

Madison County Fire District

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Minutes from April 8, 2026 at 11:00 am

Board Members in Attendance/Roll Call:

Commissioner Ken Anderson, Commissioner Wes Donahoo, Commissioner Cole Baldwin (Chair)

Others in attendance were:

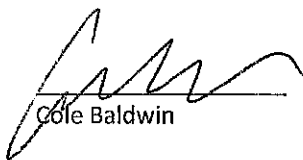
Corey Child, Chief; Troyce Miskin, Deputy Chief; Amber Steckley

Meeting Called to Order: 1100 am

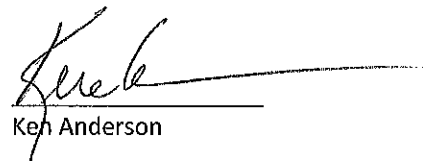
- 1. Welcome:** Commissioner Baldwin called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone to the meeting.
- 2. Approval of minutes from 3-11-26 meeting – action item:** Commissioner Anderson motioned to approve the minutes from the 3-11-26 meeting, Seconded by Commissioner Donahoo, all aye.
- 3. Approval of expenditures – action item:** All expenditures, both credit card and invoices, were approved as outlined on the Expense Ratification Form dated 4-11-26 in the amount of \$369,342.64. Motion approving expenses was made by Commissioner Anderson, seconded by Commissioner Donahoo, all aye.
- 4. Auditor Selection:** Chief Miskin reported that we had received three proposals from professional auditors to do the year-end audits. One was from an auditor in Twin Falls and although the base rate was relatively the same, the travel and lodging expenses made them more expensive. The second was a local auditor who currently does the audit for Madison County. Although the rate was relatively the same, the auditor was not sure he could add any more workload to his company. The third firm was Rudd & Company. Their rate was comparable to the other two, however, they are local and most familiar with our budgets. They have been the auditors for the City of Rexburg for years and have subsequently done the department's audits by default of their relationship with the city. Chief Miskin and Child recommended the board use Rudd & Company. Commissioner Anderson motioned to use Rudd & Company as the auditors and to have Chief Child and Miskin finalize all the agreements with Rudd & Company to secure them as our auditors. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Donahoo, all aye.
- 5. Thornton Well:** Chief Child reported the next step was to have the surveyor mark the hydrant location as well as the driveways for improvement. County Road and Bridge will assist in the improvements. Carl with Agricultural Services is providing the services to connect the well with the hydrant and power. This work should be underway by mid-May.
- 6. Other items as approved by the Board:** Chief Miskin mentioned how overwhelmingly busy the department has been with wildland fires in the county. Most have been caused by out of control-controlled burns. The season outlook states our area will be warmer and drier than normal thus more susceptible to wildland fire starts.
- 7. Meeting adjourned:** Commissioner Donahoo motioned to adjourn the meeting at 11:40 a.m. Commissioner Anderson seconded the motion, all aye.

Approval of Minutes:

By:


Cole Baldwin


Wes Donahoo


Ken Anderson