

Maple Grove Firefighters Relief Association Distribution Meeting Discussion Monday November 12th, 2018

Meeting called to order by Secretary Riley Slimmer at 2000

Board Members present:

Riley Slimmer, Jeff Hendel.

Relief Association members present:

Tom Kripotos, Russ Commers, Jason Klante

Discussion Items:

It was discussed to have all items that are up for distribution, must be sponsored by a firefighter, this was agreed upon by everyone who was there.

It was also discussed to have the sponsoring firefighter both write the narrative and sign the application.

Applications can come in with no sponsor, but they would need one to get on the ballot. To help with this, it was discussed to move the deadline up to June 1 so at the June meeting there can be a discussion about any unsponsored applications.

Sponsors should have to give a speech about any applications they have sponsored.

Discussion about having the sponsor have to give “their” money to fully fund any items they sponsor, so others don’t have “their” money go to items they don’t wish to fund.

Was agreed that it was a good idea to have the city continue to have “projects” that we can help fund, the transparency was nice.

Was discussed to remove dollar caps, and move towards a percentage per line.