment
- 4. Station 101 – Bay TV Project
- 5. September Station Requests

New Business.

- A. General Fund Requests
- B. Station Fund Requests
- C. Training Tower Repairs and NFPA Inspection
- D. Station 103 Chair Repairs

Public Comments.

Next Meeting.

- November 16, 2026 | 8AM.

Adjournment.

Posted October 15th, 2026 by Ben Brown, Fund Secretary



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Meeting Date	September 21, 2026 at 08:00 AM

Call to Order.

808hrs by Kinney

Board Present.

Chief Spinazola, Lt. Meister, Lt. S. Markowski, Lt. Kinney, FF/PM Bonsonto, Brown

Board Absent.

Lt. S. Markowski, FF/PM Kairis

Guests Present

Deputy Chief's Kocolowski, Pekelder, McGivney, FF/PM Bacon, Heumann, EJ

Public Comments.

There were none.

Approval of Minutes.

Motion to Approve the August 17, 2026 minutes as corrected Motion by Spinazola and Seconded by Meister. All in Favor. Motion Carries.

Motion to Approve the September 08, 2026 minutes as corrected Motion by Meister and Seconded by Spinazola. All in Favor. Motion Carries.

Treasurer's Report.

- July Fund Balance: \$351,396.47
- Total Bills: \$1,632.27
- Account Interest: \$388.83
- Widows Fund: \$50,000
- Ending Balance: \$402,048.15

Motion by Spinazola, Second by Meister

All in Favor. Motion Carries

Old Business.

A. Station Exercise Equipment –

- a. Yoga Mats need to be returned, waiting on a truck to take them to UPS. Correct replacement mats have been ordered.
- b. Still awaiting the status of Hyperpro, Rogue Monster Matador and extra parts to finish the gym racks, Heumann and Mesiter will check with Gina after the meeting.

B. Bed Frame Request for Station 102 – Shipping is squared away and everything is paid for, waiting for the items to be delivered.

- C. Radio Holsters – Holsters are in production, awaiting delivery.
- D. Badge Case & Nameplates – name plates received, badges are on order should be here any day.
- E. New Guy Equipment – awaiting class A Bags

New Business.

A. General Fund Requests –

- 1. 100in Smart TV with Wall Mounts and Cables for bay at Station 101.
Discussion was held and decision to table until next meeting was made.
Chief Spinazola will meet with Lt. Hoff to discuss the request and plans for the project.
- 2. Hose Hero Lazy Susan for Station 105 – NTE \$600
Motion by Meister, Second by Brown. All in Favor. Motion carried.
- 3. New Engine 105 Tools
 - a. PIG – NTE \$300
 - b. Piglet – NTE \$300
Motion to approve by Brown, Second by Bonsonto. NTE \$600.
All in Favor. Motion Carried.
- b. Toolbox & Assorted Tools for New Engine 105 NTE \$3,000.
 - i. Toolbox
 - ii. 1 Packout 3 – Drawer
 - iii. 1 Packout Medium Tool Box
 - iv. Hand Tools for Tool Box
 - 1. Tape Measure
 - 2. Tin Snips
 - 3. Pliers

4. Locking Pliers
5. Cable Cutter
6. Pick Up tool
7. 6" & 10" Adjustable Wrench Set
8. 10" Hack Saw
9. 8 – Piece Screw Driver Set
10. Folding Hex Key Set and Long Arm 26 Piece Hex Set
11. 10" Pliers Wrench
12. PryBar Set of 3
13. 3lb Fiberglass Drilling hammer
14. Fastback Compact Folding Utility Knife
15. Folding Jab Saw with 6" Drywall blade
16. Drill & Combo Kit
17. Impact Duty Screw Driver Set
18. 106 Piece 3/8 & 1/4 Drive Socket Set w/ packout case

B. Purchase Requests –

1. Admin – None
2. Station 101 –
 - a. 7inch Garmin w/ Suction Cup – NTE \$300
 - b. 12 piece Bath Towel set – NTE \$200
 - c. Bath Mats – NTE \$130
 - d. Dish Rack – NTE \$100
 - e. Box Fans Qty: 2 – NTE \$200

f. Assorted Station Items – NTE\$1200

- i. Cutting Boards
- ii. Kitchen Towels
- iii. Chip Clip Bags
- iv. 2 in 1 Oil Sprayer
- v. Garlic Press
- vi. Lemon Zester
- vii. Multi-Purpose Scraper and Chopper
- viii. Wood Utensil Set
- ix. Glass Food Storage Containers
- x. Pot Holders
- xi. Baking Sheets
- xii. Kitchen Organizer
- xiii. Retractable Charger for iphone
- xiv. Handheld Milk Frother
- xv. Salt and Pepper Grinder
- xvi. Scissors
- xvii. Grease Cup Liners

g. Cell Phone Mount – NTE \$40

Motion by Meister, Second by Brown to approve the requests NTE \$2200.

3. Station 102 –

- a. 27 Gallon Tough Totes – Qty: 36 – NTE \$700
- b. Stainless Steel cups – Qty: 16 – NTE \$100

Motion by Brown to approve the requests, seconded by Kinney.

All in Favor. Motion carries.

4. Station 103 –

- a. Polywood Rocking Chairs Qty- 5 – NTE \$2000

Motion by Meister, Second by Kinney. NTE \$2000.

All in Favor. Motion Carried.

- b. Steak Knife Set – NTE \$60

Motion by Meister, Second by Kinney. NTE \$60 All in favor.

- c. Pyrex Cookware – NTE \$100

Motion by Kinney, Second by Meister. All in Favor.

- d. Sousvide Setup – NTE \$200

Motion by Spinazola, Second by Meister. All in Favor.

5. Station 105 –

- a. Request for GPS. Discussion was held and decision was made to buy the same as S101. NTE \$300

- b. – Tupperware NTE \$150

- c. TV for workout room NTE \$575

- d. Miscellaneous Kitchen & Grill Items \$NTE \$400

- i. Griddle Accessory Kit

- ii. Griddle Scraper

- iii. 2 - Brusheads

- iv. 2 – Can Opener

- v. 1 – Juice Press

- vi. 1 – Burger Smasher

- vii. 1 – Potato Masher
- viii. 1 – Oven Mit Set
- ix. 3 – Cutting Boards
- x. 1 – Lazy Susan

Motion by Kinney, Second by Bonsonto to approve purchases NTE \$1500.

Good of the Fund.

- A. Reminder to all members that requests can be bundled together but should be of similar category. Example- Kitchen Items request, Second Request for Station items.
- B. Reminder to turn in your Phone and Gym Reimbursements
- C. October is the last meeting for station requests

Public Comments.

- A. None

Next Meeting.

- October 19, 2026 | 8AM

Adjournment.

- A. Motion to Adjourn at 0902 by Bonsonto, Seconded by Kinney.
All in Favor. Motion Carried.